



Your Name

300 by 3rd Start Date

Anticipated Third Grade Start Date



CONGRATULATIONS ON TAKING THE FIRST STEP TO THIRD GRADE READINESS!

Now the fun begins.

You may have started school, but reading every day is still an important part of your literacy development. As you begin reading on your own, EVPL is here to encourage you along the way. 300 Books by 3rd Grade is easy to do! Read 300 books by the beginning of 3rd grade, and earn incentives along the way. Books can belong to the EVPL collection or your own. We know you can achieve this goal, and we are here to help you along the way!

How it works

- 1. Pick up a log at any EVPL location, or sign-up on Beanstack.
- For each book you read, color in a space object, or Beanstack will track it for you.
- 3. You will earn an out-of-this-world button at 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, and 300 books.
- 4. When 300 books are reached, you will also get a shout-out on EVPL social media (with your caregiver's permission, of course).

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Building STAR Readers

The Easy Reader collection is a popular collection for EVPL's emerging readers as they begin their journey to independent reading. Finding the right book can often be a challenge, leaving readers and their caregivers unsure of where to start.

EVPL's Easy Reader collection uses a simple, color-coded system that assists in finding appropriate books for new and struggling readers. The color-coded system uses stickers in the four colors and reading level combinations listed below.





VERY BEGINNING

These are beginning reading books. They have fewer words, large print, and pictures. This is about kindergarten level.

EMERGENT

These books have a little more text then the pre-emergent. They still use repetition of words and large print. This is equivalent to the first half of first grade.



EARLY FLUENT

These books have more text, some larger words, and more story structure. This is equivalent to the second half of first grade.



SOLID

These books have more complex vocabulary and story lines. Some books in this category are chapters books. Most second graders can handle these books.

Visit evpl.org, stop into one of our locations, or give us a call at 812.428.8200 for more information.



