



EXPLORE YOUR WORLD

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

How should one incorporate reading into their child's life? Our answer: early and often! Regular reading to and with your child is a great way to give them a strong foundation for learning how to read, and for learning how to learn. Reading gives us the freedom to navigate the world around us, to learn new things, to communicate, and to escape. That's why we named our 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program Explore Your World, because by helping your child learn to read, you are helping unlock the world around them.

Here's how to play:

Every time you read a book with your child your child can color in one space on the bookmark log. You can read any material or format, or even listen to audiobooks, whatever kind of reading works for you and your family! For every 100 books you log, your child receives a small prize, just give us a call to check in with a Youth Services staff member so we can set aside your incentive upstairs to claim at the holds pickup desk and give you your next logs.

What happens when I finish?

When you finish, call the library and we will set aside your Explore Your World diploma and your final prize so you can claim it at the holds pickup desk.

Can I read the same book over and over again?

Absolutely! In fact, we encourage it. Repetition is great for little minds.

What if I prefer to keep things digital?

You're in luck! You can also participate in the program through Beanstack, the online reading tracker. Just use your email to sign in at fppl.beanstack.org or use the free Beanstack Tracker app to get started and earn digital badges. If you would like to redeem any physical incentives, just call us to check in, and we will set your items aside for you to claim at the holds pickup desk.

Got Questions?

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