

Registration is OPEN
FREE Overnight Camp for rising 3-6th graders

SUMMER READING CAMP

July 12 - 17, 2026

Shrine Mont Camp and Retreat Center & VATE

Virginia Association of Teachers of English are excited to host Summer Reading Camp at Shrine Mont, Orkney Springs, VA. The materials and the activity described herein, are not sponsored by the Shenandoah, Page, Rockingham County and Harrisonburg City School Boards.

Camp check-in will be Sunday from 2-3 pm - Camp Closing will be Friday 11:00am

LEARNING CENTERS, GAMES, HIKING, SWIMMING, YOGA, ARTS&CRAFTS, CAMPFIRES, STARGAZING, AND MUCH MORE!!!
Certified teachers will provide all reading instruction and trained summer camp counselors will provide fun camp activities daily.



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GOALS

Infuse struggling readers/writers with the joy and experiences of reading and writing. Campers will go home with a “tool bag” for good reading and writing strategies including supplies, books, and family reading and writing ideas.

Applications Available
NOW



Camp Criteria

- Reading one or more grade levels below
- If ELL on monitor status
- Struggles with decoding (breakdown/sound out words)
- Struggles with fluency (read smoothly with voice inflections)
- Struggles with retelling story detail or sequential details
- Struggles to locate main idea with supporting details