

TPPL 2026 Summer Reading Program PROGRAM INFO



Get ready for a summer full of fun at Tellico Plains Public Library!

Get ready to dig into a summer full of adventure, imagination, and discovery at Tellico Plains Public Library! We're excited to welcome you to our 2026 Summer Reading Program—where every book uncovers a new story just waiting to be explored! This year's theme, "Unearth A Story," brings a prehistoric twist to summer fun as we ROAR into reading with books, crafts, activities, and unforgettable memories for all ages.

Here's a sneak peek of what's in store:

- Events with special guests
- Hands-on crafts and exciting surprises
- Engaging reading activities for all ages
- A backyard full of stories, laughter, learning, and fun

All events will be in the library's backyard. In case of rain, events will be moved or rescheduled. Updates will be posted on our Facebook page and/or website.

All About Score Cards

This year, we're **ONLY** using **Score Cards** to track your reading adventures, and here's how they work:

- Each participant **MUST** complete their own Score Card and turn it in by the deadline for credit to receive a prize.
- **All Score Cards must be turned in by the end of the event on Friday, June 12, 2026.**

Score Cards are your reading passport! Use them to:

- Track your progress
- Complete missions
- Most importantly—have fun!

Important Dates to Remember

- **Last day to register to win the grand prizes:** Thursday, June 11, 2026
- **Score Card deadline:** Friday, June 12, 2026
- Events begin soon—so get ready for a season full of joy, creativity, reading and learning!

Please Note

- **Children must be accompanied by an adult at all events**
- Food will not be provided

We are truly excited to have you join us on this reading adventure. Together, let's ROAR into READING and make this summer DINO-mite!

Thank you for being a part of the fun! **Happy Summer Reading!**

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/TellicoPlainsPublicLibrary/>

Website: <https://www.tellicoplainspubliclibrary.org/>

Register Online



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***Requirements to win the grand prizes:**Hatchlings: Baby (0 - 2 yo):

- 10 Books
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

Tiny T-Rex Explorers: Pre-K (3 - 4 yo):

- 10 Books
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
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Dino Trackers: Children (5 - 7 yo):

- 10 Books
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

Fossil Finders: Young Readers (8 - 9 yo):

- 10 Books (*NO picture books; Easy Readers acceptable*)
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

Raptor Researchers: Tweens (10 – 12 yo):

- 3 Books (*NO picture books; minimum 75 pages each*)*
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

Jurassic Adventurers: Teen (13 - 17 yo):

- 2 Books (*NO picture books; minimum 150 pages each*)*
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

Prehistoric Pros: Adults (18+):

- 2 Books (*NO picture books; minimum 200 pages each*)*
- 2 Summer Reading Events (*excludes Registration & Awards*)
- 10 Missions
- Trail of the T-Rex SCAVENGER HUNT MISSION

*Books with minimum page requirements will be counted if no more than 30 pages off from meeting the minimum page requirements. For example, a book with 187 pages will be accepted for a Teen book. **When logging books for Tween, Teen, and/or Adults, please put the number of pages of the book next to the book title.**

*****Once you've reached the minimum goal, don't stomp away yet!**

Keep reading books, completing missions, and joining library adventures to earn even MORE points!

The more you explore, the bigger your prehistoric adventure becomes...

so keep turning pages and ROAR into reading all summer reading long!***

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