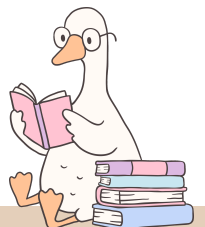


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BOOK NERD CHALLENGE

We are challenging you to read or listen to at least three books from the categories below. When you finish a book, check off the box and write down the title. Once you have marked off at least three categories, you are eligible to win some awesome stuff. Return this paper to any DPLS location or email a copy to Pam at prellstab@defiancelibrary.org by October 31, 2025 to be entered into the prize drawings. Winners will be announced November 4, 2025.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A book published in the year you were born. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book published in 2025. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book that has been turned into a movie or TV show. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book that was recommended by a book club, friend, or teacher. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book from the new shelf. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book set in the future. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book that was banned or challenged. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book from your favorite genre. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is part of a duology, trilogy, or series. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book featured on Dear YA Readers (the DPLS Padlet page or binder). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A picture book. | <input type="checkbox"/> A graphic novel. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is set in a place you have never been. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is meant to be read in October (spooky season, autumn vibes, etc). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book you saw someone else reading. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book with H, I, J, or K in the title. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book you picked based on the cover. | <input type="checkbox"/> An author's debut novel. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A manga. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is a memoir or biography. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book about books. | <input type="checkbox"/> A classic or a book that is a classic retelling. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book featuring a heist. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book where the characters attend school. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book with a great first sentence. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book out of your comfort zone. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is a collection of short stories. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book that is on your TBR list. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A book featuring siblings. | <input type="checkbox"/> A book based on a true story. |



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What prize do you hope for? _____