

Flint Public Library

Adult Summer Reading Challenge

Are you an adult aged 18 or older? Join our Reading Challenge, read books, and earn prize raffle tickets.

How to Play

1. Choose a Game Mode

Relaxed Mode

1 book = 1 raffle ticket

OR

Challenge Mode

1 bingo square = 2 raffle tickets
A “bingo” = additional 3 tickets
Limit of 3 “bingos”

2. Register Online

<https://bit.ly/reg-ASR24>

3. Log Your Reading

Relaxed Mode

<https://bit.ly/relax-ASR24>

Challenge Mode

<https://bit.ly/bingo-ASR24>

JUNE 28TH, 2024 – AUGUST 16TH, 2024

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FAQ

I have a hard time with the computer/can't access the internet. How can I participate?

Players can register & log books in-person at the library or by calling 978-774-8132.

I listen to audiobooks. Can I participate?

Yes! Audiobooks count.

Can I log Bingo AND non-Bingo books?

You can't play "Relaxed Mode" and "Challenge Mode" at the same time. If a Challenge Mode player completes every square on the bingo card, they can submit non-bingo books.

Can I submit a book before I finish it?

No. Books must be read in their entirety before being logged.

Do I have to read new books? Can I re-read an old favorite?

Sorry! You need to read something new.

How do I know if my book fits a bingo square?

Please email our Adult Services Librarian, Adrian Dearborn, at: adearborn@flintpublib.org. If in doubt, please ask. Books that don't qualify won't be counted!

Can a single book be used for multiple bingo squares?

No. *The Crucible*, for example, could count for "New England" or "Historical Fiction".

I have another question.

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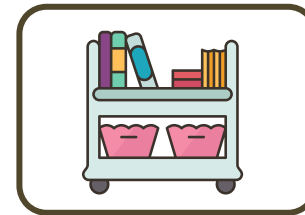
Prizes!

60-minute massage at Eternal Massage



Book Lover's Cart

Book cart with the winner's choice of 3 titles from the Flint's book sale stash, wireless earbuds, two mugs, lemon ginger tea, honey stir sticks, and a reading light



\$50 Maggie's Farm gift card



The Lot on South Main gift card bundle

\$15 gift cards to Taco Libre, Scott Brothers Barbecue, and Soi Siam



Books logged **after 11:59 PM** on **August 16th** will **not** be counted!

Winners will be drawn and announced on Tuesday, August 20th

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Reading Log




Book


Logged Online

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B I N G O

Read a book featuring an LGBTQ+ character !?	Unsung Women of History !?	Read a book featuring New England !?	Read a graphic novel !?	Pull a book from the Mystery Jar! 
Read a book you've always wanted to read	Read a non-fiction book	Read a book made into a movie/show !?	Read a historical fiction book	Read a book with an animal
Read a Children's novel !?	Your Choice	FREE SPACE 	Ask a librarian!	Read a "classic" you feel you should've read
Read a book from the "New" shelf	Read a speculative fiction book !?	Read a banned book !?	Read a memoir, autobiography, or biography	Your choice
Pull a book from the Mystery Jar! 	Read a book set somewhere you want to visit	Read a short story collection !?	Listen to an audiobook !?	Read a book written by a person of color !?

If you are unable to visit the library to pull a book from the Mystery Jar, clicking the  will generate a random title.

Stuck? Need a suggestion? Click on the **!?** for a list of qualifying titles or ask a librarian!

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Bingo Square Definitions

If in doubt, please ask! Books that don't qualify won't be counted!

Children's Novel

A novel or "chapter book" intended for pre-teen audiences. If in doubt, check if the book is shelved in a Children's Room or ask a librarian.

A "Classic" Book

A work that is widely considered to be of cultural/literary merit or importance.

Historical Fiction

A book which is set mostly in the past; pre-1990.

Mystery Jar

A jar that contains 50 books. Draw two titles and pick one to fulfill a square! For those unable to visit the library, a random title can be generated by clicking the Big Red Button or calling 978-774-8132.

The "New" Shelf

A book from the "new" books shelf at the upstairs circulation desk. If you are unable to visit the library, please call 978-774-8132 for assistance.

Unsung Women of History

A non-fiction book about women who've played an unknown/unappreciated role in history **OR** a fiction book based on the life of an unappreciated, historically significant woman. Entirely fictional works will not qualify.

Speculative Fiction

An umbrella genre describing books which contain elements that don't exist in reality, recorded history, nature, or the known universe. This can include magical realism, alternative history, science fiction, fantasy, dystopia, etc.