



2025

Fletcher Free Kids Summer Challenge Reading Log



How it Works:

To complete the Fletcher Free Kids Summer Challenge:

- Read at least **5 hours** and/or complete at least **5 challenge activities!**
- Keep track of your reading and activities in this log, or on the Beanstack app (fletcherfree.beanstack.org)
- Submit your reading log (either in-person at Fletcher Free Library or online via Beanstack) by no later than **August 16**.
- ***This year, ALL participants who complete the Summer Challenge earn a prize!***
Once you finish, come into the Main Library to collect your prize (first come, first served)!
- Questions? Call the Kids' Desk at 802-865-7216 or email FFLKids@burlingtonvt.gov

Then...keep on challenging yourself!



We encourage you to set your own Summer Reading Goals!

Maybe you want to read every day this summer. Maybe you want to read 5 books...or 50 books! Maybe you want to complete all the Summer Challenge activities in this log! The possibilities are endless, so set the goal that works for YOU!

My Summer Reading goal is to: _____

Contact Information:



First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Age: _____ Parent/Caregiver Phone: _____

Parent/Caregiver Email: _____

School (Fall 2025): _____ Grade (Fall 2025): _____



Main Library: 235 College Street, Burlington
New North End Branch: 1127 North Avenue, Burlington

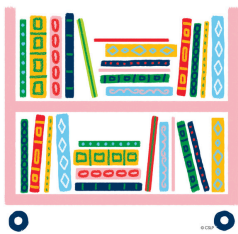
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Reading Log:

Color in a small box for every 15 minutes spent reading!

Read 5 hours this summer and earn a prize!

Fill in all the boxes? You've read 20 hours! Way to go!



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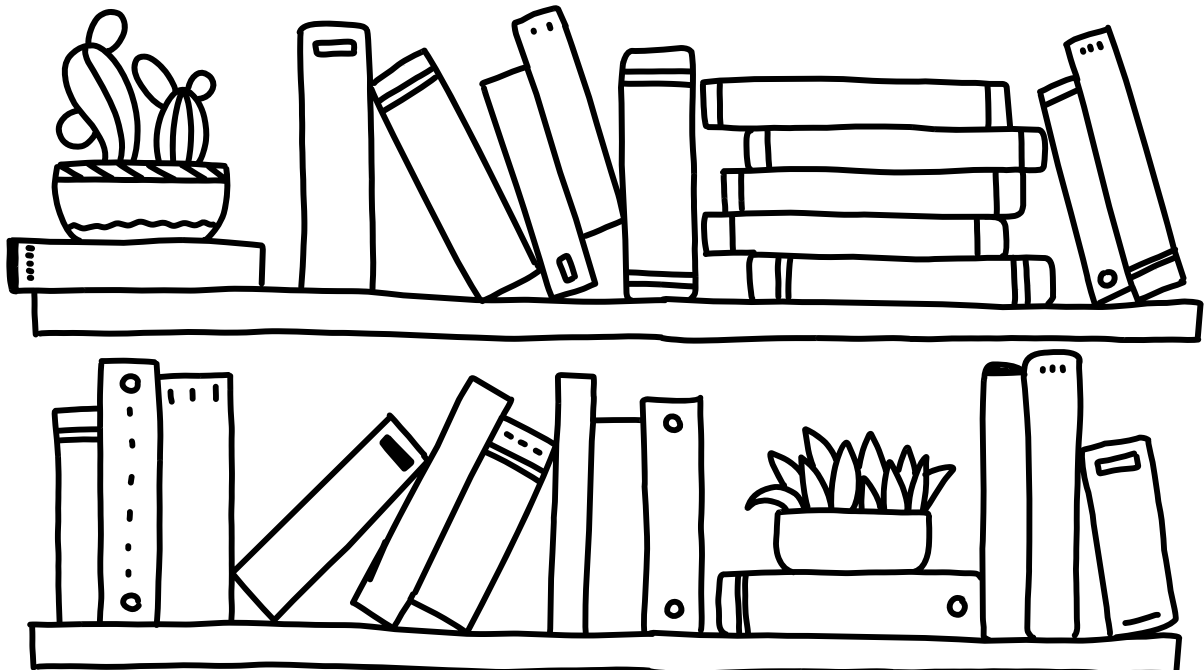
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Just for Fun:

Color in a book on the shelves below for each book you finish!

Once it's all filled in, you've read 26 books!

Time to ask a librarian for more bookshelf logs to color!

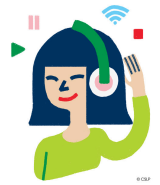


My favorite books I've read this summer are:



Color Our World Summer Activities:

How many fun activities can you complete this summer? Cross off activities as you finish them.
Complete 5 activities to earn a prize!



Reading:

Visual Arts:

Performing Arts:

Nature:

Community:

Storytelling/ Writing:

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| Read an award-winning book | Draw or paint a portrait of yourself | Learn a new joke and tell someone! | Visit a park, beach, or hiking trail | Introduce yourself to someone new | Write your name using a different color for every letter |
| Read a graphic novel | Color outside using sidewalk chalk | Make up a dance with at least five different moves | Read outside under a tree | Attend a Library program | Write an acrostic poem about your favorite color |
| Listen to an audiobook | Find a mural or piece of outdoor art | Learn all the words to a song that you like | Make a piece of art out of natural materials—sticks, flowers, rocks, etc. | Tell a family member or friend three things you like about them | Write and illustrate a mini book. |
| Read every day for 1 week (or longer!) | Draw or take a photo of someone you love (can be a pet!) | Go see a play, concert, or dance performance | Visit a StoryWalk | Do something helpful for others | Tell a story about two animal friends who go on an adventure |
| Read a biography about an artist | Draw a character from a favorite story | Learn a grown-up's phone number by singing it to the tune of Jingle Bells | Grow something: flowers, veggies or herbs! | Try eating a food you've never eaten before | Make a list (of books, foods, animals, you name it!) |
| Read two (or more) books by the same author | Build something out of cardboard & recycled materials | Try playing an instrument | Go on a rainbow nature scavenger hunt | Make a painted kindness rock to hide | Write a book review about a book you've read |



Check out these prompts on [Beanstack](#) for more details and resources!



Fletcher Free Kids' Summer Program Highlights:



June:

- Sat, June 21: **Summer Challenge Kickoff with Vermont Lake Monsters, local authors, & Champ!**
10 a.m.-11:30 a.m., Main Library
- Wed, June 25: **Library Night at the Ballpark!** 6:35 pm, Centennial Field
- Mon, June 30, **Read the Rainbow: Pride Story Hour**, 10-11 a.m., Main Library



July:

- Thurs, July 3: **Very Merry Theatre: "The Great Circus Train Robbery,"**
Noon-1 p.m. City Hall Park (rain site: Contois Auditorium)
- Mon, July 7: **Stories in Nature: A BTV StoryWalk® Adventure** (ages 2-6), 10-11 a.m., Leddy Park
- Wed, July 9: **Frosting Funhouse: Cake Decorating Workshop!** (ages 7-12), 6-7:15 p.m., Main Library
- Thurs, July 10: **Lyric Theatre: "James and the Giant Peach,"** 6 p.m., Contois Auditorium
- Mon, July 14: **Very Hungry Caterpillar Party** (ages 2-6), 10-11 a.m., Main Library
- Thurs, July 17: **Very Merry Theatre: "The House at Pooh Corner,"**
Noon-1 p.m. City Hall Park (rain site: Contois Auditorium)
- Monday, July 21: **Messy Art Monday** (ages 2-6), 10-11 a.m., Main Library
- Wed, July 23: **Family Portrait Painting** (ages 7-12), 5:30-7 p.m., Main Library
- Mon, July 28: **Artful Garden Party** (ages 2-8), 10-11 a.m., NNE Branch Library
- Wed, July 30: **Alyx the Magician**, noon, Main Library




August:

- Mon, August 4: **Colorful Creature Superpowers Storytime:** (ages 2-6), 10-11 a.m., NNE Branch Library
- Tuesday, August 5: **CLiF Storytime & Book Giveaway with author Lorian Tu**, 11:30 a.m.-Noon, Main Library
- Wed, August 6: **Printmakers Workshop: Relief Prints** (ages 7-12), 6-7 p.m., Main Library
- Wed, August 13: **The Yo-Yo Guy**, 1:30 pm., Main Library
- Wed, August 13: **Crafting Treasures: Make a Decoupage Box** (ages 7-12), 6-7:30 p.m., Main Library

And much more, including Minecraft Meet-Ups, DIY Rube Goldberg Machines, Cooking Club, and Preschool Yoga!



Visit **fletcherfree.org** for the full summer schedule, program registration details, and more information!



Fletcher Free Library Youth Summer Outreach staff bring activities, crafts and free books to sites around Burlington! Find their weekly site visit schedule here:

