extreme reader

Extreme Reader Challenge - 2020 Category List

- Adults read 50 books, Teens (13 and up) read 25 books
- · This list cannot be used as a reading log
- · Each title read fulfills a single category
- Must sign up by July 31 to participate
- Register in person at a Tacoma Public Library location or online at www.tacomalibrary.org/extreme-reader



- 1. A book about or set during World War II
- 2. A book about politics or politicians
- 3. A book based on a real person
- **4.** A book commonly assigned to read in high school
- 5. A book from a LibraryReads list
- 6. A book of your own choosing
- 7. A book over 500 pages
- **8.** A book published when the author was under 35 years old
- **9.** A book recommended by library staff or an independent bookseller
- 10. A book revolving around a puzzle or a game
- 11. A book set in outer space
- **12.** A book set in the state or country where you were born
- A book suggested by a person younger than you
- **14.** A book that inspired a common phrase or idiom
- **15.** A book that takes place during a single day
- **16.** A book that takes place in a country outside of the United States
- **17.** A book that takes place in multiple time periods
- 18. A book translated from its original language
- 19. A book under 200 pages
- **20.** A book with a bookstore in it
- 21. A book with a brewery or winery in it
- **22.** A book with a character who has a superpower
- **23.** A book with a circus in it
- 24. A book with a large cast of characters
- 25. A book with a number in the title
- **26.** A book with a planet in the title
- **27.** A book with a punny title

- 28. A book with an amateur detective
- 29. A book with an anti-hero or anti-heroine
- **30.** A book with an image of a feather on the cover
- **31.** A book with an image of a sword on the cover
- 32. A book with an LGBTQIA+ protagonist
- **33.** A book with drawings, diagrams, photos, or pictures in it
- **34.** A book with siblings in it
- **35.** A book with sports in it
- 36. A book with the name of a month in the title
- 37. A book with the word "Book" in the title
- **38.** A book with the word "Extreme" or "Reader" in the title
- **39.** A book with the word "Salty", "Sweet", "Spicy", or "Bitter" in the title
- **40.** A book written by a celebrity
- **41.** A book written by a woman of color
- **42.** A book written by an author with an alliterative name
- 43. A book written by an Indigenous author
- 44. A book written by an LGBTQIA+ author
- **45.** A book you have purposefully avoided reading
- **46.** A book you meant to read in 2019
- **47.** A collection of essays
- **48.** A Michael L. Printz winner or honor book
- **49.** & **50.** A non-fiction and fiction book about the same topic
- **51.** A true crime or crime fiction novel
- **52.** An historical fiction novel
- 53. An "own voices" book
- **54.** Read a book in a format you don't normally read
- **55.** The first book in a series