

## Pearson Pioneers and Families

We would like to encourage our pioneers to expand their imagination during those long hot summer days by joining in our summer reading challenge. As a whole school we have a goal of **400,000** minutes read during our 100 days of summer (June 1st - September 8th).

Why do the Pearson Reading Challenge? What do you as a Student get out of it? The **#1** reward of course is all of the places your imagination takes you as you read a good book.

If that is not enough to encourage you to accept our reading challenge, then here are a few others.

1. Every student that logs at least **60** minutes throughout the summer will receive a small participant prize.
2. Every student that logs at least **260** minutes throughout the summer will receive completion of reading reward. (This is 20 minutes a week)
3. Top **5** readers in the building will receive a Top reading prize.

How do you join in the fun? Attached is a summer reading packet which will give you and your parents the details on how to login into Scholastic to log your reading minutes. Then the first week of school we will announce who was our top five readers for the summer and give out your participant prizes.

Throughout the summer we will be giving out social media updates on how we are doing at reaching our goal. Remember we would love to see where your favorite places are to read in the summer. So be sure to send them into us via email or tag us on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

Note you can do this program along with any other reading program that you may be doing with the local libraries or book stores (Barnes and Noble: <http://www.barnesandnobleinc.com/our-stores-communities/summer-reading-program/>).

2017-18 Fifth Graders that choose to participate (which we hope you do), once the challenge is completed we will make sure that you will also receive any rewards that you have earned.

If there is any questions or concerns please feel free to email either Mrs. Courtney Rabassa ([rabassac@slcs.us](mailto:rabassac@slcs.us)) or Mrs. Lori Mullins ([mullinsl@slcs.us](mailto:mullinsl@slcs.us))

Wishing all pioneers a summer filled with magical and imaginative reading!

Pearson Summer Reading Committee





# A MAGICAL SUMMER OF READING

Welcome to the 2018 Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge!

Dear Parent or Caregiver,

Did you know that when kids read over the summer they are more likely to leap ahead when they return to school? This is often called the "summer leap," and we've made it a priority to keep your child's skills sharp by encouraging them to read all summer long.

This year, our school signed up to participate in the Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge, a free online reading program that invites students to log their reading minutes all summer. The goal is for the students in our school to discover the joy and magic of reading, and read the most minutes possible in an effort for our school to earn the title, "Best in State."

I'm excited to share that the theme of this year's program is *A Magical Summer of Reading!* As students log their reading minutes throughout the 18 weeks of summer, they will **earn digital rewards as they meet their weekly reading goals**. Plus, throughout the summer, students can learn about great new books to read, access fun videos and printables, and more. You'll also find summer booklists for all ages (in English and Spanish) on the Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge website.

The fun begins on Monday, May 7, 2018, and ends on Friday, September 7, 2018!

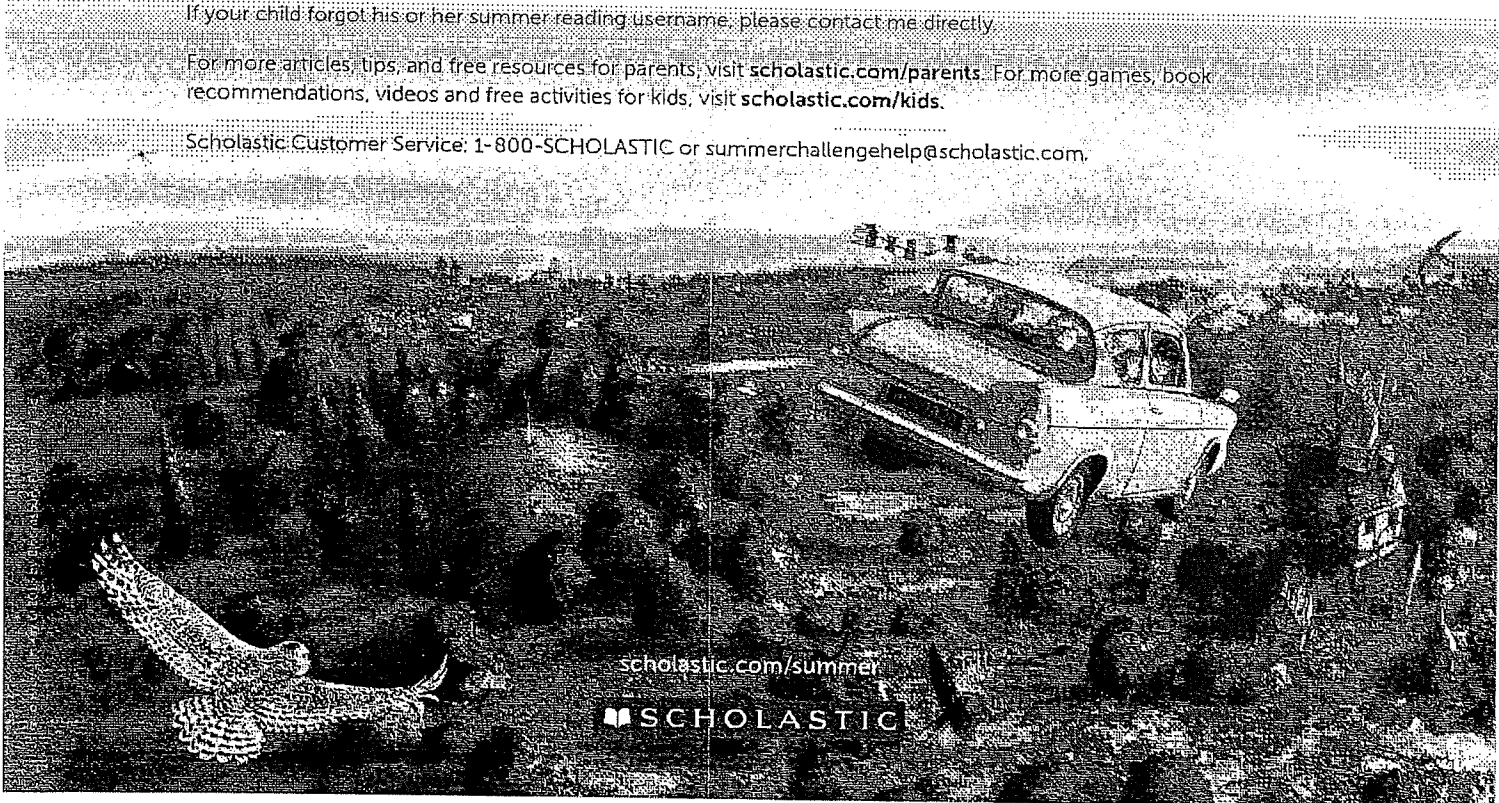
I invite you to learn more about the Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge at [scholastic.com/summer](http://scholastic.com/summer).

Have a wonderful summer!

If your child forgot his or her summer reading username, please contact me directly.

For more articles, tips, and free resources for parents, visit [scholastic.com/parents](http://scholastic.com/parents). For more games, book recommendations, videos and free activities for kids, visit [scholastic.com/kids](http://scholastic.com/kids).

Scholastic Customer Service: 1-800-SCHOLASTIC or [summerchallengehelp@scholastic.com](mailto:summerchallengehelp@scholastic.com).



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## Sign-in Information

Follow these steps for the first time students sign in:

1. Go to [scholastic.com/summer](http://scholastic.com/summer).
2. In the KIDS & FAMILIES section, click on **GO NOW!**.
3. Click on the **LOGIN** button.
4. **Screen 1:** Type in the screen name (your username) and password given to you by your teacher. Click **GO**.
5. **Screen 2:** Use the password your teacher tells you to use when asked to create a new password.
6. **Screen 3:** Choose a security question to answer and then answer it. Click **SUBMIT**.
7. **Screen 4:** Make sure you write down your username and password, then click **Continue**.
8. **Welcome to your homepage!** Enter your daily reading minutes under the **Log My Minutes** section. Click on the **LOG MY MINUTES** button.

NOTE: Reading minutes may be entered for the current day and for any day of the past two weeks. However, beginning on August 1, students will be able to enter minutes for the whole summer up to the current day.

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## AGES 0–2 (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *101 Dinosaurs: And Other Prehistoric Reptiles*,  
April Jones Prince & Bob Kolar (Illustrator)
- *Big Choo*,  
Stephen Shaskan (Author & Illustrator)
- *Foods with Moods: A First Book of Feelings*,  
Saxton Freymann & Joost Elffers (Illustrator)
- *Giraffes Can't Dance*,  
Giles Andreae & Guy Parker-Rees (Illustrator)
- *Goodnight, Goodnight Construction Site*,  
Sherri Duskey Rinker & Tom Lichtenheld (Illustrator)
- *Harold and the Purple Crayon*,  
Crockett Johnson (Author & Illustrator)
- *How Do Dinosaurs Learn to Read?*,  
Jane Yolen & Mark Teague (Illustrator) 📖
- *How to Find a Fox*,  
Nilah Magruder (Author & Illustrator)
- *I Am A Baby*,  
Kathryn Madeline Allen & Rebecca Gizicki (Illustrator)
- *Little Bitty Friends*,  
Elizabeth McPike & Patrice Barton (Illustrator)
- *Little Blue Truck's Springtime*,  
Alice Schertle & Jill McElmurry (Illustrator)
- *Motor Goose: Rhymes That Go*,  
Rebecca Colby & Jef Kaminsky (Illustrator)
- *My Heart Fills with Happiness*,  
Monique Gray Smith & Julie Flett (Illustrator)
- *My Rainbow Surprise*,  
Amy E. Sklansky & Anna Dunn (Illustrator)
- *No, David!*,  
David Shannon (Author & Illustrator)
- Scholastic Early Learners: *My First Book of Shapes*
- Scholastic Early Learners: *Peek-A-Who? Do You Purr Too?*
- Scholastic Early Learners: *Touch, Slide, and Lift Busy Farm*
- *Penguins Love Their ABC's*,  
Sarah Aspinall (Author & Illustrator) 📖
- *Rabbit Moon*,  
Jean Kim (Author & Illustrator)
- *Show Me Happy*,  
Kathryn Madeline Allen & Eric Futran (Illustrator)
- *Sign Language, My First 100 Words*,  
Scholastic & Michiyo Nelson (Illustrator)
- *Sometimes I Feel...Sunny: A Funny, Sunny Book  
Full of Feelings*,  
Gillian Shields & Georgie Birkett (Illustrator)
- *Thank You, Mr. Panda*,  
Steve Antony (Author & Illustrator) 📖
- *Vegetables in Underwear*,  
Jared Chapman (Author & Illustrator)

## AGES 3–5 (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back Up Again*,  
Dan Santat (Author & Illustrator)
- *Be Brave, Little Penguin*,  
Giles Andreae & Guy Parker-Rees (Illustrator)
- *Clifford the Big Red Dog*,  
Norman Bridwell (Author & Illustrator) 📖
- *Dear Girl*,  
Amy Krouse Rosenthal & Paris Rosenthal;  
Holly Hatam (Illustrator)
- *Dragons Love Tacos 2: The Sequel*,  
Adam Rubin & Daniel Salmieri (Illustrator) 📖
- *Ducks Away!*,  
Mem Fox & Judy Horacek (Illustrator)
- *Groovy Joe: Dance Party Countdown*,  
Eric Litwin & Tom Lichtenheld (Illustrator) 📖
- *How to Find a Fox*,  
Nilah Magruder (Author & Illustrator)
- *I Can Be Anything! Don't Tell Me I Can't*,  
Diane Dillon (Author & Illustrator)
- *I Don't Want to Be a Frog*,  
Dev Petty & Mike Boldt (Illustrator)
- *Love*,  
Matt de La Peña & Loren Long (Illustrator)
- *Mama Lion Wins the Race*,  
Jon J. Muth (Author & Illustrator)
- *Not Quite Narwhal*,  
Jessie Sima (Author & Illustrator)
- *Otter Goes to School*,  
Sam Garton (Author & Illustrator)
- *Pass the Ball, Mo!*,  
David A. Adler & Sam Ricks (Illustrator)
- *Pig the Winner*,  
Aaron Blabey (Author & Illustrator) 📖
- *Princess Truly in I Am Truly*,  
Kelly Greenawalt & Amariah Rauscher (Illustrator)
- *Robinson*,  
Peter Sis (Author & Illustrator)
- *StoryPlay™: Is Your Mama a Llama?*,  
Deborah Guarino & Steven Kellogg (Illustrator)
- *The Magician's Hat*,  
Malcolm Mitchell & Dennis Campay;  
Joanne Lew-Vriethoff (Illustrator)
- *The Princess and the Warrior*,  
Duncan Tonatiuh (Author & Illustrator) 📖
- *Tiny and the Big Dig*,  
Sherri Duskey Rinker & Matt Myers (Illustrator)
- *Truck Full of Ducks*,  
Ross Burach (Author & Illustrator)
- *Unplugged*,  
Steve Antony (Author & Illustrator)
- *Why Am I Me?*,  
Paige Britt; Selina Alko & Sean Qualls (Illustrators)












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



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## AGES 6–8 (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *Bad Kitty: Camp Daze*,  
Nick Bruel (Author & Illustrator) 
- *Before She Was Harriet*,  
Lesa Cline-Ransome & James Ransome (Illustrator)
- *Boxcar Children Great Adventures #3: The Detour of the Elephants*,  
Gertrude Chandler Warner & Anthony VanArdsdale (Illustrator) 
- *Dog Man and Cat Kid*,  
Dav Pilkey (Author & Illustrator) 
- *Dog on a Frog?*,  
Kes Gray & Clare Gray; Jim Field (Illustrator)
- *Fly Guy's Big Family*,  
Tedd Arnold (Author & Illustrator) 
- *Get a Hit, Mo!*,  
David Adler & Sam Ricks (Illustrator)
- *Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History*,  
Vashti Harrison (Author & Illustrator)
- *Magic School Bus Rides Again: Sink or Swim*,  
Judy Katschke & Artful Doodles Ltd. (Illustrator) 
- *Malala's Magic Pencil*,  
Malala Yousafzai & Kerascoët (Illustrator)
- *Mr. Wolf's Class*,  
Aron Nels Steinke (Author & Illustrator)
- *Narwhal: Unicorn of the Sea*,  
Ben Clanton (Author & Illustrator)
- *Owl Diaries #8: Eva and the Lost Pony*,   
Rebecca Elliott (Author & Illustrator)
- *Press Start!: Super Rabbit Boy vs. Super Rabbit Boss!*,   
Thomas Flintham (Author & Illustrator)
- *Purrmaids: The Scaredy Cat*,  
Sudipta Bardhan-Quallen & Vivien Wu (Illustrator) 
- *The Bad Guys in Alien vs. Bad Guys*,   
Aaron Blabey (Author & Illustrator)
- *The Gruffalo*,  
Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler (Illustrator)
- *The Legend of Rock Paper Scissors*,  
Drew Daywalt & Adam Rex (Illustrator)
- *The Princess in Black and the Mysterious Playdate*,   
Shannon Hale & Dean Hale & LeUyen Pham (Illustrator)
- *The Word Collector*,  
Peter H. Reynolds (Author & Illustrator)
- *Toy Academy: Some Assembly Required*,  
Brian Lynch & Edwardian Taylor (Illustrator)
- *What if You Had Animal Eyes?*,  
Sandra Markle & Howard McWilliam (Illustrator)
- *Whatever After: Two Peas in a Pod*,   
Sarah Mlynowski
- *Who Would Win?: Ultimate Jungle Rumble*,  
Jerry Pallotta & Rob Bolster (Illustrator)

## AGES 9–11 (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *A Wrinkle in Time*,  
Madeleine L'Engle
- *American Girl Luciana: Braving the Deep*,   
Erin Teagen & Lucy Truman (Illustrator)
- *Aru Shah and the End of Time*,  
Roshani Chokshi
- *Bears of Ice: The Quest of the Cubs*,   
Kathryn Lasky
- *Captain Underpants and the Sensational Saga of Sir Stinks-A-Lot*,   
Dav Pilkey (Author & Illustrator)
- *Detention of Doom (DC Comics: Secret Hero Society #3)*,   
Derek Fridolfs & Dustin Nguyen (Illustrator)
- *Dragon Rider: The Griffin's Feather*,  
Cornelia Funke & Laura Ellen Anderson (Illustrator)
- *I Survived the Children's Blizzard, 1888*,   
Lauren Tarshis
- *Marley Dias Gets It Done: And So Can You!*,  
Marley Dias
- *Martin Rising: Requiem for a King*,  
Andrea Davis Pinkney & Brian Pinkney (Illustrator)
- *Me, Frida, and the Secret of the Peacock Ring*,  
Angela Cervantes
- *Out of the Wild Night*,  
Blue Balliett
- *Real Friends*,  
Shannon Hale & LeUyen Pham (Illustrator)
- *Save Me a Seat*,  
Sarah Weeks & Gita Varadarajan (Authors)
- *Shadow House: No Way Out (Book 3)*,   
Dan Poblocki
- *Swing It, Sunny*,  
Jennifer L. Holm (Author) & Matthew Holm (Illustrator)
- *The Apprentice Witch*,  
James Nicol (Author & Illustrator)
- *The Journey of Little Charlie*,  
Christopher Paul Curtis
- *The Parker Inheritance*,  
Varian Johnson
- *The Secret of Nightingale Wood*,  
Lucy Strange
- *The Serpent's Secret (Kiranmala and the Kingdom Beyond)*,  
Sayantani DasGupta (Author & Illustrator)
- *The Witch Boy*,  
Molly Knox Ostertag
- *What Would She Do?: 25 True Stories of Trailblazing Rebel Women*,  
Kay Woodward (Author & Illustrators)
- *Whatshisface*,  
Gordon Korman
- *The Dragonet Prophecy (Wings of Fire, The Graphic Novel #1)*,   
Tui T. Sutherland & Mike Holmes (Illustrator)




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## AGES 12–14 (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *Amina's Voice*,  
Hena Khan
- *Awkward #2: Brave*,  
Svetlana Chmakova (Author & Illustrator) 
- *Brown Girl Dreaming*,  
Jacqueline Woodson
- *Echo*,  
Pam Muñoz Ryan
- *Flying Lessons & Other Stories*,  
Ellen Oh
- *Harry Potter and the Cursed Child, Parts One and Two*,  
J.K. Rowling, Jack Thorne & John Tiffany
- *Irena's Children: Young Readers Edition;  
A True Story of Courage*,  
Mary Cronk Farrell & Tilar J. Mazzeo
- *Live in Infamy*,  
Caroline Tung Richmond
- *Magisterium: The Bronze Key*,  
Holly Black and Cassandra Clare 
- *Magnus Chase and the Gods of Asgard:  
The Sword of Summer*, Rick Riordan 
- *Marvel's Black Panther: The Junior Novel*,  
Jim McCann
- *Miles Morales: Spider-Man*,  
Jason Reynolds & Kadir Nelson (Illustrator)
- *Not If I Save You First*,  
Ally Carter
- *One True Way*,  
Shannon Hitchcock
- *Outcasts United: An American Town, a Refugee Team,  
and One Woman's Quest to Make a Difference*,  
Warren St. John
- *Piecing Me Together*,  
Renee Watson
- *Rebound*,  
Kwame Alexander
- *Refugee*,  
Alan Gratz
- *Restart*,  
Gordon Korman
- *The Girl Who Drank the Moon*,  
Kelly Barnhill
- *The War Below*,  
Marsha Forchuk Skrypuch
- *This Is Just a Test*,  
Wendy Wan-Long Shang & Madelyn Rosenberg
- *Turn It Up!*,  
Jen Calonita
- *Ugly: A Beautiful True Story About One Very Ugly Kid*,  
Robert Hoge
- *War Horse*,  
Michael Morpugo

## YOUNG ADULT (By Title, Author & Illustrator)

- *A Thousand Beginnings and Endings*,  
Ellen Oh & Elsie Chapman
- *All American Boys*,  
Jason Reynolds & Brandon Kiely
- *All the Crooked Saints*,  
Maggie Stiefvater
- *Chasing King's Killer:  
The Hunt for Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Assassin*,  
James L. Swanson
- *Disappeared*,  
Francisco X. Stork
- *Don't Cosplay with My Heart*,  
Cecil Castellucci
- *Gentleman's Guide to Vice and Virtue*,  
Mackenzi Lee
- *Girl in a Bad Place*,  
Kaitlin Ward
- *Give Me Some Truth*,  
Eric Gansworth
- *Kill the Boy Band*,  
Goldy Moldavsky
- *Listen to Your Heart*,  
Kasie West
- *R.I.P. Eliza Hart*,  
Alyssa Sheinmel
- *Rad American Women A-Z: Rebels, Trailblazers, and  
Visionaries who Shaped Our History... and Our Future!*,  
Kate Schatz & Miriam Klein Stahl (Illustrator)
- *Same But Different, Teen Life on the Autism Express*,  
Holly Robinson Peete, Ryan Elizabeth Peete, & RJ Peete
- *The Astonishing Color of After*,  
Emily X.R. Pan
- *The Bone Witch*,  
Rin Chupeco
- *The Fandom*,  
Anna Day
- *The Hate U Give*,  
Angie Thomas
- *The Kidney Hypothetical Or How to Ruin Your Life in Seven  
Days*, Lisa Yee
- *The Traitor's Game*,  
Jennifer A. Nielsen
- *They Both Die at the End*,  
Adam Silvera
- *Turtles All the Way Down*,  
John Green
- *When Dimple Met Rishi*,  
Sandhya Menon
- *Worthy*,  
Donna Cooner

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