

Summer Developmental Reading Programs

Our central goal in these classes is both to improve each student's confidence in his or her reading ability and to instill within them a love of reading. This is accomplished by the strength of our curriculum and the manner in which it is presented. All programs are taught in a workshop format, which enables our teachers to guide and motivate each student to take an active role in their own success. Here is some further information describing our developmental reading classes for children and adults.

Program 00: For entering Kindergartners

Program 01: For 1st Graders

Program 02: For 2nd Graders

At the primary level our developmental classes encourage children to develop reading and listening skills by working with storytelling, rhyming patterns and initial sound games. In addition, we supply students and parents with instructional materials designed to improve comprehension.

Program 03: For 3rd Graders

Program 04: For 4th Graders

Program 05: For 5th Graders

At the elementary level we emphasize the transition students make into reading for information. In order to read successfully students, must read fluently. By studying and improving upon word attack skills, use of punctuation, and vocabulary development, children internalize the mechanics of reading, which allows them to focus more on content. Additionally, we introduce comprehension strategies, which assist in reading fiction and non-fiction.

Program 08: For 6th, 7th and 8th Graders

Program 11: For 9th, 10th and 11th Graders

At this level we address students' need for increased efficiency. The programs continue to build on each child's reading foundation while providing techniques for increasing reading speed and strategies for boosting comprehension. At this level we emphasize study skills so that students are equipped to tackle the demanding requirements of junior and senior high school.

We also offer reading efficiency programs for adults.