

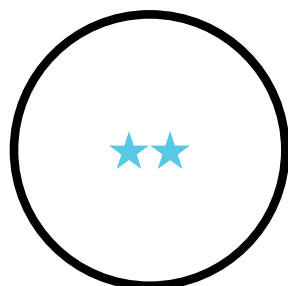
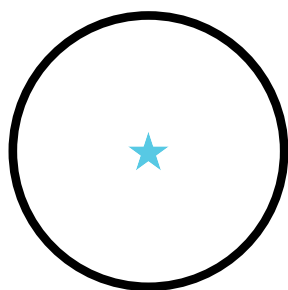
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When you finish a book from one of the Battle of the Books lists, visit your local library to stamp this passport. Read 5 books before May 15, 2026 to complete the challenge and earn an exclusive lightning bolt pin!

Visit jcls.org/battle to learn more.



Check off each book you read from the list below. Completed the challenge but itching for more?
Read an entire booklist to become a Battle Master!

All Ages Booklist

- ☐ *Better With Butter* by Victoria Piontek
- ☐ **The City of Ember* by Jeanne DuPrau
- ☐ *Elf Dog and Owl Head* by M. T. Anderson
- ☐ *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library* by Chris Grabenstein
- ☐ *Finding Langston* by Lesa Cline-Ransome
- ☐ *Inside Out and Back Again* by Thanh Hà Lại
- ☐ **Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen
- ☐ *The Lost Library* by Rebecca Stead and Wendy Mass
- ☐ *Just Like Click* by Sandy Grubb
- ☐ *The Million Dollar Race* by Matthew Ross Smith
- ☐ **Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry
- ☐ **Odder* by Katherine Applegate
- ☐ *The Remarkable Rescue at Milkweed Meadows* by Elaine Dimopoulos
- ☐ *The Secret Garden on 81st Street* by Ivy Noelle Weir & Amber Padilla
- ☐ **Squished* by Megan Wagner Lloyd and Michelle Mee Nutter
- ☐ *The Tail of Emily Windsnap* by Liz Kessler

Middle Grade Booklist

- ☐ **Aru Shah and the End of Time* by Roshani Chokshi
- ☐ *Asha and the Spirit Bird* by Jasbinder Bilan
- ☐ *Dealing with Dragons* by Patricia C. Wrede
- ☐ *A Dictionary of Scoundrels* by Beth Lincoln
- ☐ **Dragon Pearl* by Yoon Ha Lee
- ☐ *Ellen Outside the Lines* by A.J. Sass
- ☐ **The Eyes and the Impossible* by Dave Eggers
- ☐ **Mexikid: A Graphic Memoir* by Pedro Martín
- ☐ *An Occasionally Happy Family* by Cliff Burke
- ☐ *Projekt 1065: A Novel of World War II* by Alan Gratz
- ☐ *Rain Rising* by Courtne Comrie
- ☐ *Remember My Story* by Claire Sarnowski and Sarah Durand
- ☐ *Soar* by Joan Bauer
- ☐ *Tagging Freedom* by Rhonda Roumani
- ☐ **Tumble* by Celia C. Pérez
- ☐ *Uprooted: A Memoir About What Happens When...* by Ruth Chan

Young Adult Booklist

- ☐ *All My Rage* by Sabaa Tahir
- ☐ *An Appetite for Miracles* by Laekan Zea Kemp
- ☐ **Cemetery Boys* by Aiden Thomas
- ☐ *A Crane Among Wolves* by June Hur
- ☐ *Dragon Hoops* by Gene Luen Yang
- ☐ *Legends & Lattes* by Travis Baldree



- ☐ **Promise Boys* by Nick Brooks
- ☐ *Seven Percent of Ro Devereux* by Ellen O'Clover
- ☐ **Ship Breaker* by Paolo Bacigalupi
- ☐ **Six Crimson Cranes* by Elizabeth Lim
- ☐ **The Sunbearer Trials* by Aiden Thomas
- ☐ **When We Make It* by Elisabet Velasquez

*Spanish version available - local availability may vary.

ENTRY TICKET

Return this form to your local branch by **5/15/2026** for a chance to win a \$50 gift card to Barnes & Noble!

Name: _____

Grade (or "Adult"): _____ Library: _____

Contact email or phone: _____

Write the number of UBOB books you read from each list:



_____/16 **All Ages** ____/16 **Middle Grade** ____/12 **Young Adult**

Did you also track your progress with the reading app Beanstack? Yes/No

Were you on a Battle of the Books team for your school? Yes/No

What changes or additions would you make to this passport or the UBOB program? Any other feedback?

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