

# SPLASH INTO Reading this SUMMER!

Summertime is finally here! We made it and accomplished so much in reading this year. Let's keep it up this summer and make a SPLASH INTO READING!

In order to prevent our reading levels from floating backwards, NJES is challenging ALL students to READ, READ, READ throughout the summer! We want students to read at least 1,000 minutes\* during our summer break. (25 minutes, 5 days a week reading, or however you would like to fit it into your schedule).

Attached is your "SPLASH TRACKER" where you will color in a wave each time you read 25 minutes. Be sure to check out the NJES Summer Reading website at <http://njes-summer-reading.weebly.com>! Visit this website to enter the total number of minutes read during the month of June. Times can be submitted during the week of July 1-6. We will post the total number of minutes read and update you on our top readers and top grade levels on Facebook and Twitter.

In August, have your parent sign the Splash Tracker, and bring it back to school to turn in to your new teacher. All students who meet the challenge will be recognized in our first annual celebration! This challenge is a wonderful way to keep your mind strong all summer long! Can you make a SPLASH INTO READING?

Good Luck,

NJES Teachers

\*Students who need reading support can have books read to them for their 1,000 minutes of reading.

\*\*We know there are students who need even more challenges, so read the back to see other challenge opportunities!

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## Extra Challenges:

1. Scholastic Summer Reading Challenge: <http://www.scholastic.com/summer/>

2. Barnes and Noble Summer Reading:

<http://www.barnesandnoble.com/u/summerreading/379003570>

3. Summer Break with Book It: <http://www.bookitprogram.com/summer>

4. Book Adventure: <http://www.bookadventure.com/Home.aspx>

5. Jefferson Library Summer Program: <http://jefferson.prlib.org/>

6. Talmo Library Summer Program: <http://talmo.prlib.org/>

7. More great reads:

[http://gcba.coe.uga.edu/wpcontent/uploads/2014/03/GCBA\\_4\\_8\\_Nominees\\_2014\\_2015\\_Final.pdf](http://gcba.coe.uga.edu/wpcontent/uploads/2014/03/GCBA_4_8_Nominees_2014_2015_Final.pdf)

**E-Books:** Visit the NJES Summer Reading Website for instructions.