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Log Your Adventures with Beanstack!



What is Beanstack?

Beanstack is the website and mobile application that is used for logging your child's reading and activities during **Summer Splash**. From this site, you can track your books and time spent reading, activities you've accomplished, and the **GO Franklin!** portals you've visited.

Why should I use Beanstack?

GO Franklin! is digital! While you still have your physical rubbing sheets and booklets, we will be tracking everyone's progress digitally through **Beanstack**, including our drawings for the five prize winners.

What if I don't have a phone or computer to log my hikes?

That is perfectly fine! Call or visit any **Franklin County Library**, and a staff member can log the portal for you. Just have your rubbing sheet nearby so that staff can verify the portal for you!

Learn More

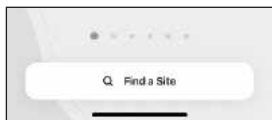
For more information about using **Beanstack** and all of the **Summer Splash** activities, visit <https://discovery.fclspa.org/families>.

Getting Started on the Beanstack Tracker App

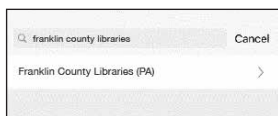
1. Download the **Beanstack Tracker App** to your smartphone from the **Google Play Store** or the **Apple Store**.



2. Launch the app and press **Let's Go!** A question will then appear asking how you want to use Beanstack. Select **School, Library, or Bookstore**.



3. Select **Find a Site** to search for our **Beanstack** site



4. A search bar will then appear. Search for "Franklin County Library" and tap on our name.

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5. Log into Beanstack with an existing username and password, or press Sign Up! to create an account. We recommend using your library card number as your username.

- a. **Tip:** If you are logging parks for multiple kids, we recommend creating one account under the parent/guardian's name & library card and adding multiple "readers" to the adult's account.
- b. **Tip:** Add an email to your account to be notified of earned rewards.

Having trouble logging in? Contact sapplegate@fclspa.org for help!

Once you are logged in, you can then access all the functions of the app, including:

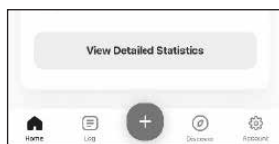
- Registering for summer programs
- Tracking **GO Franklin!** park posts
- Viewing statistics of your reading
- Logging new books

How to log your Portals (park posts) in Beanstack

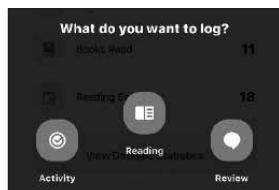
Congratulations! You've found one of the 15 portals! Now you can digitally track your progress (and unlock virtual badges!) on **Beanstack**. You'll need your rubbing sheet nearby to complete logging.

Follow these steps to track your progress:

1. Open your **Beanstack Tracker App** and log in.
2. Register for **Summer Splash: GO and Choose an Adventure!** (if you have not yet done so).

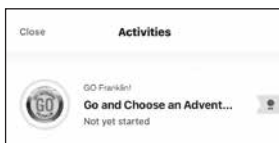


- a. Tap the **Discover** icon from the bottom of the screen
- b. Locate the **Summer Splash** program for your age and tap the **Register** button.

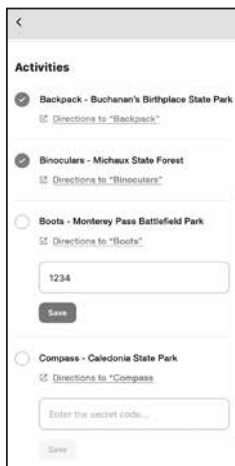


3. Tap the blue + (plus) button at the bottom of the screen to add to your log. Next, tap the **Activity** icon.
4. If you have multiple **Beanstack** users on one account, all names will appear. Select the name of the person you would like to log the activity for, and press **Choose Reader**.

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5. The list of available activities will appear, based on the **Summer Splash** program your child is enrolled in. Tap the activity named **GO and Choose an Adventure!**



6. Scroll to find the name of the portal (park post) you just found. Using your rubbing sheet, find the secret code for this portal (post) below the rubbing. Enter the secret code and remember to **save** your answer.
7. Points and badges will be awarded to you as you identify more portals!

Remember, the more park posts you identify, the more chances you'll receive to win one of five prizes! For more information about using **Beanstack** and all of the **Summer Splash** activities, visit <https://discovery.fclspa.org/families>.

Bonus!

Every **GO Franklin!** hike you complete counts as 20 minutes of reading time! Don't forget to log those extra minutes to earn additional reading badges and library prizes.

