The time of year has finally come! Classes are ending, temperatures are rising, and summer is finally here. The sun brings laughter and fun, but also a lot of free time. This is the perfect time to gear up for Summer Reading. World Book is here to support the 2020 Collaborative Summer Library Program’s Imagine Your Story theme of "Fairy Tales/Mythology/Fantasy" with both outlandish legends and whimsical creatures.

In this month’s World Book Wired, find ways to make this summer magical!

THE ADVENTURES OF YOUNG H.C. ANDERSEN

Join a young H.C. Andersen (the great Danish writer) as he meets characters who would later inspire his famous fairy tales.

ABNORMAL FIELD GUIDES TO CRYPTIC CREATURES

Go on an educational (and unconventional) safari in search of the world’s most mysterious creatures, such as Bigfoot and mermaids.

SHAVING CREAM SENSORY ACTIVITY

Use shaving cream for a fun, creative project! Kids can design clouds & mountains, and even use plastic animals and cars for story-making.

The summer slide is the educational phenomenon referring to the backslide that many kids experience if they completely unplug from learning over the summer. Join us to explore all of the resources we have to combat this!

STAY SHARP!

Keep students’ minds sharp this summer with our at-home activity books. Each workbook reinforces topics in the curricula and makes even the most complex topics easy to understand for students of all reading levels.

SUMMER SOLSTICE

The first day of summer arrives with the solstice on June 20, 2020. In the Northern Hemisphere, this marks the longest day of the year and the moment when the sun reaches the Tropic of Cancer, its highest point.