## **Read to Ride** Summer Reading Challenge 2025



## **Guidance for School Principals**

- > Review the 2025 *Read to Ride Summer Reading Challenge* information sheet.
- Register your school through this link: <u>Read to Ride Registration</u>
- Disseminate the challenge information to any PK-8 students in your school. Consider including a link from your school website to the <u>Read to Ride Summer Reading Challenge</u> link on the Maine Department of Education website.
- Feel free to tailor this opportunity to fit your local context. Combine this opportunity with any other summer reading program/challenge in which your students may participate through your school and/or community (e.g. <u>Scholastic's Summer Reading Challenge</u>, public libraries, etc.). Consider soliciting local level prizes to award to students for participation in this challenge, such as books, memberships to YMCAs and Boys & Girls Clubs, movie tickets, etc.
- Collect passports from students by September 30, 2025.
- Hold the school level drawing for two school level student winners and email Dee Saucier (<u>danielle.m.saucier@maine.gov</u>) the names of two students no later than 5:00 pm on October 31, 2025.
- The state level drawing will be held in October and principals will be notified of winning students in November 2025.