

“Families Reading Every Day” Program Goliad County Library

In partnership with Texas A & M AgriLife Extension Goliad County

How to register online:

Step #1: go to <https://fch.tamu.edu/fred> to register

(Any information you enter in will not be shared and will be used for statistical purposes only)



The screenshot shows the homepage of the FRED program. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for FAQs, Help Desk, REGISTER, and Login. The main heading reads "FAMILIES READING EVERY DAY" with the subtitle "FREE 4-Week Family Reading Program". Below this, there are two buttons: REGISTER and LOGIN. A black arrow points to the REGISTER button. On the left side, there is a logo for FRED (Families Reading Every Day) featuring a stylized family reading together. To the right of the logo, there is a brief description of the program and a list of steps to get started: 1. REGISTER or LOGIN, 2. Create a Child Profile, 3. Start a New Session, 4. Enjoy 4 Weeks of Family Fun!

Step #2: a parent/guardian must be the account holder; parent/guardian, please complete all information on this page.



The screenshot shows the "ADULT ACCOUNT" registration form. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for FAQs, Help Desk, REGISTER, and Login. The main heading reads "ADULT ACCOUNT". Below this, there is a note: "Please note that the registration form below is for the adult that will reside over this account, not the child(ren). You will create the child profile(s) after creating your adult account." The form contains several input fields: First Name, Last Name, Email, Email Again, and Username. There are also checkboxes for "I agree to the terms and conditions" and "I agree to receive emails from the program".

Step #3: After all parent/guardian information is completed, click “SAVE”.

The screenshot shows a registration form with the following fields and options:

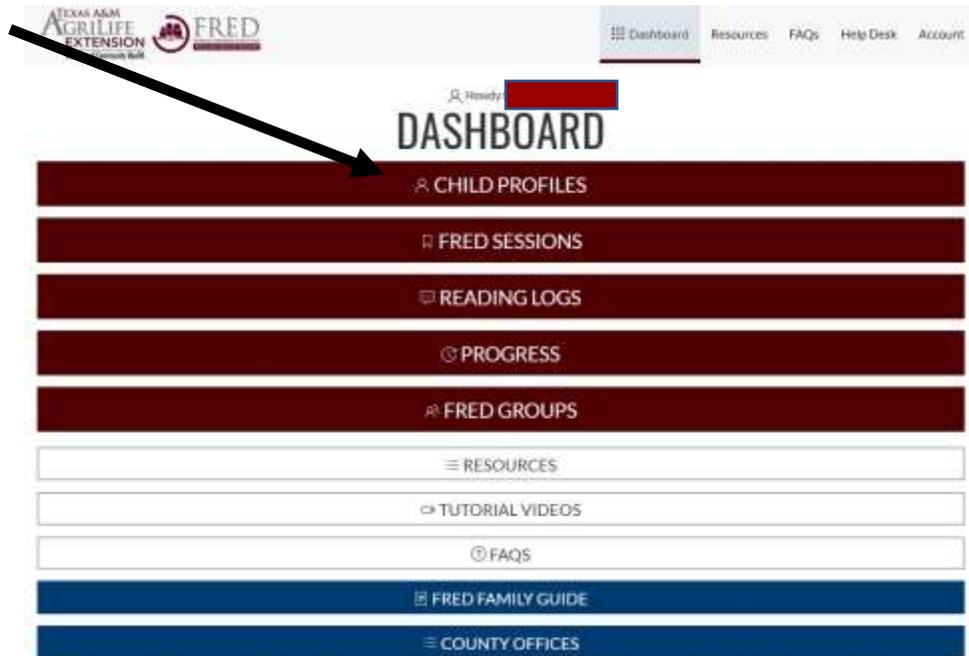
- Date of Birth: Day, Month, Year dropdowns
- Age: 0
- Gender: Please select
- Race: Please select
- Education Level: Please select
- Non-Texas Resident: NO YES
- Texas County: Please select
- How did you hear about the FRED project?: Please select
- I Agree with Terms and Services:
- Verification: Please Select, I'm not a robot, CAPTCHA
- Buttons: SAVE (highlighted with a black arrow), CANCEL

Please allow a few seconds for the form to submit.

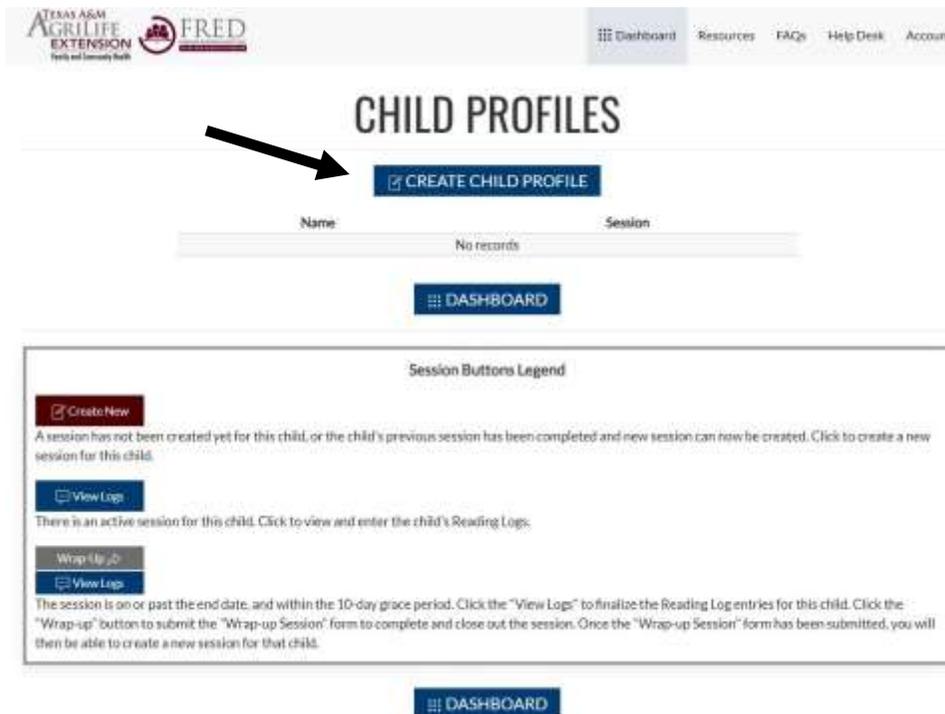
Step #4: You will get this confirmation page once you have clicked SAVE from step 3. Follow the instructions on this page. Click “CONTINUE”.

The confirmation page features the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and FRED logos in the top left, and navigation links (Dashboard, Resources, FAQs, Help Desk, Account) in the top right. The main heading is "THANK YOU". Below it, a message reads: "Thank you for creating a FRED account! Be sure to contact your local county Extension office to let them know you have signed up and to see what they have happening." A blue button labeled "COUNTY OFFICES" is provided. The "NEXT STEPS" section lists: 1. Create a child profile, 2. Create a child reading session, 3. Each day, enter the child reading logs. The "FRED Reading Goals" section states: "The goal is 15 minutes a day for the first 2 weeks, and 30 minutes a day for the next 2 weeks, but of, course it could be more depending on the child's age and the adults involved." A yellow oval highlights this text, with a black arrow pointing to a dark red button labeled "CONTINUE >".

Step #5: To add your child(ren), click on “CHILD PROFILES”.



Step #6: This is what the Child Profile page looks like. Click on “CREATE CHILD PROFILE” to add your child.



Step #7: This is where you will enter in your child’s information. Click “SAVE” when done.

The screenshot shows the 'CHILD PROFILE' form. At the top left are the logos for 'TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE EXTENSION Family and Community Health' and 'FRED'. The top right navigation bar includes 'Dashboard', 'Resources', 'FAQs', 'Help Desk', and 'Account'. The form fields are: 'Name' (text input with placeholder 'Enter Child's name or a way to identify child'), 'Date of Birth' (Day, Month, Year dropdowns), 'Age' (dropdown), 'Gender' (Please select), 'Race' (Please select), and 'Relationship to Child' (Please select). At the bottom left is a red 'SAVE' button with a white checkmark icon, and at the bottom right is a 'CANCEL' button. A black arrow points to the 'SAVE' button. Below the form is a blue 'DASHBOARD' button.

Step #8: Once you have saved the child’s information, it will appear in a maroon box under “CHILD PROFILES”. You may add additional children if needed by following instructions in Step #6 & #7.

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Step #9: Go back to your dashboard, find the child's name, and click on New Session to the right of their name. This screen will then pop up to log their reading dates for a 28 day session. This is a 28 day reading program and will depend on the date your child is actually registered. **REGISTRATIONS ARE ACCEPTED from July 1, 2020 to July 15, 2020.** NO registrations will be accepted after July 15th.. The child's ending date will be 28 days from the day you register; however, the official program will not end until Aug. 12, 2020.

THE FRED FOCUS IS Families Reading Every Day. Click SAVE.

SESSION DETAILS

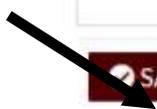
Please select child to create session for. If the child's name is not showing, that child's profile has not been created or is currently in an active session.

★ Child

★ Start Date 

End Date 2020-06-28

★ FRED Focus
View FRED Focus descriptions below



Step #10: Go back to your **DASHBOARD** and click on **READING LOGS**. The dates should automatically appear. Click on the dates to enter your child's time and SAVE. (Can use fractions to record progress of chapter books).

READING LOGS

☰ DASHBOARD

FRED Reading Goal: At least 15 minutes a day for the first 2 weeks, 30 minutes a day for the second 2 weeks

Choose Child

Day	Date Read	Entered
	☑ 	
1	☑ 2020-06-01 00:00:00	✕
2	☑ 2020-06-02 00:00:00	✕
3	☑ 2020-06-03 00:00:00	✕
4	2020-06-04 00:00:00	✕
5	2020-06-05 00:00:00	✕
6	2020-06-06 00:00:00	✕

Step #11: When the child's 28 session is complete, go to the Child Profile and click on Wrap Up. You can review the child's reading log, then click on Close Out Session. A completion certificate will then be generated from the program.

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CHILD PROFILES

CREATE CHILD PROFILE

Name	Session
No records	

DASHBOARD

Session Buttons Legend

Create New
A session has not been created yet for this child, or the child's previous session has been completed and new session can now be created. Click to create a new session for this child.

View Log
There is an active session for this child. Click to view and enter the child's Reading Logs.

Wrap Up
View Log
The session is on or past the end date, and within the 10-day grace period. Click the "View Logs" to finalize the Reading Log entries for this child. Click the "Wrap-up" button to submit the "Wrap-up Session" form to complete and close out the session. Once the "Wrap-up Session" form has been submitted, you will then be able to create a new session for that child.

DASHBOARD