

Summer 2018

Welcome to Elmdale Summer Reading!

Each summer most students lose some of the progress they have made at school the previous year. This is very common in reading. When students don't read all summer, they have to 'catch up' in fall. We've seen a great deal of success when students read for at least half the days of summer holidays (about 25 days).

Reading bingo is a fun way to keep track of the number of days your child reads or you read to your child (for children going into grade 1). Color in one square on the bingo card for each day your child reads or is read to. **Your child will earn a pizza party with the principal if s/he gets a 'black-out' (every square completed or colored in = 25 days). Return this bingo card to your child's new teacher in fall to be a part of the party.**

Please don't worry if there is an activity on the card that you can't do. You can create your own activity or repeat an activity. The activities in the squares are not the important part, having fun while reading is the goal.

If you lose a bingo card or want another one to fill up, they are available on our website to print off.

Happy summer reading!

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