

\*Read\* a Book  
About Colors or Counting

Read To  
a Stuffed or Pet

Read a Book with  
an Animal on the Cover

# A Challenge for Pre-Readers

Read a Book that Rhymes

Read a  
Board Book

Read in Bed

Read any 5 books by Aug 6 &  
receive 2 tickets to the Bells Game  
on August 7 \* (see back of sheet for details)

Your Choice!



Tickets Received  
(staff initials)

Read by Flashlight

# Summer Reading with Village Books - 2022

Draw A Favorite Book Character  
(here or on a separate sheet of paper)

Act Out a Story

Read a Book Recommended  
by Friend or Family Member

\* "Read" for this level usually means being read to. Reading aloud  
with a child is one of the most important things you can do to  
prepare them for a lifetime of learning.

Your Choice!

Read Outside



Complete all 15 squares by  
Aug. 31 to receive your  
rewards

Re-read One of Your  
Favorite Books

Sing your ABCs

A B C...

Challenge Completed!

Don't forget to enter the drawing!  
VB staff initials



# Take the 2022 Village Books SUMMER READING CHALLENGE FOR PRE-READERS

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

## What do you need to do?

- “Read” your way along the game board and write the titles in the appropriate spaces. Feel free to use a separate piece of paper if the spaces are too small and for drawing the picture. Please do not use the same book more than once. NOTE: We have a different challenge form for early through middle readers plus a Summer Bingo Card for Y.A. and adult readers. Pick which summer challenge works best for you and have fun!

- **“Write” a Book Recommendation**

Choose a favorite book and tell us what you like about it on the provided recommendation slip - we’ll hang them up in the store! Pre-reader/writers will need help transcribing. Don’t have our slip? Make your own! Include the title, author, why you like the book, and the age and name of the person making the recommendation. This is not required at this level but highly encouraged.

- **Rewards**

Complete all 15 blocks by Aug. 31 and receive a \$5 GIFT CERTIFICATE for Village Books & Paper Dreams, a COUPON for 20% off an item of their choice, and a certificate for a delicious TREAT - a gift to you from our favorite neighbors! \*Bonus: Finish at least 5 squares by Aug. 6 and receive two tickets to the Bellingham Bells Game on Aug. 7 (*while supplies last*). Note: kids 12 and under get into games free on Sundays this year so these tickets can be used by parents, grandparents, or older siblings. A win-win! Go Bells!



- **Deadline is Wednesday, August 31, 2022.** Limit 1 form per reader.

Completed forms can be turned in at Village Books in either Fairhaven or Lynden. Our staff will initial that you’ve completed the challenge and you can either keep it for posterity or leave it with us - it’s up to you. With your rewards will be a slip that you need to complete to be entered into the drawing.

***Do NOT forget to sign up for drawing***

## WIN \$100 FOR YOUR SCHOOL!

When you show us your completed challenge form, you’ll be asked to enter a drawing. If we draw your slip, Village Books will donate a \$100 gift certificate to YOUR SCHOOL LIBRARY! If the winner does not attend a school, we will donate to the charity of their choice.

The winner will be selected in September.



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