

Summer Reading 2021



Hello from the Library! Wow, it is hard to believe, but the end of the year is here. It will be imperative that you continue to exercise your brain over this summer. There are so many fun books and activities that you can do to make that brain even stronger for your return to school in the Fall. I can't wait to see you and hear about any exciting books you read over the summer.

Summer Reading Programs:

- The **San Antonio Public Library** will have a summer reading program that runs June 1 - August 31. Check out the program and all the local summer events at : <https://guides.mysapl.org/SRP/kids2021>
- Students in grades 1-6 can earn a free book from **Barnes & Noble**. Read eight books, record them in your summer reading journal and bring your completed journal to your B&N between 7/1/21-8/31/21 to receive your free book! Check it out on the Barnes & Noble website: [Barnesandnoble.com](https://www.barnesandnoble.com) and go to the kid's section.
- **Book It!** also has a summer reading program that they coordinate with Pizza Hut. You can sign up for weekly emails and earn rewards. <https://www.bookitprogram.com/book-it-for-parents>

Educational Websites:

- **KidLit TV** is a great resource for finding read alouds, crafts, and activities that coordinate with literature. It offers book suggestions as well. <https://kidlit.tv/>
- **Renaissance Place (Accelerated Reader)**: Accelerated Reader quizzes can still be accessed through the summer. Please note: any points accumulated over the summer will **NOT** count towards the 2021-22 school year. Quizzes that are taken over the summer will not be able to be retested at the beginning of the new school year. Students will use the same username/password as the 2020-21 school year. <https://global-zone08.renaissance-go.com/welcomeportal/236752>
- **Camp Wonderopolis** Free online summer learning online website that is full of STEM activities and literacy-building topics. <http://camp.wonderopolis.org/>

Book Suggestions:

- I have found **The Redeemed Reader** to be a great resource for Christian parents who want to find quality books to introduce to their children of all ages. <https://redeemedreader.com/>
- **Common Sense Media** is another fantastic resource for looking up movies, books, and even reviews of apps you want to check before allowing your child to use them. It does have lists of recommended movies, books, and apps if you are looking for suggestions. <https://www.common Sense Media.org/>