

How to Sign up for Summer Reading 2021 with



1. Go to <https://miltonlibrary.org/youth/summer-reading/> (also known as the Reading Programs page under Youth)
2. Click on "Click here to sign in" and you will be taken to Beanstack
3. Choose "Register an Individual or Family"
4. Answer the questions that ensue. New this year: the user will be asked if they have used Beanstack before - and if they have, they will be directed to sign in instead of creating an additional account!
5. When you have reading to report, come back to the Beanstack page, sign in (top right corner) using your username and password, and log away!

Note: Summer Reading will be added to the homepage of our website soon.

How to Sign In to the Staff Account

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3. Click on Sign In (top right corner)
4. **Username: XXXXXX, Password: XXXXXX**
5. From here you can look up a user's profile (click on People, search for them by name), see their username, award free book prizes, and change their password if they have forgotten it.

Other Things to Know

1. Students from the Milton Public Elementary Schools are required to participate in our program. On Friday, June 10, every MPS elementary student will register online for summer reading as their homework assignment. If they need assistance, they may call or email us for help.
2. If someone has forgotten their password, change it to the default: **XXXXXX**
3. Badges: Participants will earn badges when they reach certain milestones, such as registering for the program, reading for a particular amount of time, completing activities, or attending library programs. These badges are VIRTUAL and you are not handing anything out.
4. Prizes that kids can win this year:
 - a. Free book: they will select it from a labeled cart that will be kept in the Children's Office.
 - b. \$1 Donation on their behalf to the Milton Animal League. They will be alerted via email that they have won this prize. The money has been provided by the Milton Rotary.
 - c. VIRTUAL TICKETS FOR DRAWINGS. There are no actual tickets. Readers will be emailed each time they receive a ticket, and then they will have the option to put that ticket into drawings for various prizes:
 - i. gift cards to Sweet Frog, the Toy Box in Hanover, Blue Bunny and McGolf (in Dedham)
 - ii. swag bags of Tails & Tales stuff
 - iii. activity/craft kits selected by the Children's RoomThe drawings will occur on/around August 23.
5. If a parent has registered all of their kids under a single account, you can click on their name (top right corner) in order to switch between readers, or to add a reader to that family.
6. Accounts can be reused from year to year, and a child's Log is cumulative. However, if you want to see just the log for this year's challenge, you can see it when you go into the reader's account under the current reading challenge. That will take you directly to the Challenge Log, not the overall log.