The 1-3 Summer Reading Program for Berry and Rockwell

Who is this program for?

All current and new students in grades 1-3 are expected to participate. The children may read independently or you may read to them. This program also fulfills the requirements for the state of Connecticut Governor's Summer Reading Challenge.

Where can we borrow the books?

Your library card may be used in any Connecticut library and we encourage you to visit all libraries in the area. The Bethel Public library has multiple copies of our recommended books at each grade level. Your child can also earn an extra reward by visiting the public library.

Note: Stop in and get your reading log stamped below.

How the program works

Students will be celebrating the fun of reading by earning chances for creative reading prizes. For every five reading days logged, the students will earn a raffle ticket. Students can also earn a raffle ticket by visiting the Bethel library. In September, tickets will be given based on the total reading days and all participants will have the opportunity to win a prize. At the first assembly of the year, names will be drawn and winners will be announced. Don't worry; every participant will go home with a recognition award. Summer reading brochures will be collected by classroom teachers. Please write in your titles on the Governor's Reading Challenge Log.

Enjoy your summer of reading!

LIBRARY VISIT STAMP HERE:

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What are the program's requirements?

1. Each student is encouraged to read a minimum of twenty minutes a day.
2. For every five days of reading logged, a student will earn one raffle ticket and the chance to win a prize.
3. This booklet should be completed with days logged and handed in to his/her teacher at the beginning of the school year.
4. All children are also required to list all titles of books they completed on the back of this form to be turned into the state as part of the Governor's Summer Reading Challenge. If needed, you can attach extra pages for additional titles.
5. Finally, your child can earn another raffle ticket by bringing in, with this flyer, a photo taken of them reading in their favorite spot. All pictures will be shared on our "Caught Reading" bulletin board. (Labeled photos will be returned)

Why participate?

- Increase language ability
- Develop a sense of left-to-right directionality
- Realize that print is a symbol for the spoken word
- Expand receptive and expressive vocabulary
- Appreciate the rhythm of the English language
- Understand that stories have a beginning, middle and an end
- Increase attention span
- Develop an appreciation for reading
- Foster the desire to read

View this brochure online at www.bethel.k12.ct.us

Be a Super Summer Reader

Summer Reading Program

Grades 1-3

SUMMER READING TIME LOG:

Please check the days read per week starting Sunday, June 17th.

TOTAL DAYS READ THIS SUMMER:

	Sunday start 06/17/12	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Total Days
June: week 1								
June: week 2								
July: week 3								
July: week 4								
July: week 5								
July: week 6								
August: week 7								
August: week 8								
August: week 9								
August: week 10								

THE GOVERNOR'S READING CHALLENGE LOG

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