

Research shows that:

Reading Books & Sharing Stories with children

is one of the BEST ways to help them enter school with the language skills they need to be ready to learn and grow.

1,000 BOOKS before kindergarten

Sponsored by the Friends of Mattapoisett Free Public Library

Here's how to participate:

- Sign up for the program at the library to receive a free book bag and your first reading log
- Fill a circle for every book your child hears
- Remember to include stories that your child hears at library storytimes, in preschool and daycare; any and all books and stories count, even if it's the same story over and over
- When you fill out 100 books, bring back the completed log into the library and we'll give you another one, along with your rewards.
- Rewards
 - For every 100 books receive an achievement button and a photo opportunity
 - 500 books receive a free book
 - 1,000 books your child will get a reading buddy and a book.
- If you read just 4 books a week, your child will have read 1,000 books in five years!



Mattapoisett Free Public Library

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My Reading Log

1,000 BOOKS before kindergarten

My Name: _____

My Library: _____

Log ____ of 10

Fill in a circle every time
you read a book. By the end,
you'll have read 100 books!

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Have Children select books
that appeal to their interests.

Children often enjoy the same book or
story multiple times. Be sure to count all times
you've read the story.



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Challenge your family to read 1,000 books before Kindergarten - it's a great way to have fun & motivate the whole family!