



# Summer Reading Challenge



## Marvellous Makers

- You can join the challenge by visiting your local library any time from **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July** and telling library staff that you'd like to join the **Summer Reading Challenge**.
- If you can't make it into your local library, then you can also join in with the reading challenge online via the **Summer Reading Challenge website**. Scan the red QR code (bottom right) for the website.
- We are challenging you to visit your library three times and read six books during the summer holidays - it doesn't matter what you read as long as you enjoy what you read!
- With each of your three library visits we'll have some little goodies to give you - such as stickers.
- When you complete your challenge, you'll receive a certificate to take home and keep. Bring your certificate into school for us to share in assembly and collect your Dojo points. What a way to start the school year!
- There are lots of fun reading related events taking place locally over the summer. Some of these are shown below:

**blender**  
**Carse and Waterman**  
3D Computer Animation Workshop

Kick start your animation journey! Understand how to use Blender, a free 3D animation software, and bring your ideas to life. Learn how to create simple animations in this exclusive event with Stoke-on-Trent's Award-Winning Animation production company.

Stoke Library  
Wednesday 31 July  
11:00am - 12noon

Suitable for children aged 9+

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Limited places. Booking required. Children attending must be library members and must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

**ZOO LAB**  
Meet exotic animals at your library!

Book your place now to experience an amazing and inspirational session. You will learn all about exotic animals through these interactive encounters.

Meir Library (Main Hall)  
Tuesday 30 July  
2pm - 3pm

City Central Library  
Monday 19 August  
11am - 12noon

Longton Library  
Wednesday 21 August  
10:45am - 11:45am

Bentilee Library (Main Hall)  
Friday 30 August  
2pm - 3pm

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Suitable for children aged 4+

Limited places. Booking required. Children attending must be library members and must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Scan the QR code below for a full list of events and dates.



**GEEK RETREAT**  
You bring the ideas, we'll bring them to life!

Learn from the experts at your library. Design your own board game with the masters of table top entertainment. Offline and unplugged fun.

Longton Library  
Tuesday 23 July  
3pm - 4:30pm

Tunstall Library  
Wednesday 24 July  
3pm - 4:30pm

City Central Library  
Monday 29 July  
3pm - 4:30pm

Stoke Library  
Thursday 1 August  
3pm - 4:30pm

Bentilee Library  
Friday 2 August  
3pm - 4:30pm

Meir Library  
Friday 16 August  
3pm - 4:30pm

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Suitable for children aged 8+

Limited places. Booking required. Children attending must be library members and must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

**Sea Legs**  
Puppet Theatre

**Sealegs Puppet Theatre**  
Henry Clutterbuck and the Musicians of Bremen.

A classic fairy tale of friendship and courage. Enjoy a puppet extravaganza with immersive visuals and mesmerizing music.

Stoke Library  
Wednesday 14 August  
10:30am - 11:30am  
and  
2pm - 3pm

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Suitable for children aged 3+

Limited places. Booking required. Children attending must be library members and must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

**StIKLINGS**  
Roll up, roll up! Circus skills for everyone!

Join Stoke-on-Trent's premier provider of circus skills at your library. For all abilities in a safe environment.

Bentilee Library (Main Hall)  
Friday 26 July  
2pm - 3pm

Stoke Library  
Thursday 8 August  
10:30am - 11:30am

City Central Library  
Thursday 15 August  
2pm - 3pm

Meir Library (Main Hall)  
Friday 23 August  
2pm - 3pm

Longton Library  
Wednesday 28 August  
10:30am - 11:30am

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Suitable for children aged 5+

Limited places. Booking required. Children attending must be library members and must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Look out for our post about our Summer Reading Bingo challenge coming shortly!



If you complete the challenge, you will receive 20 dojos to start your school year in September!

