1000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

1000 Books Before Kindergarten is a free, self-paced program that encourages you to read one thousand books with your child before they begin kindergarten.

- Reading aloud to your child is the best way to prepare them for reading and writing success in school

- The time before a child enters kindergarten is crucial for language and brain development, as well as for fostering a lifelong love of reading

- Reading also helps build social and emotional skills, sparks creativity and imagination, and promotes bonding

GET STARTED

Register at the youth services desk or online at mountvernonwa.beanstack.org. You can log on paper, or use our digital Beanstack program to track.

Earn some prizes along the way:
    Signup: bookmark & caregiver tips
    Halfway: children's book
    Completion: book bag

It's easier than you think:
- if you read just 1 book a day for a year, you will have read 365 books
- If you read three books a day for a year, you will have read 1095 books