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Summer Reading Programs to Build a Better World

The summer reading program is gearing up for readers of all ages June 1 – Aug. 15.

Stop by any library branch to participate and pick up a reading record. In addition to a paper log, there is an opportunity to participate online by registering [here](#). The online programs allow individuals to share reading lists and review books.

Summer programs include visits from Emmet from *The LEGO Movie* and Bob the Builder, the use of STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) kits involving crafts and experiments and much more. A key goal of the summer reading programming is to maintain reading skills during the summer, and research has shown that time spent reading is effective in stopping the “summer slide.”

As readers progress toward reading goals, they become eligible for prizes and (for teens and adults) drawings for gift cards. All prizes are limited to one per person, are available while supplies last.

For more information visit www.cumberland.lib.nc.us or call (910) 483-7727.

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