

SUMMER READING PROGRAMS AT NGES



Do you realize that when you don't read over the summer, you might fall behind? Well, we don't want this to happen to you. Whenever you open a book, you will find yourself going on an adventure. Here are some wonderful summer reading programs. Books can come from anywhere (your home, a friend, public library, eBooks, etc). You can read online through the Capstone Virtual Summer Camp (listed below) or NGES's Destiny Online Library Catalog – Destiny Discover. **Challenge yourself to 20 minutes of reading a day or 5 novel-length books over the summer.**

When you finish reading the book, record the title on your Barnes and Noble Reading Log & Jefferson Madison Regional Library (JMRL) Beanstack app/site or printed challenge sheet. **1 book = counts for both reading programs if you would like a prize!**

Programs:

Capstone's Virtual Summer Camp: All students and families can visit website - bit.ly/capstonesummerchoiceboard24 to access this 12-week fun summer learning and reading adventure with our friends at Capstone. The choice boards are filled with reading, making, healthy ideas and resources, coding, sticker boards, stem, technology and more. You can access 120 Capstone eBooks for free - no passwords needed. Kids can find the link on our school's library Destiny Discover too!

Barnes & Noble: After reading 8 books – you earn a free book from Barnes & Noble. *Take your reading journal to the store to receive a free book between July 1 – Aug. 31 (only 1 free book per student for the entire summer).

Jefferson Madison Regional Library: From June 3 – August 31, earn prizes & a chance for a grand prize by using the app from jmrl.beanstack.org or a printed challenge sheet (See attached forms for more info!) Join them for their **Summer Kickoff Party on June 3rd from 6 – 7:30 pm.** <https://www.jmrl.org/pr-challenges.htm>

Plus, visit our local public library to check out books = there are no fines for overdue books!

Ms. McInturff's Virtually Book'd for Summer Challenge – On Destiny Discover, you will find a Google Slide with 13 of our school's eBooks to read. Can you read them this summer?

If you lose anything, visit our school's web page to find access to this flyer and forms. It will be posted in three locations on **our school's web page:**

1. At the bottom of our home page, in the News & Announcement section
2. Under the large pictures at the top, click on the Library Media Center link. Then on the left side look for the Summer Reading Program link
3. At top right, click on Menu > Students > Destiny Library Catalog > NGES > Destiny Discover

Don't forget to check out the many eBooks we have in our **Destiny Online Catalog in **Destiny Discover**. When you login, you can read from the monthly virtual library icons, World Book eBooks (located inside the Reference Materials icon), Destiny eBooks, Storyline Online, and much more. On Destiny Discover, you will find plenty of options for online reading!

Destiny Online Catalog (access the catalog by going to Greene County Public Schools, clicking on Students, and then click on Destiny Library Catalog).

Login: firstname.lastname (all lowercase, no space, & dot in-between first and last name) password: lunch number only
example: Login: samuel.morrison password: 12345

To access the Reference Materials icon for World Book resources or our Destiny eBooks on Destiny Discover, you will be asked to sign in to your Google account.

Username: first.lastname@greencountyschools.com Password: lunch number abc
example: sarah.doe@greencountyschools.com password: 123456abc

Happy summer reading!

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