

TIPS FOR KIDS ABOUT SUMMER READING FUN

Sign up for the Summer Reading Program at your local library.

Use your library card to check out a book about your favorite baseball player.

Check out other programs that your local library may offer.

Create a cozy space in your home that is the perfect spot for reading

Enjoy the great outdoors, take a nature walk. Check out field guides from the library to help you identify flowers, leaves, rocks, birds and other critters.

Design a board game based on your favorite book.

Take turns as a family reading a funny book. Entertain one another instead of watching TV.

Love to tell jokes? Find a joke book and learn some new jokes and riddles to tell your friends or to prepare for a stand up routine.

Act out a story by reading aloud, dressing up and using props to perform the book's dialogue.

When going on vacation, before and after, read about the places you will visit or have visited.

Read the book, before or after, seeing the movie about it.

Enjoy the lazy days of summer, sit under a tree and read or listen to a book.

Become a super sleuth, read a book about codes and create your own messages or codes.

Share your favorite book by reading it to a younger brother, sister, friend or relative.

Make it a habit to read in bed just before lights out.

Write a song about the story, character or an event in a book.

Send a post card to a friend writing about the book you just read.



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