

# STOP THE SUMMER SLIDE!!!

Did you know that over the summer, many kids can slip backwards in their reading ability simply because they aren't keeping it up during vacation! This is even more true for kids who may struggle with reading because they are relieved to not have the constant pressure to read that comes from being in school.

This year, lets stop the summer slide with our Langdon kids! We've come up with this handy guide to help you out!

## Where to Find Books

### Check out one of Langdon's Little Free Libraries!

Did you know we have THREE little free libraries in Langdon – open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, you can visit them to find awesome new reads for the whole family...and it doesn't cost a cent. Even better – when your kids outgrow the books they have – you can drop them in one of these libraries to be read by someone else!

Where to find them:

120 Bishop Cres

18 Hanson Hollow

804 Boulder Creek Drive

There is even a handy Facebook page that all of the stewards contribute to that can keep you in the loop. <https://www.facebook.com/pg/LFLLangdon>

## Chestermere Public Library

Many families took advantage of the free 3 month membership offer that Chestermere Public Library offered our school this summer. This library is a wonderful resource and is only 10 minutes away!

Address: 105B Marina Road, Chestermere, AB

The Library is located on the lower level of Chestermere's municipal building. Turn onto Marina Road, in front of the municipal building, then turn left into our parking lot

Phone: 403-272-9025

Website: <http://chestermererepubliclibrary.com/>

Hours:

Monday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

Tuesday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

Wednesday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

Thursday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm

Friday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Sunday\* CLOSED

\*Closed Sundays May 13-Sept 9

Closed on statutory holidays.

## Never Ending Stories

Langdon has a wonderful used book store, right on Centre Street! This gem has floor to ceiling books and a super helpful owner who can assist your child in finding the perfect summer books!

Hours:

TUESDAY 10:00AM - 7:00PM

WEDNESDAY 1:00PM - 4:00PM

THURSDAY 10:00AM - 7:00PM

FRIDAY 10:00AM - 4:30PM

SATURDAY 11:00AM - 3:00PM

Address: #209, 355 Centre Street Langdon, AB

Phone:403-809-3406

Email: neverendingstories1111@gmail.com

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/NeverEndingStoriesLangdon/>

## Fun Activities to Encourage Reading this Summer

Scholastic has a wonderful website filled with downloadable activity and tip sheets that can help you make reading super fun for your kids all summer long. You can find it all here: <http://www.scholastic.ca/summerreading/?linkId=52612683>