## Welcome to Summer Reading 2024

## Entering Grades PreK-Fifth



Dear LPS Students and Families,

It's summer reading time! The summer months provide the perfect opportunity for children to relax and read for enjoyment and discover new favorites. It is also an excellent time to encourage and support your child to read for knowledge. In addition, summer reading maintains acquired language arts skills and supports reading development. Studies have shown that children who read and continue to work on academic skills over the summer maintain and even advance in the skills developed during the school year.

At Livingston Public Schools, we have made literacy a priority at all grade levels. We need your help in ensuring that "our" children continue to read throughout the summer. Through sharing your reading life and being an example for your child, we partner together in encouraging students to develop a love of reading - our ultimate goal as a community.

Share the love of reading this summer! We encourage you to read to your child, have your child read to you, and support your child to read on their own. For your viewing pleasure, please watch, *Summer Reading with Dav Pilkey*.

Don't forget to spend time visiting our <u>LPS PreK-5 Summer Reading 2024</u> page for book recommendations and summer reading activities!

"When it comes to summer reading, it does not matter WHAT books students read, it matters THAT they read!" ~ Patty McGee



