

1000 BOOKS CHALLENGE

(Our customized version of 1000 Books Before Kindergarten)

This program is designed to help children 0-6(ish) increase their early literacy skills. We want to extend the reach of the program to children who have not yet completed Grade 1.

How Does it Work? Parents/Caregivers will assist their child in completing a book tracking sheet - coloring in one gumball for every book read. When the sheet is complete, return it to the library for a small prize and a new tracking sheet for the next level.

What Books Count? Any! All stories read to your child by anyone in their life (or by themselves) count. Stories read at story-time also count! You can even read the same book over and over and it counts each time!

When Does the Program End? Your child's end date is whenever they have read and tracked 1000 books or their last day of 1st grade - whatever comes first.

How Long Does it Take to Read 1000 Books? It depends on how regularly you read with your child. If you read 3 books/day - you'll finish in less than 1 year! If you read 1 book/day - you'll finish in less than 3 years.

Pick up a sign-up packet today!