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## READING RESOURCES

Reading opens up a world of new adventures and sparks the imagination.

Summer reading also helps students maintain their reading skills for the next school year. It prevents what researchers call the “summer reading slide.” Experts agree that children who don’t read can slide backward significantly during summer.

Children should engage in literacy activities all summer long to prevent summer reading loss. Children can read anything that interests them: books, magazines, ebooks, comics, newspapers, recipes, even the closed captioning option on the television!

## SUMMER READING IDEAS

- Visit the Bookstore
- Listen to books while driving
- Take turns reading
- Find fun places to read
- Swap books with a friend
- Go book shopping at a thrift store
- Read books, then watch the movie version and compare
- Read magazines and the newspaper
- Turn the caption feature on the TV & let young children read the captions
- Start a book club with friends
- Have a “summer reading” night
- Read to younger brothers or sisters
- Go to the public library



#READWITHMECCSD

## CCSD SUMMER READING PHOTO CONTEST

Share photos of your child or family reading this summer and you could win a prize!

Bring your books on break! The Clark County School District encourages students to continue building their reading skills over summer break - spending at least 30 minutes reading daily. Read anything from books to magazines to comic books.

Reading can happen anywhere, and CCSD would like to show off how our students read throughout the summer! Show us how you read by using hashtag #ReadwithmeCCSD or email your photo.

Post photos, including student’s first name and CCSD school, on social media (Instagram, Twitter, or Facebook - settings must allow public view) using hashtag #ReadwithmeCCSD. Or photos can be submitted via email to [communications@nv.ccsd.net](mailto:communications@nv.ccsd.net).

## LIBRARIES

Spending a day at the public library can be an adventure! Armed with a library card, children can explore new places, meet new people, and make new discoveries. Visit your local library branch to check out any of the recommended titles on our website. Did you know you can download free ebooks through the library’s website? Students and families have a wealth of reading materials available to them throughout the summer months.

Each library location has activities planned all summer long for students of all ages. In addition to borrowing books, kids can participate in reading clubs, story hours, puppet shows, and other fun family activities.

## LIBRARY SUMMER READING CHALLENGES

**North Las Vegas Library District**  
[engageccsd.link/NLV](https://engageccsd.link/NLV)

**Boulder City Library**  
[engageccsd.link/BoulderCity](https://engageccsd.link/BoulderCity)

**Las Vegas-Clark County Library District**  
[engageccsd.link/LVCC](https://engageccsd.link/LVCC)  
[engageccsd.link/LVCCSPANISH](https://engageccsd.link/LVCCSPANISH)

**Henderson Libraries**  
[engageccsd.link/Henderson](https://engageccsd.link/Henderson)

**CCSD Summer Reading Challenge Resources**  
[engageccsd.link/CCSDReads](https://engageccsd.link/CCSDReads)

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## SCIENCE

Summer vacation can be a fun time for kids, but it's also important to keep their minds engaged and learning. Help your students stay curious about the world around them and continue learning about science all summer long. Consider these ideas to keep your student engaged:

- Enroll in a science camp
- Visit science museums
- Conduct science experiments at home
- Read science books



## SCIENCE RESOURCES

[Discovery Children's Museum](#)

[Las Vegas Natural History Museum](#)

[The Neon Museum](#)

[Get Outdoors Nevada](#)

[Bureau of Land Management](#)

[CHOLLA](#)

## LITERACY

Literacy is always important, regardless of the time of year. It is especially important to continue practicing and developing literacy skills throughout summer. Here are a few reasons why:

- Prevents "summer slide"
- Expands vocabulary
- Increases comprehension
- Boosts imagination and creativity
- Enhances critical thinking

Literacy is essential for success in all subjects at school. By continuing to practice literacy skills during the summer, students can set themselves up for success in the upcoming school year and beyond.

## LITERACY RESOURCES

[Storyline Online](#)

[Free Children's Stories](#)

[ABCya!](#)

[Storynory](#)

## MATH

Strong math skills are crucial for your child's academic and professional success in the future. During summer, students can continue practicing math at home. By incorporating math games, puzzles, and real-life examples into daily activities, students can continue to develop critical thinking skills, problem-solving skills, and analytical skills. Using math in everyday situations could look like:

- Measuring ingredients while cooking
- Calculating change or taxes while shopping
- Counting objects while playing.

## MATH RESOURCES

[Khan Academy](#)

[Math Playground](#)

[IXL](#)

[NCTM - Figure This!](#)

