

Brazoria County Library System



launchpad
reading academy
A GUIDED LEARNING TABLET

The new 5-level guided reading system that builds confident readers.



GULF COAST READS 2021
A CONVERSATION WITH AUTHOR
TJ KLUNE
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21 @ 6 PM

Special online event for Gulf Coast Reads hosted by Harris County Public Library
Register <https://bit.ly/3Evm1z6>

Lambda Literary Award-winning author TJ Klune's breakout contemporary fantasy

Linus Baker is a by-the-book case worker in the Department in Charge of Magical Youth. He's tasked with determining whether six dangerous magical children are likely to bring about the end of the world.

Arthur Parnassus is the master of the orphanage. He would do

anything to keep the children safe, even if it means the world will burn. And his secrets will come to light.

The House in the Cerulean Sea is an enchanting love story, masterfully told, about the profound experience of discovering an unlikely family in an unexpected place - and realizing that family is yours.

Register on-line for the event.

Tablets that teach kids to read available at library

The Brazoria County Library System has added a new series of tablets you can check out to help teach kids to read.

Launchpad Reading Academy is a 5-level guided reading system that helps kids learn to read with apps, storybooks, and videos – each hand-selected to help kids gain the knowledge they need to transition from learning-to-read to reading-to-learn.

By bringing together a combination of sight, sound, and interactive play, these tablets give kids the tools to learn the way they learn best.

Launchpad tablets are pre-loaded. There are no downloads and no need for WiFi to access the content. Borrow a tablet at the right level for your child and watch the learning happen right before your eyes.

Launchpads circulate for two weeks with no renewals and have a late fee of \$1 per day.

Ask for them at your local branch library or search for the "Launchpad Academy" series in our on-line catalog and place a request.

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80 YEARS
BRAZORIA COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM



Challenges can be rewarding!
You can find them all on the Beanstack Tracker app or online:
<https://bclstx.beanstack.org>



Challenges

- 1941-2021 Reading Challenge
BCLS 80th Anniversary Reading Challenge
Jun 18, 2021 - Jun 31, 2022
- 1,000 BOOKS before Kindergarten
1,000 Books Before Kindergarten
Ongoing
- FALL love Reading
2021 Fall In Love With Reading Challenge
Oct 1, 2021 - Oct 31, 2021



Use your smart device to scan the code and place a hold!

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BASF
We create chemistry



PHILLIPS 66
Providing Energy, Improving Lives