

# 2024 Summer Reading Program Final Report

**Due Date:** Monday, September 9, 2024

**Introduction:** This survey asks libraries to report on activities, statistics, participation and collaboration for 2024 to help the State Library understand and share the impact of libraries as they continue to provide vital services and programs to communities, students and families. The State Library appreciates the efforts of all public library staff to support and offer engaging and creative Summer Reading and Learning programs to the communities they serve.

Email:

Name:

Library:

County:

1. Did your library offer a Summer Reading Program in 2024?
2. Did your library use the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries name and/or logo?
3. Did your library use any of the [Collaborative Summer Library Program \(CSLP\)](#), materials? (choose all that apply)
  - Slogan – Adventure Begins at Your Library
  - Manual
  - Artwork
  - Posters
  - Videos/PSAs
  - Did not use any CSLP Materials
4. Did your library use the [NYS Performers and Programs](#) database to book programs for Summer Reading?

## Reading Challenge

If your library tracked reading challenge participation, please indicate the number of individuals registered in each of the age groups your library tracked. Please indicate N/A if you did not track a specific category.

1. TOTAL number of children ages 0-5 who registered for/participated in the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries program in 2024:

2. TOTAL number of children ages 6-11 who registered for/participated in the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries program in 2024:
3. TOTAL number of all children who registered for/participated in the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries program in 2024:
4. TOTAL number of Young Adults ages 12- 18 who registered for/participated in the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries program in 2024:
5. TOTAL number of adults who registered for/participated in the Summer Reading @ New York Libraries program in 2024:

## Programs

Please note the revised wording and definition of library programs that appears in the latest annual report. A live program session is any planned event which introduces the group attending to library services or which provides information to participants. Program sessions may cover use of the library, library services, or library tours. Program sessions may also provide cultural, recreational, or educational information. Examples of these types of program sessions include, but are not limited to, film showings, lectures, story hours, literacy programs, citizenship classes, and book discussions.

- **Live Programs (previously named synchronous):** Live Programs now refers to everything that was previously called Synchronous Programs. Programs happening live or in-person (including virtual program sessions that are live-streamed) are now referred to as Live Program Sessions.
  - **Prerecorded Programs (previously named asynchronous):** Prerecorded Programs now refers to everything that was previously called Asynchronous Programs.
  - **Take and Make Activities:** Pre-packaged kits and activities for use off-site by patrons.
1. How many live in-person program sessions did your library offer for children ages 0-5 during summer 2024?
  2. How many live virtual (live-streamed) sessions did your library offer for children ages 0-5 during summer 2024?
  3. Total Attendance at all live programs for children ages 0-5:
  4. How many live in-person program sessions did your library offer for children ages 6-11 during summer 2024?

5. How many live virtual (live-streamed) sessions did your library offer for children ages 6-11 during summer 2024?
6. Total Attendance at all live programs for children ages 6-11:
7. How many live in-person program sessions did your library offer Young Adults ages 12-18 during summer 2024?
8. How many live virtual (live-streamed) sessions did your library offer for Young Adults ages 12-18 during summer 2024?
9. Total Attendance at all live programs for Young Adults ages 12-18:
10. How many live in-person program sessions did your library offer adults during summer 2024?
11. How many live virtual (live-streamed) sessions did your library offer for adults during summer 2024?
12. Total Attendance at all live programs for adults:
13. How many live programs (in-person and live-streamed) did your library offer parents/caregivers during summer 2024?
14. Total Attendance at all live programs for parents/caregivers:
15. How many prerecorded virtual programs did your library offer for children ages 0-5 during summer 2024?
16. Total Views for prerecorded virtual programs for children ages 0-5 in the first 30 days after posting:
17. How many prerecorded virtual programs did your library offer for children ages 6-11 during summer 2024?
18. Total Views for prerecorded virtual programs for children ages 6-11 in the first 30 days after posting:
19. How many prerecorded virtual programs did your library offer Young Adults ages 12-18 during summer 2024?

20. Total Views for prerecorded virtual programs for Young Adults ages 12-18 in the first 30 days after posting:
21. How many prerecorded virtual programs did your library offer adults during summer 2024?
22. Total Views for prerecorded virtual programs for adults in the first 30 days after posting:
23. How many total take and make or grab and go activities did you offer for Summer Reading 2024 (all ages)?
24. Total Participation in take and make or grab and go activities for Summer Reading 2024 (all ages):

## Collaborations

A collaborator is an organization that partners in some way such as providing space and/or services for a specific program, such as: a daycare bringing children to programs; an organization assisting with planning, outreach, or developing programs or providing programming; partnering with a school meal distribution site on Summer Reading programs or materials. It does not include donating money or items, distributing promotional materials (bookmarks/flyers) or displaying posters.

1. Did your library collaborate with any of the following to enhance and or promote your summer reading program? (Please check all that apply):
  - Public Schools / Districts / BOCES
  - Non-public Schools
  - Homeschool Organizations
  - Child Care Centers / Day Care Providers
  - Summer Camps
  - Municipality / Municipalities
  - Literacy Organizations
  - Local Businesses
  - Other
2. Did your library work with any of the following New York State Summer Reading official partner organizations? (Please check all that apply):
  - Summer Meals/Hunger Solutions NY
  - 4-H/Cornell Cooperative Extension
  - Talking and Braille Books/National Library Service Summer Reading
  - NYS Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs
  - NYS Local Legislator – Assembly

- NYS Local Legislator – Senate
- Local Educational Broadcasting/Television Station

## Online Registration

1. Did your library use the READsquared online registration tool for the 2024 Summer Reading Program?
2. Did your library use the READsquared app for the 2024 Summer Reading Program?
3. If your library used a different online registration tool, please list it here (ex. Beanstack, Reader Zone, etc.):

## Comments

1. What was your library's biggest challenge?
2. What was your library's biggest take away?
3. Does your library have inspirational stories or photos from your 2024 Summer Reading activities or events you would like to share with the State Library?