

## Summer Reading Parent Survey Spring 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School library is participating in a summer literacy program. Your child will receive six free, high-quality, age-appropriate books that he or she will select at the end of this school year to take home over the summer to read. Additionally, the \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School library will be open for you and your child to check out books during the summer months. This program is funded by the Idaho Commission for Libraries, a state agency that supports public and school libraries throughout Idaho. The goals of the program are to increase children's reading over the summer and to increase participation in summer library programs, which during the past years has been quite low. In order to make \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School Library's summer literacy program better fit your needs, we ask that you answer the following questions. Your answers are anonymous, meaning that we have no way of identifying you. **Thank you for your participation.**

1. What are the current grade levels of your children at \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School? (Please check all that apply.)

Kindergarten	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. How often does your child (children) read during the summer?

Every day	Every week	Once or twice a month	Rarely
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. During the summer, where do you get most of the books you read?

School	Public Library	From home collection	I purchase them	Other	Don't get books
<input type="checkbox"/>					

If "Other," please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

4. During this coming summer, where will your child (children) receive most of his or her care during the daytime? Please check all that apply.

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| a. At home  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. At a daycare center  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Summer camps such as Y day camp, Boys and Girls Club, etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. At a friend's or relative's house                          | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. Am not sure at this time                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| f. Other (Please explain: _____)                              | <input type="checkbox"/> |

5. Do you think your child (children) receiving 6 books of their own choosing will cause them to read more over the summer?

Yes	No	Maybe	Don't know
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. Will you or your children check out books from \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary School Library during this coming summer?

Yes	No	Maybe	Don't know
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. Does your child (children) participate in your public library's summer reading program?

Yes	No	Sometimes	Don't know
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

8. What might prevent your child from using the school library this summer?