



# SUMMER READING

## BINGO

As you complete each task, record the title for the book you read (ok to abbreviate). Which column, row, or diagonal will you complete first? Can you fill the entire card?

<p>Read a book that was made into a movie.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read aloud to a sibling or family member.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>SWAP favorite books with a friend.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Reread a beloved book.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a nonfiction book.</p> <p>Title:</p>
<p>Read a book that is a MIRROR.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Listen to an audio story.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a magazine about a topic of interest.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a book outside.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read an award-winning book.</p> <p>Title:</p>
<p>Draw a picture about something you read.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a genre that you don't usually read.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p><b>FREE CHOICE!</b></p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a book that is a WINDOW.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a book about something in history.</p> <p>Title:</p>
<p>Read a book that takes place in a different country.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Write or tell someone about an alternate ending to a story you read.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read for 60 minutes.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a story or book with a one-word title.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a newspaper article and talk to someone about it.</p> <p>Title:</p>
<p>Read a book about something that happens in the future.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read another book that is either a WINDOW or a MIRROR.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a book of poetry and find a favorite to share with a relative or friend.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Have a "reading party" with friends and treats.</p> <p>Title:</p>	<p>Read a book from the Summer Reading List</p> <p>Title:</p>

# Suggestions for Use:

(Modified from Scholastic)

## How to Play Reading Bingo

1. Print out one copy of the “Summer Reading Bingo” sheet for each of your children.
2. Talk with your children about how the game is played. The card includes 25 different reading-related challenges. As each task is completed, your child can fill in the title of the book read on his or her bingo card. It’s okay to abbreviate the title to fit the space allotted.
3. Have your children start reading!

## More Hints & Tips

- Your younger readers may need a little help in choosing titles to suit each of the bingo tasks. You might also select books to help complete some of the tasks together during your regular read-aloud time.
- Looking for the perfect book to complete a task? Head out for a visit to your local library and ask the librarian for suggestions, or **check out the “Brookline Summer Reading” lists!**
- **Incentivise the bingo sheet!** You might like to agree to a small incentive for each row, column, or diagonal completed, or plan a special treat or celebration for the completion of a whole card (or even one square).
- The reference to books that are “Windows and Mirrors” comes from the national campaign for promoting diverse books. “Windows” are books, movies, art, etc that offer you a view into someone else’s experience. “Mirrors” are stories that reflect your culture/reality and help you understand yourself.