



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2022

Read 7 books out of 25 categories between June 1st and August 12th and enter to win a \$10 Amazon gift card.

- [*Gone to the Woods: Surviving a Lost Childhood*](#) by Gary Paulsen.
- A Biography or about history
- A book you already own
- A book you've been wanting to reread
- A book a friend recommended
- A Young Adult book (YA)
- A book with a great cover
- A book of poetry
- A memoir or autobiography
- A graphic novel
- A book for professional development (loosely defined)
- A book longer than 700 pages (counts as two books)
- A book with a verb in the title
- A play
- A book about a country or culture you have never visited
- A book with the number 7 in the title or subtitle (in honor of this being the 7th anniversary)
- A book that won an award
- A book by someone with a different view point than you recommended you read
- A mystery
- A classic
- An audiobook
- A book with an animal
- A book less than 100 pages
- A book you want to discuss with others
- A book you read as a child

Bonus: choose a Penalty Book in the first week of the challenge as a way to kick yourself in the pants. If you don't read your penalty book you will subtract two (2) books from your grand total. Your penalty book is:

Happy reading!
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