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Dear Parents,

We are excited to once again offer a **K-5 Summer Bridge Learning Program,** a collaborative effort between West Allegheny School District and the Western Allegheny Community Library. This engaging program is designed to keep young minds active during the summer months through fun, interactive activities that offer a wonderful opportunity for your child to maintain and enhance their academic skills in reading and mathematics during the summer break.

During the academic year, our curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and cultivate a love for reading and mathematics. Summer is the perfect time for students to continue to build upon the foundation laid during the school year. To encourage academic practice during the summer, we support student choice in selecting their own reading materials and exploring a variety of technology-based and hands-on activities for math. This autonomy, coupled with opportunities for meaningful discussions, is a proven method to encourage continued learning.

We also want to make summer learning fun! Here are the details on how the incentive program works.

Track your summer learning activities to earn badges in the Beanstack App or Beanstack online over the summer from June 1 to August 15. Each book and/or activity completed earns a badge and a virtual ticket for a chance to win exciting prizes. The more you learn and log, the greater your chances of winning.

Program Participation Reward K-2: 5 books 3-5: 4 books	**Prize Drawings** **Mid-Summer (July 10)** / **End of Program (August 15)**	**Back to School Program Completion Rewards and Prizes** K-2: 10 books 3-5: 8 books
Read all of the books assigned to your grade level to earn a tasty summer treat from one of our participating partners.	Enter your virtual tickets into a drawing for a chance to win fun prizes! Prize pick up for **Mid-Summer** prizes week July 20-21 (9 am-3 pm) **End of Program** prizes distributed to students at the beginning of the school year.	During the school day, students who completed the Beanstack Summer Challenge will: Receive recognition on a school Hall of Fame Earn a special ice cream treat Be entered into a drawing for a Special Prize at their school.

Get started with a summer full of fun learning adventures by registering beginning on MAY 26:

Beanstack Tracker
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1. Click the QR code below, download the Beanstack App or register online at https://www.beanstack.com/login.
2. Select the Western Allegheny Community Library.
3. Register your child(ren) based on the school he/she attends and the grade level your child will enter in the 2026-2027 school year.
4. Select the West Allegheny Summer Bridge Learning Program Challenge for the grade your child will enter.

We look forward to seeing your child's participation in the Summer Bridge Learning Challenge. Let's make this summer a time of enjoyable and productive learning!

If your child is unable to participate in the Summer Bridge Learning Challenge via Beanstack, please reach out to Mrs. Davis at 724-312-7162 to receive a copy of the challenge tasks to complete at home.

Warm regards,
West Allegheny School District and Western Allegheny Community Library

All information gathered through the challenge will be shared with your child's school in August.