















# RED BALLOON BOOKSHOP 2022 SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

<p>READ A BOOK TO SOMEONE ELSE</p> 	<p>READ A BOOK ABOUT SCIENCE</p> 	<p>READ A BOOK ABOUT AN IMMIGRANT OR REFUGEE</p> 	<p>LISTEN TO AN AUDIOBOOK ON LIBRO.FM</p> 
<p>READ A BOOK ABOUT SPORTS OR THE OUTDOORS</p> 	<p>READ A BOOK ABOUT BUILDING BETTER COMMUNITY</p> 	<p>READ A BOOK ABOUT SOMEONE WHO DOESN'T LIVE OR THINK LIKE YOU DO</p> 	<p>READ A BIOGRAPHY, AUTOBIOGRAPHY, OR MEMOIR</p> 
<p>READ A MIDDLE GRADE BOOK BY A MINNESOTA AUTHOR</p> 	<p>READ A BOOK THAT WAS RELEASED THIS YEAR</p> <p>2022</p>	<p>READ A YOUNG ADULT NOVEL BY A BIPOC AUTHOR</p> 	<p>READ A RED BALLOON RECOMMENDATION</p> 
<p>READ A BOOK YOU CHOSE BECAUSE OF THE COVER</p> 	<p>READ A FUNNY BOOK</p> <p>HA HA</p>	<p>READ AN AWARD- WINNING BOOK</p> 	<p>YOUR PICK!</p> 

## BLACKOUT!

CHOOSE A FREE ADVANCE  
READER'S COPY AND ENTER  
FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A  
★ \$30 GIFT CARD! ★

## Summer Reading Reflection

Fill out this reflection to claim your final blackout prize!

### 1. What was a book that inspired your inner child?

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### 2. Draw something from one of your books! (a character, a scene, a place, etc.)

What book is this from?: \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Was there a book that surprised you? How so?

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## Summer Reading Rules

As you read, fill in each square with the title of a book that matches the category. Each box should have a different title, so if a book matches multiple categories, just pick which one you want to use it for.

When you complete a blackout, stop by the store to show us and pick up your prize! If you're unable to stop in, you can email a photo of your sheet to [bingo@redballoonbookshop.com](mailto:bingo@redballoonbookshop.com) and pick up your prizes in the parking lot.

## Frequently Asked Questions

*How do I choose which books to read?*

We encourage finding books by Black authors or by other authors of color; otherwise it's up to you! Having trouble with a particular category or age group? We have ideas!

*Who can participate in the reading challenge?*

Anyone, though we have a different sheet for younger readers!

*What counts as a Red Balloon recommendation?*

Visit the Summer Reading page on our website for a list of staff recommendations!

*Should books be fiction or nonfiction?*

All categories can be filled by either except "read a biography or autobiography" (which needs to be nonfiction)!

*Do audiobooks count? What about graphic novels?*

Yes and yes! Books can be in any format to qualify, as long as they match the other criteria. We recommend Libro.fm for audiobooks that support indie bookstores like us!

*Can I use the same book for multiple boxes?*

Nope! The goal is to read lots of books you might not read otherwise, so each box needs to be filled with its own book title.

Name (first & last): \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_