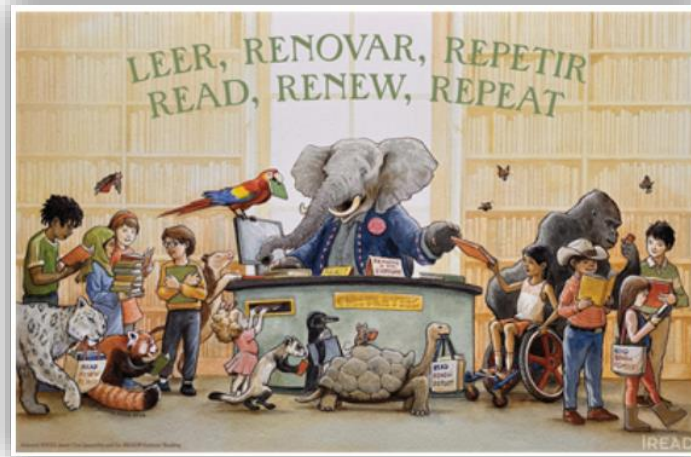




Summer Reading Program 2024

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What is the Summer Reading Program? Summer is an important time for students to keep reading and improve their language skills. The Summer Reading Program helps prevent summer learning loss. These programs also foster the love of reading and motivates students to stay academically sharp for the next school year. There is so much to see, so much to do at your library! There is no better place to take your children. The library is a place to learn, read, and have fun, a place the whole family can enjoy.

The theme this year is Read, Renew, Repeat! This summer the El Centro Library will have programs and activities for all ages. Registration for Summer Reading Program will be available beginning June 10, 2024.

Register online from June 10-14, 2024 at www.cityofelcentro.org/library



Books are a terrific source to cultivate the imagination. Come to the library, and imagine with us!

What do I need to join? We are offering our summer reading program for the entire family; children, teens and adults can join our program for free! Join us for incentives like free books.

- All participants must have a valid library card to check out books. Books must be checked out from the El Centro Library in order to receive credit for reading.
- Each participant will be given a reading log to keep his/her own record. Do not forget to fill out your reading log before returning your books to the library.
- All reading logs must be turned in by July 15, 2024. **(No Exceptions).**

A mix of learning and fun, where we don't just include reading activities, but also interactive games and presentations all for free.

What programs will be featured?

Some of the more artistic and creative events include a tie-dye class, a jewelry-making class, a vision board class, a scrapbooking class, a fan paint class and much more. *(Program for Adults & Teens only)*

Obstacle courses will be hosted by the El Centro Police Department (June 20 and July 16) and El Centro Fire Department (June 27). *(Program for Children only)*

Animal adventures will take place with a returning presentation by Wild Wonders who will be here twice, and will show off animals and educate students on the animal kingdom. *(Family Presentation)*

“The Compost King,” Vincent Zazueta, will teach the importance of plants and share composting facts with programs for the entire family. *(Family Program)*

Every Friday we will have open activities like giant jenga, giant tic tac toe, giant puzzles, cornhole. Local superheroes, Batman, Superman, Wonder Woman and Mario Bros Pals will be visiting the Library. *(Family Presentation)*

What happens at the end of the program?

For adults and teens that complete the 6-week program by turning in the reading log by July 15th, will receive a certificate of completion and a special prize on July 22nd.

School aged only (1st to 6th grade) who complete the 6-week program and turn in their reading log by July 15th, will receive a certificate of completion and will be given library money to spend for prizes on July 23rd to celebrate.

For preschool aged only that complete the 6-week program by turning in the reading log by July 15th, will receive a certificate of completion and a special prize on July 24th.

Reading logs must be turned in by July 15th. (No Exceptions)

Every week we will have individual flyers with more detailed information on each week's activities posted on our website <https://cityofelcentro.org/library/>

Adults must accompany children under the age of 10 years old.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at 760-337-4565.

