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- 2 Enter your books online and or use the paper logs to track your child's progress.
- 3 After each 100 book milestone, visit the library to receive your reward.
- 4 When your child reaches 1000 books read, stop into the library and get a certificate and reward! Your child may also put their name on our 1000 milestone sign.

Let the library help you get a jumpstart on your child's success in school.

## FAQ's

How do we read 1000 books by kindergarten?

It's easy!

- 1 book per day for 3 years = 1095
- 10 books per week for 2 years = 1040
- 3 books a day for 1 year = 1095

Do we have to read only books from the library?

Nope, any age appropriate books count! No matter where you get them or how many times you read them -- they all count!

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