# Harvard Public Library TEEN SUMMER READING 2021

### FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADES 7-12

#### Participate in our

#### ONLINE SUMMER READING PROGRAM

Sign up online and participate in activities and challenges!
Earn small prizes & multiple entries in the Teen Summer Reading Raffle
where you can win one of THREE raffle prizes!

#### \$25 Gift Card to Kimball Farm \$25 Gift Card to Dunkin Donuts \$25 Gift Card to Amazon

Go to www.harvardpubliclibrary.org and click on the Teen Summer Reading Link to sign up!

Start your summer reading **after** you get out of school on June 16th.

- Go to www.harvardpubliclibrary.org and click on the Teens link at the top of the page.
- Next, click on the Teen Summer Reading 2021 link.
- The first time you log in, you will need to create a username and password.
- Once you have signed in, you can write book reviews or complete activity challenges.
- Each review or activity you complete will earn you 1 ticket in the Teen End of Summer Reading Raffle. You can even choose which of the 3 prizes you want your ticket to count for.

If you complete 3 reviews, you will earn a bag of small prizes and candy. If you complete 5 reviews, you will earn a book from the Pick-a-Book cart.

<u>Activity Badges:</u> To earn online activity badges, log in to your online summer reading account and click the **Badges** tab, and then the **Activity Badges** tab. Complete the challenges listed there to earn entries in the Teen End of Summer Reading Raffle Drawing.

**Book Reviews:** You can read and review any book from anywhere-it doesn't have to be something that you've checked out of the library. You may include your required summer reading, or listening to an audiobook.

To enter a book review, log in to the Teen Summer Reading program and click the **Badges** tab. Then, select the **Review Badges** tab to write a book review. Write a thoughtful, substantive review: tell us about the book, what you liked, and what you didn't like, questions you had, etc. Book reviews will be posted (anonymously) in the Teen Room as suggestions for other teens to read or not read!

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## Sign up to receive biweekly TEEN TAKE & MAKEKITS

Sign up to receive biweekly Take & Make Kits this summer. You can pick up the following kits on or after the date listed:

Monday, June 21st - Pom Pom Coasters

Tuesday, July 6th - Prism Suncatchers

Monday, July 19th - Mini Book Papercraft

Monday, August 2nd - DIY Windchimes

Monday, August 16th - Origami Kit

Take & Makes from past programs are available in the Teen Room, while supplies last!

## Join the monthly TEEN CONNECTIONS BOOK GROUP

Teen Connections is a book group for students in grades 7-12 and the adults in their lives. We read both teen & adult books, and meet once a month to discuss.

Thursday, June 17th at 7pm

The Golden Compass by Philip Pullman

Thursday, July 22nd at 7pm

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn by Betty Smith

Thursday, August 19th at 7pm

In My Hands: Memoirs of a Holocaust Rescuer by Irene Opdyke

To sign up for Take & Make Kits, or join Teen Connections Book Group, email Jill, the Teen Librarian at jhayes@cwmars.org