



#calvertREADS 2025 Prizes



PRIZES PRIZE DRAWING JULY 12

- Rectangular Animal Baby Basket Kids Storage Basket (Car Animal) filled with books
- World of Eric Carle The Very Hungry Caterpillar Wooden Train Set
- My First Mystery Soft Box for Babies
- Sassy Developmental Bumpy Ball, Easy to Grasp Bumps Help Develop Motor Skills
- Water Marbling Paint Kit for Kids - Paint Craft Kits
- Lite Brite Classic
- Elmer's Squishies Mix and Match
- ThinkFun Zingo Bingo Award Winning Preschool Game for Pre-Readers and Early Readers Age 4 and Up
- SHASHIBO Shape Shifting Box - Award-Winning, Patented Fidget Cube
- Choose Friendship, My Friendship Bracelet Maker®
- Paint Chip Poetry: A Game of Color and Wordplay
- HUES and CUES game
- Move2Play, Pass The Potato | Hilariously Wild and Fun | Kids Game | Family Friendly
- Redux: The Original Glow in The Dark Capture The Flag Game | Ages 8+ | Outdoor Games for Kids/Teens
- National Aquarium Baltimore tickets
- Maryland Science Center tickets
- \$100 Grocery gift card (winner selects)

PRIZES PRIZE DRAWING AUGUST 16

- Jelly Blox Stash 'N Stack 2-in-1 Storage Case Including 30 Blocks
- Playskool Chase 'N Go Ball Popper Toy for Active Babies
- Yookidoo Toddler and Baby Bath Toy (Ages 1-3): Flow N Fill Spout-3 Stackable Play Cups
- Play-Doh Pasta Dinner Playset, Kitchen Playset with 35+ Play Kitchen Accessories
- Bravmate Wooden Activity Cube, 8-in-1 Montessori Toys
- Educational Insights GeoSafari Jr. Talking Microscope
- Kids Camera Instant Print, Selfie Digital Camera with 1080P Videos
- Skillmatics Art & Craft Activity - Foil Fun Animals, No Mess Art for Kids
- Magnetic Tiles, 100PCS Magnetic Block Set with 2 Cars
- The Woobles Beginners Crochet Kit
- GiiKER Super Slide Puzzle Games
- BODYMARK Temporary Tattoo Markers, 8-Count Color Collection
- Cactus Succulent Seed Starter Kit - Indoor Garden Grow Kits, Seeds for Planting Mini Cactus Succulent Plants, Plant Markers, Soil, Pots, Wood Box
- Tabletop Fire Pit with Smores Maker Kit Portable Indoor/Outdoor
- Nintendo Switch & game
- Kindle Fire
- Switch game: Disney Dreamlight Valley Cozy Edition
- \$100 Flagship Cinema
- \$100 gaming gift card (winner will select)
- \$100 gift card of your choice
- \$100 Lego Gift card

My Beanstack Login

Name: _____

Username: _____

Password: _____

*Prizes subject to availability. Calvert Library reserves the right to substitute like prizes as necessary.

June 1 - August 16



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WELCOME to #calvertREADS Summer 2025

Calvert Library is excited to announce its 2025 Summer Reading Program, Color Our World. This year's theme invites participants of all ages to explore our vibrant world through reading and fun activities. Everyone can look forward to a variety of events, performances, books and of course amazing PRIZES! The program is designed to inspire and engage readers of all ages through an array of FUN!

*Join us this summer to embark on a journey of creativity and imagination, and let's "Color Our World" together!
June 1 - August 16, 2025.*

Check out our Summer Programs!

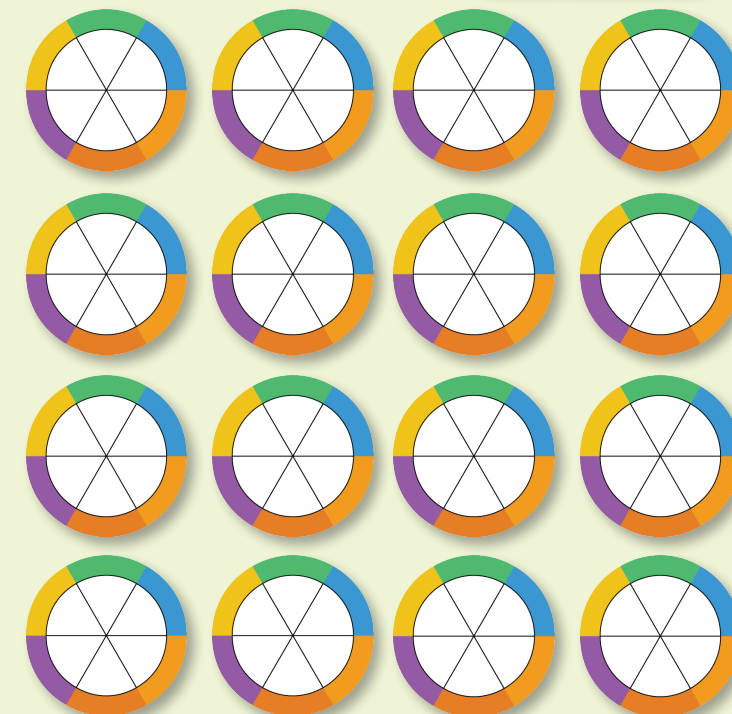
Storytime
SummerSTEAM
Tween Summer Bookfest
Summer Fun Performances

How to Participate—and reach our goal of 2.5 in '25!

- Sign up on the Calvert Library Beanstack website.
- Download the free Beanstack Tracker app in the Google Play or Apple store to play on your phone or tablet.
- Stop by any Calvert Library location or call us at 410-535-0291 to log your minutes and activities by phone!

Reading Log

Color in the pie charts in 20 minute reading increments. Each circle represents 2 hours of reading.



#calvertREADS Summer 2025 Activity Badges

Complete Two Activities to Earn Each Badge - Questions? Ask a Librarian!



Summer Adventures with Calvert Library

- Attend a Summer Fun performance with Brian Curry's Magic, Mad Science, Magpie, 123 Andres, Reptile World or The Uncle Devin Show.
- Attend a Storytime.
- Join a book discussion at Calvert Library or find another that works for you.
- Join a tween book discussion or sign up for a teen book box.



All About STEAM

- Attend a SummerSTEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics) program at any library branch this summer (and if you want to continue the fun after summer, check out STEAMLab and STEAMLab Jr at any location)!
- Go outside and create any kind of art!
- Check a book out from the library to learn about an art, math, engineering, science, or technology topic that interests you. Learn how to do something new on your computer, phone or tablet. What did you learn?
- Add color to someone's day by creating art of any kind to give as a gift for a family member, friend or for yourself!



Share Your Colorful World

- Snap a picture of what you are reading during your summer adventures in Calvert County or around the world! Message Calvert Library on Facebook with your photo.
- Visit a local library wherever you travel this summer. What did you think was great about the library? Message Calvert Library on Facebook with your photo.
- Write a story that takes place in a world from your imagination. What is your world called? Share your world with a friend or a family member.
- Travel the imaginative way-check out a book that takes place somewhere you have never visited before. Why did you choose this adventure? Share with a friend.



Calvert Library's Online Resources at [CalvertLibrary.Info](https://www.calvertlibrary.info)

- Visit Freegal and download three free songs.
- Go to Kanopy and stream a movie.
- Download the Libby app and check out a book, audiobook, or magazine.
- Go to LinkedIn Learning and learn something new.
- Prevent the summer slide by exploring Brainfuse's SkillSurfer to read lessons and watch videos (elementary to high school, ASVAB, GED, College Preparatory, Life Skills, ESL and more!)



Color Your Community

- Read a story or book about community. What did you learn?
- Brainstorm ideas with others on how you can make your neighborhood, school or community better. What did you decide? Do you think you can help make this change for your community?
- What does community mean to you? Draw a picture of your perfect community.
- Volunteer to help someone or an organization in your community.
- If you are a teen, attend a TACOS (Teen Advisory Council of Students) event and earn community service hours for graduation.



Worlds of Color

- Go stargazing and see what constellations you can spot! What did you see?
- Check out a book on space travel, astrophysics or about a planet. What did you learn?
- Would you want to travel in space? Why or why not?
- Learn about our solar system and create a model of the planets and their relationship to the sun.



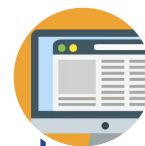
Add Color to Your World

- Host a coloring/drawing event and then have a gallery walk to celebrate everyone's creations!
- Look at artwork in a book or online. Pick a favorite piece and talk about it with a friend or family member.
- Visit your local library and check out Art in the Stacks.
- Attend a community arts event with family or friends.



Bring a Little Color to Someone's Day

- Send a letter or email to someone and tell them how much they mean to you.
- Smile at everyone you walk by for a whole day. How did it feel?
- Do something thoughtful for a friend or family member.
- Lend a helping hand and do a chore for someone.
- Read to a sibling, friend, family member or a pet!



Color Your Online World at [CalvertLibrary.Info](https://www.calvertlibrary.info)

- Learn a new skill at your own pace with LinkedIn Learning.
- Learn about the diverse history of Southern Maryland at [EquityInHistory.Org](https://www.equityinhistory.org)
- Visit the Maryland Deaf Culture Digital Library. Learn more about Deaf Culture, check out books, or learn where to take local American Sign Language (ASL) classes.
- Learn a new language on Mango Languages.
- Explore Calvert Library's Anti-Racism resource page for books, movies & podcasts.
- Learn something new about American history by going to Gale Online or Newspapers Online.



Bring More Color to Your World

- Make time to do something that makes you happy!
- Contact an friend or a relative you haven't spoken to in a long time.
- Pretend to look at the world as if you have never seen it before. What extraordinary things did you notice?
- Take some slow deep belly breaths or meditate to calm your mind and body.
- Read a story about something you would love to do.



Our Colorful World

- Create art from what you find in nature.
- Explore a new playground or park. Sit and observe all the colors around you. What did you notice, and how did you feel?
- Go outside and see what you can learn more about. Did you notice a particular animal, plant or fungus? Now, see what you can find out about it!



The Many Colors of Calvert Library Mobile Services

Complete one activity to earn this badge.

- Check out the schedule of community stops for the Bookmobile. Find one near you!
- Visit the Bookmobile at a community event.
- Place a hold and pick up your books at a park Bookmobile stop.



Be a Colorful Reader

- Read or listen to a book from a genre you haven't read, or heard, before. What did you think about it? Would you read it again?
- Read or listen to a book about art or an artist. What did you learn?
- Ask a librarian for a book recommendation. What did you think about the recommendation?
- Read about a time in history you know very little about. What did you learn? How does it relate to our world today?



There's an App for That!

- Download the Calvert Library app.
- Using the app, check your account.
- Put an item on hold on your app.
- Check out a book using the app.



Support Calvert Library

- Follow Calvert Library on Facebook, Instagram or YouTube.
- Share your Calvert Library story.
- Bring a friend to the library.
- Visit our Take Action for Calvert Library webpage.



Colors of History

- Check out a book or visit Gale Online Databases to learn about an ancient civilization. How was society formed and what were their beliefs? How do they compare to yours?
- Read a myth, legend, folktale or ancient story. What did you learn?
- Create art that represents something you learned about an ancient civilization, myth, legend or ancient story. Why did you choose those items?