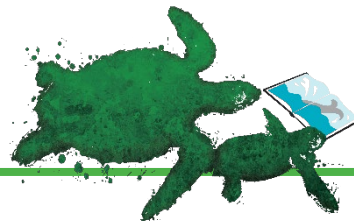


The FAQs



What can I read for the Teen Summer Reading Challenge?

Read any book you want – paper books, eBooks, even audiobooks count! If you'd like suggestions, check out the book recommendations in Beanstack, the Bibliographies on the Emma Clark Teen Page, or email your Teen Librarian, Emily Ostrander, at emily@emmaclark.org.

How do I earn Raffle Tickets?

It's simple. All you need to do is write a very brief review of the book you've read and enter it into Beanstack. Enter the books you've read one at a time into the reading log, and click "yes" when prompted to write a review. Reviews must be at least 30 characters long (which is really only a few words) to earn a raffle ticket. Completed reviews instantly earn raffle tickets, which you can immediately enter into the prizes. Feel free to spread out your tickets into different prizes or put all of your tickets into one prize that you really want. All raffles are drawn at the end of the challenge. Tickets are accepted up until 11:59pm August 22nd, 2021. Raffle winners will be alerted the week of August 23rd, 2021. A listing of all raffle prizes can be found below, as well as at teen.emmaclark.org/teens-summer-reading.

What if I don't want to write reviews?

You're not required to write reviews; however, if you do not write reviews, you cannot earn raffle tickets. Either way, it's a nice log of all the books you've read this summer!

What's an "Activity" in Beanstack, and why would I log it?

An activity is anything you do this summer. Logged activities do not earn more raffle tickets, but can be looked back on, like a summer journal of sorts!

What are these "Badges" I'm earning when I write reviews?

Badges are just colorful, virtual stickers you earn for every review you write, in addition to raffle tickets. They are a fun way to keep track of all your hard work!

The Raffle Prizes

Afternoon Pick-Me-Up #1

- \$25 Gift Card to Druthers Coffee*
- 15 Awake Caffeine-Infused Chocolate Bites
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Afternoon Pick-Me-Up #2

- \$25 Gift Card to Druthers Coffee*
- 15 Awake Caffeine-Infused Chocolate Bites
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Alt X Lit

- \$25 Gift Card to Hot Topic*
- \$10 Gift Card to Sonic*
- The *Dread Nation Duology* by Justina Ireland
- 1 Bag of Takis
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Booklover's Bundle

- 1 Booklover's Mug
- 1 Hot Chocolate Variety Pack
- \$10 Gift Card to Sonic*
- 7 Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Dinner at Del Fuego

- \$25 Gift Card to Del Fuego
- 1 Taco Dinosaur Mask (Made by Teen Librarian Emily Ostrander)
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Extreme Room Makeover

- \$50 Gift Card to Target
- 1 Set of String Lights
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Let's Get Baking!

- Gift Certificate from The Bite Size Bake Shop for **EITHER** a Private Zoom Baking Lesson **OR** 24 Mini Treats
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Let's Get Creative: Solo!

- 1 Paint By Numbers Kit for One
- \$15 Gift Card to Subway*
- 1 Elements of Visual Journaling Guidebook
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Let's Get Creative: Together!

- 2 Paint By Numbers Kits to Share
- \$25 Gift Card to Druthers*
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Picture This

- 1 Gift Certificate for an Individual or Family Portrait Session with Photographer John Braille
- 1 Whimsical Line and Clothespins Collage Kit
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

"The more books you read & review, the more raffle tickets you get and the greater your chances of WINNING!"

Pizza Party!

- \$25 Gift Card to Stony Brook Pizza*
- 1 Bag of Takis
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars

Sandwiches, Soup & Quackers!

- \$25 Gift Card to Crazy Beans*
- 1 Bag of Duck Food to Feed the Ducks at Stony Brook Pond
- 3 Surprise Teen Books
- 5 Full-Size Candy Bars



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