

Sav's Read Local Summer Challenge



Your Passport to an AWESOME summer full of great books!!

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So, you're sure you're up for Sav's Read Local Summer Challenge?

First, **TO QUALIFY**, you must please confirm the following:

- You currently live in or are originally from **Atlantic Canada**.
- You are between the ages of **13 and 18 inclusive** as of June 19, 2021, when the contest begins.
- You **love to read**.
- You enjoy **taking on a challenge**, especially a reading challenge.
- You plan to have a **bit of fun** along the way!



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INSTRUCTIONS TO GET STARTED

1. You must select a book to read that was published in Atlantic Canada. It must be from one of the following Atlantic Canadian publishing houses only:



Breakwater Books (English publisher based in *Newfoundland & Labrador*)



Acorn Press Canada (English publisher based in *Prince Edward Island*)



Goose Lane Editions (English publisher based in *New Brunswick*),



Bouton D'or Acadie (French publisher also based in *New Brunswick*), and



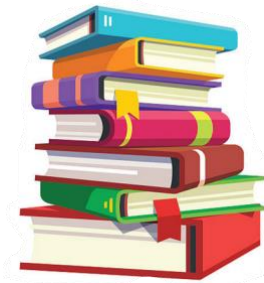
Nimbus Publishing (based in *Nova Scotia*).



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2. Select and acquire a copy of the book.

You can either buy the book by *ordering it online* or you get it *at your local library*. You can read the audio version, the eBook version, or the hard copy: it's entirely up to you. If you'd like to browse those books eligible for this challenge, you can click on the links below and search at our partnering publishers' websites.



[Breakwater Books](#)
[Acorn Press Canada](#)
[Goose Lane Editions](#)
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If you prefer, you can also check out the books the youth in Digitally Lit are currently reading. You can do so [by clicking here](#).



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3. Keep yourself motivated.

Because we feel the pursuit of reading is so important, we've decided to offer prizes to those young readers who decide to really take on this challenge!



First Place: \$100 value

Second Place: \$50 value

Third Place: \$25 value

All prizes will either be a gift certificate to your favourite local and independent bookstore or a donation of the same amount to your favourite local library. You get to decide! Meanwhile the winner will be decided based on the tracking process described below: those who accumulate the most points win!

4. Track your progress!

You can start tracking your progress as soon as the challenge launches. To do so, just fill out your passport below. Under **Book Title & Author**, simply type or write the book title and author's name. In the next column, under **Publisher**, let us know which of the five publishers-- Breakwater Books, Acorn Press, Bouton d'or Acadie, Goose Lane Editions or Nimbus Publishing--this book comes from. Next, track the days you start and finish each book. Under **Extra Points Description & URL/LINK**, please view the shorthand for what you can write to describe how you earned extra points. Whenever possible, please share any extra information to prove you've done so (a URL is fine, but you may also attach screen shots if you wish).

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In it to Win It ★★★★★ How to Earn Points!

Please find examples of shorthand wording (for example, "BOOK READ", "SM POST", "ENGAGE 50+"; etc) below. This is to help you save time and space on your tracking sheet. You can also read each [point earner's](#) full descriptions below!

BOOK READ.

Earn one point for every book read. ★

ENG BOOK REVIEW.

Earn one more point for submitting a book review in English. ★

NON ENG BOOK REVIEW.

Earn one point for submitting a book review in a language other than English ★

SM POST.

Earn a point for every original social media post about the challenge using hashtag #savreadlocalchallenge ★

ACTIVE DL YEP.

Earn a point for participating in any of the active Digitally Lit Youth Engagement projects listed [here](#) (for example, #YouthDrawTheWord, #inthistogether) ★

ENGAGE 50+.

Earn extra points for engaging more than 50 people on a given post about Sav's Read Local Summer Challenge. ★

THINKING BIG!

Earn extra points for Creativity & Fun, Critical Thinking and/or Social Empowerment, as measured by the Digitally Lit mentors and Savannah Ferris. ★

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SAMPLE

TRACKING YOUR PROGRESS

This is a sample of Joey Bookworm's passport...of course the hyperlinks are pretend.

BOOK TITLE & AUTHOR	PUBLISHER	START	FINISH	EXTRA POINTS DESCRIPTION & URL/LINK	SCORE
"Wereduck" by Dave Atkinson	Nimbus	July 19	July 21	BOOK READ; ENG BOOK REVIEW; SM POST (see SM links: for Twitter here , Intagram here)	★★★★
"Phantom of Fire" by Shane Peacock	Nimbus	July 22	July 28	BOOK READ; ACTIVE DL YEP (Used YA Oliver Hallett's Character Quiz to find this book to read)	★★★
"The Town That Drowned" by Riel Nason	Goose Lane	Aug 1	Aug 5	BOOK READ; SM POST; ENG BOOK REVIEW; NON ENG BOOK REVIEW; ENGAGE 50+ (I did a live book review for Tik Tok in both Eng & Fre my review went viral! See video with likes and shares here!)	★★★★ ★★★
"Queen of the Crows" by Harmony Wagner	Acorn Press	Aug 10	Aug 13	BOOK READ; ENG BOOK REVIEW; ACTIVE DL YEP; SM POST Did a drawing inspired by the book and posted it for Youth Draw the Word (YA Ellie Wilson's project). Shared drawing and my actual written book review on my Tik Tok , Instagram and Twitter accounts (links to my social media accounts embeded in words, can see the posts there)	★★★★ ★★★
"Send More Tourists, the Rest Were Delicious" By Tracey Waddleton	Breakwater Books	Aug 15	Aug 20	BOOK READ; ENG BOOK REVIEW; ACTIVE DL YEP; SM POST; THINKING BIG! I also made a video montage/book trailer and then posted it here, and tagged the author, who reposted it and helped it go viral. And I took my favourite quote and photographed myself with the book, to participate in YA Molly's "In This Together" campaign. I really loved this book!	★★★★ ★★★
"My Indian" by Saqamaw Mi'sel Joe	Breakwater Books	Aug 25	Sep 10	BOOK READ; ENG BOOK REVIEW; NON ENG BOOK REVIEW; ACTIVE DL YEP; SM POST; THINKING BIG! *Reminder to self to fill this in.	★★★★ ★★★
"The Sewing Basket" by Susan White	Acorn Press	Sept 10		<i>In progress.</i>	

Sav's Read Local Summer Challenge begins *Saturday, June 19 at noon* and ends *Saturday, September 11 at noon*. All tracking documents must be submitted electronically to info@digitallylit.ca with Sav's Read Local Summer Challenge: [Your Name] in the SUBJECT LINE. For further instructions please see website at www.digitallylit.ca.

**If you print this remember, just remember to save your tracking information at the link provided too so you can send it to us online!
Still got questions? Write Savannah on social media or email us at Digitally Lit. We can be reached at info@digitallylit.ca.*