

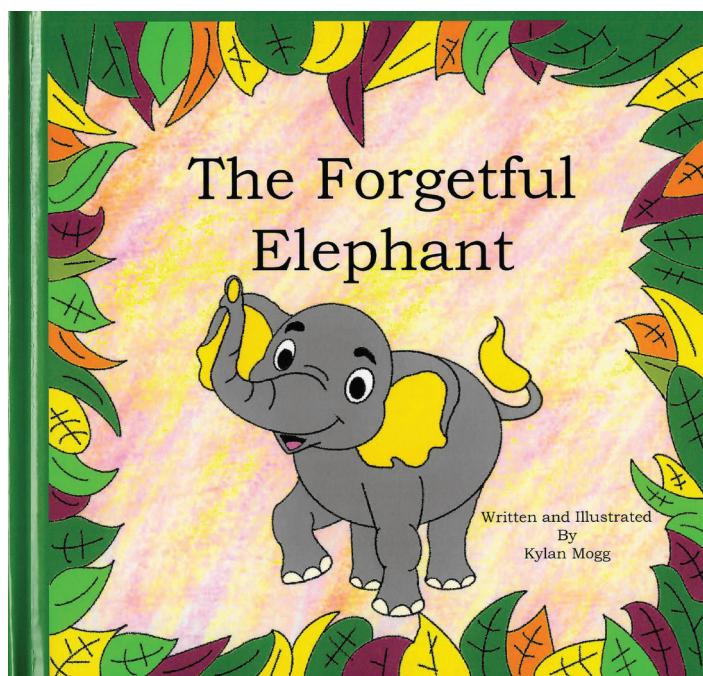
Read Across Oklahoma

2024

April 9, 2024

Oklahoma City Zoo

Expedition Reading



The 2024 celebration of reading and early literacy will take place at the **Oklahoma City Zoo** on **April 9, 2024**. The theme, “Expedition Reading” is inspired by the book, *The Forgetful Elephant* by Hinton resident, author and illustrator **Kylan Mogg**.

All Oklahoma schools are invited to participate in Read Across Oklahoma virtually, and a limited number of kindergarten classes will be invited as special guests to the live event. As special guests, classes will receive paid admission to the zoo where children will participate in a variety of activity

stations, hear the author read his book, and visit the animal exhibits.

Additionally, each child will receive a copy of *The Forgetful Elephant* prior to the event so they are familiar with the story. All this is made possible thanks to the generosity of many private and public sponsors.

Schools interested in applying for kindergarten classes to attend should submit the application by January 11. Find out how to apply at Oklahoma.gov/Libraries/Read.

