



# Summer Reading

Summer is here! Reading should be an integral part of those hot and hazy, sun filled days. Let's read our way through the summer months with some fun summer reading BINGO boards! I am hoping this will be a motivating way encourage your little reader! Of course, this is not something your kiddo has to do, but it sure is a great way to avoid that "Summer Slide!" Here's how it works:

1. Set a reading goal with your kiddo. This means determine the number of minutes your child should read in order to cross off each box on the BINGO board. 15 minutes of reading is a great starting point!
2. Your child can look at the BINGO board and decide which way he or she would like to read. Then, start reading! You may choose to have your child read independently, but it's always fun to snuggle up and read together, too!
3. When your kiddo has read for the determined number of minutes, he or she can cross off that box on the chart.
4. Work for 5 X's in a row (across, down, or diagonal) to get a BINGO!
5. Feel free to celebrate your young reader after each BINGO with rewards like: encouragement, praise, or even small prizes!
6. Each month, shoot for 3 or 4 BINGOS on the same BINGO board. You could even try for a "blackout" and finish the whole chart! Attached, there is a new board for June, July, and August.
7. To help you celebrate your summer reading success, meet me on the playground at Sheridan Elementary School with your BINGO board! Show me your hard work and earn a sweet summer treat!

I'll be at the Sheridan playground on the following dates. I hope to see you there too! Happy Summer to you all!



Tuesday, June 25, 2019 at 7:00 PM

Wednesday, July 24, 2019 at 7:00 PM

Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at 7:00 PM



Sincerely, Mrs. Swanson

Call or text me with any questions: 231.675.3163

If you happen to lose your BINGO boards...no worries! Just visit [karryswanson.weebly.com](http://karryswanson.weebly.com) and click on the "I NEED THAT" tab!

