



Summer Reading Promotional Video Transcript

Hi, everyone! We are your Cambridge Public Library Youth Services Librarians, here with an important message for you about Summer Reading!

We wish we could visit you in person to tell you all about this year's Summer Reading program, but this video will tell you all you need to know.

The first step is: sign up!

You can sign up on the Cambridge Public Library's website starting Monday, June 22. You can sign up by yourself, or together with your family.

You'll create a username and password to use throughout the summer, so pick something you think you can remember. Make sure you enter an email or phone number when signing up so you can receive your prize.

Did someone say, prize?!

That's right! As you read this summer, you can collect badges by completing activities in our online summer reading challenge.. Some of these activities include:

Recommend a book to someone.

Draw something you see in nature.

Do a silly dance for two minutes.

Once you've collected at least 20 badges, you unlock your prize, a \$10 e-gift card to Porter Square Books.

Gift cards will be available after August 3rd to Cambridge residents while supplies last. Each person can only win one gift card, but you can keep reading and completing challenges even after you've finished.

While Summer Reading may look different this year, the message is always the same: keep reading! Whether your book is 50 pages or 100 pages; whether you're reading graphic novels or a book with no pictures; even if you're reading a book without words - keep on reading!

And don't forget: listening to someone read to you or listening to an audiobook also counts as reading.

But what about all of the fun programs the library has in the summer?

Fear not! All of your favorite library programs and performances have gone virtual!

We'll have Jenny the Juggler, Sciencetellers, Wee the People, Queer Kid Stuff, DINO MAN, and more, all coming to a screen near you! Check the library's website for information about this year's exciting summer performances.

So we hope you'll join us this year as you read your way through summer - wherever you are.

From all of us at the Cambridge Public Library: we miss you, and we can't wait to see you soon!