



SUMMER LEARNING

FOR ALL GRADE LEVELS

- **DCPL Summer Reading:** DCPL Summer Reading: DCPS encourages students to participate in the DC Public Library Summer Challenge starting June 1st. Students (and adults) can register through dclibrary.org/summerchallenge. Participants are encouraged to read 20 minutes a day every day to win prizes (all prizes will be virtual gift cards this year instead of physical prizes). Our youngest learners can participate through the fun and engaging virtual story times that the DC Public Library provides daily. The Summer Challenge ends August 31st.
- **Blended Learning Recommendations:** While there are lots of blended tools available to families, DCPS will highlight 1-2 blended learning programs per grade band and provide guidance on recommended usage. Blended learning programs adapt their content based on student responses, becoming more complex as students master skills, or reviewing concepts where more practice is needed. Following usage suggestions (for example, several times a week, a couple of minutes a day) has been shown to reduce summer learning loss and increase fluency and comfort with fundamental literacy and math skills.
- **LEARN Bingo:** DCPS will supply a LEARN Bingo Board for each grade band, PK-12. Students and families can use the LEARN board to select activities and learning resources for both virtual and hands-on learning. Activities include a mix of skills practice, physical challenges, resources for enrichment and creative expression, virtual field trips, and free-choice reading resources. Families/students can mark squares as they complete activities and share their work on social media.

Families can access *DCPS Summer Learning for All* resources [here](#) beginning June 1st.