## Cheshire West & Chester Council Introducing Ready, Set, Read! **Summer Reading Challenge 2023**

The Summer Reading Challenge is the exciting and free annual promotion of books and reading for all children, taking place in all Cheshire West and Chester Libraries. Children get a collector's pack, stickers along the way and a medal and certificate when they have read 6 books. Children love it and it's a great way to encourage them to keep their reading up over the holidays. There is a Mini Challenge for the Under 4s. It's easy to join too: just ask at your local library or join online via www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/read.

This year's theme 'Ready, Set, Read!' aims to keep children's minds and bodies active over the summer break, empowering young people to forge new connections with others and unleash the power of play, sport and physical activity through reading. There will be free events such as fun experiments and animal handling. More details about the events will be available in relevant libraries and online.

The Challenge takes place from Saturday 8 July until the end of the school holidays on Sunday 3 September.

It's free to join and use the library. No identification or proof of address is needed to join. Members can borrow books and return at any library. There are no late charges for the Under 13s.

Free Wi-Fi is available and it is also free to use the library computers for one hour per day. Printing is available. eBooks and eAudiobooks are available for free via

www.borrowbox.com, eMagazines are available via the "Libby, by Overdrive" app and eResources

are available via the Libraries website www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/libraries.



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