

## HOW IT WORKS

**Register** for the challenge at your local library, or by scanning the QR code on the back of this booklet.

*Don't forget your welcome pack!*

**Read** together at home, at Storytime or on the go.

**Track** your progress in this reading log.

**Celebrate** milestones rewards.

**Reach** 500 books and become a reading champion!

### Join at Any Age!

Start anytime! Whether your child is a baby, toddler or preschooler, they can join the challenge.

**READ  
RECORD  
REWARD  
REPEAT**

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:  
[WESTERNDOWNSLIBRARIES.COM](http://WESTERNDOWNSLIBRARIES.COM)

## 500 BOOKS IS EASIER THAN YOU THINK!

**Read 2 books a week  
from birth to age 5  
= 520 books**

**Read 4 books a week  
from age 2 to 5  
= 624 books**

**Read 5 books a week  
from age 3 to 5  
= 520 books**

**Read 10 books a week  
from age 4 to 5  
= 520 books**

### Remember...

- ✓ Re-reading favourite books counts
- ✓ Storytime books count
- ✓ Books read by parents, grandparents, siblings and carers count



**JOIN  
TODAY**



# 500 BOOKS BEFORE 5!

A READING  
CHALLENGE  
SUPPORTING  
EARLY LITERACY  
AND NURTURING A  
LIFELONG LOVE OF  
READING.



CHILD'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

first5  
forever

WESTERN DOWNS  
Libraries

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