READ
Make shared reading interactive. Ask questions and let the child respond. Ask the child to predict what they think will happen.
Congratulations! You are signed up!

1000 Books Before Kindergarten is a fun way to help prepare your child for Kindergarten. Reading to a child expands their vocabulary exponentially and it is a great bonding experience that will create life-long memories.

It's easy! For every book you read (yes, repeats count!), your child can color in a shell on the coloring sheet.

In addition, anytime you sing a song, do a fingerplay, read a poem, etc., your child can color in a shell for each activity. Imagine how many shells your child will be able to color in when they attend a storytime at the library!

Logging book titles is optional, if you are interested, you can use READsquared to keep track online. A staff member at the information desk will be happy to show you how.

Once you have finished your first log of 100 Books, take it to your library, where you will receive your second log. You can also download logs on our website.

The branch will provide a sticker at each level, and children may put their name on a library wall display celebrating their accomplishment.

Small prizes will be provided after 500 and 1000 books.

We want to celebrate your child reading 1000 Books Before Kindergarten!