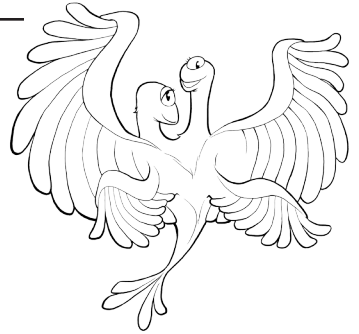
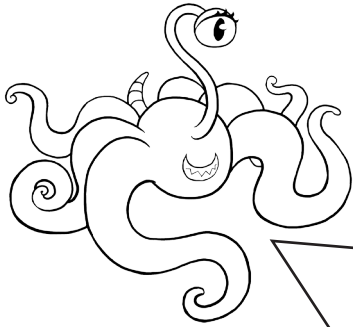
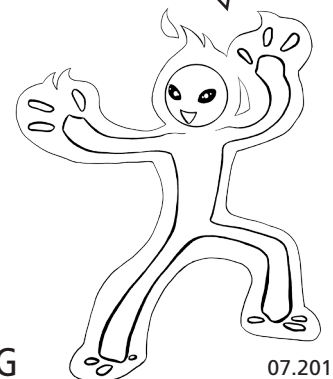
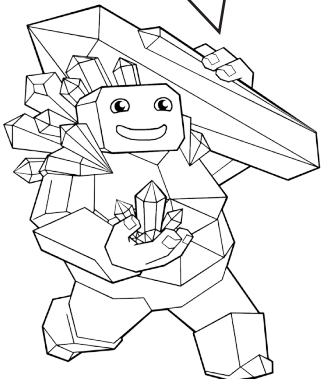


# PRESCHOOLER SUMMER READING GAME

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



- Help your child make a list of words that begin with first letter of their name
- Let your child "read" their favorite book to you
- Listen to music and dance together
- Read together for 15 minutes
- Visit the library
- Blow bubbles: Try to catch, pop, and count them
- Make a grocery list together
- Write a card together and give it to someone special
- Look at a nonfiction book together
- Read together for 15 minutes
- Make a list of words that rhyme with the word star
- Read a story about outer space
- Practice writing letters in the sand with your finger
- Make up a silly rhyme. Nonsense words are ok!
- Read together for 15 minutes



# SUMMER READING CHALLENGE FOR LITTLE READERS

Parents and caregivers, register by visiting [www.grpl.org/summerreading](http://www.grpl.org/summerreading). Read books to your child and do the fun activities listed in the shapes on your game board. Color in the shapes or put stickers on all the activities you do. Bring in your completed game board between July 22 and September 2, 2019 and pick up your child's prize!

All of these activities build early literacy skills – talking, writing, reading, playing, and singing.

## EVENTS FOR LITTLE READERS

### BABY TIME

Parents and caregivers are invited to introduce their babies, birth through 18 months, to music, movement, and language in these 30-minute classes designed for their specific developmental stages. Babies will hear a story and learn songs and rhymes. Playtime after enhances the development of social skills.

**Mondays, June 3 – 24, July 8 – 22**  
11:00 am • Main Library

**Wednesdays, June 5 – 26, July 10 – 24**  
11:00 am • Yankee Clipper Branch

### PAJAMA TIME

Get cozy in your pajamas, grab your favorite stuffed animal or blanket, and come to the library for a special bedtime event. Listen to stories, sing songs, and get those wiggles out before bed. Great for working parents.

**Mondays, June 3 – 24, July 8 – 22**  
6:30 pm • Main Library

### FAMILY TIME

Parents and caregivers are invited to bring their children up to 5 years old to this exciting class featuring literacy rich activities such as stories, songs, fingerplays, and hands-on fun. Classes end with a fun and creative art activity.

**Wednesdays, June 5 – 26, July 10 – 24**  
11:00 am • West Leonard Branch

**Thursdays, June 6 – 27, July 11 – 25**  
10:30 am • Seymour Branch  
11:00 am • Yankee Clipper Branch

**Saturdays, June 8 – 29, July 13 – 27**  
11:00 am • Yankee Clipper Branch

### LET'S PLAY

Let's Play is a four-week program for children 0-5 and their parents or caregivers and focuses on child-driven play. Children will explore different types of play. Each week an early childhood specialist will be available to answer questions parents may have about their child's development. Families are encouraged to attend all four sessions.

**Tuesdays, August 6 – 27**  
11:00 am • Main Library  
6:30 pm • West Leonard Branch

**Wednesdays, August 7 – 28**  
10:30 am • Seymour Branch  
12:00 pm • West Side Branch