



#SAGESREAD 2023 CHALLENGES

(Prizes start when you complete just four challenges. See back for details!)

- [] Read a book with a one-word title:

- [] Read a book that you or your family owns, but that you haven't read yet:

- [] Read a book set in a country you would like to visit:

- [] Read a book that has non-human characters:

- [] Read one of your favorite author's favorite books:

- [] Read a mystery or true crime book that does not involve murder:

- [] Read a book written by or featuring a character who is neurodiverse or has a disability:

- [] Read a book that won a Newbery or Caldecott Medal or Honor:

- [] Read a book that has been banned or challenged:

- [] Read a book written during or about a particular season (i.e., fall, winter, etc.):

- [] Read a book that you picked solely based on the cover:

- [] Read a book in which the main character is very different from you:

- [] Read a YA or younger nonfiction book:

- [] Read a book by a Native American, Indigenous, or First Nations author:

- [] Read a book with a map inside:

- [] Read a book about siblings:

- [] Read a book with books on the cover:

- [] Read a book that was published the year you were born:

- [] Read a book that is part of a series:

- [] Read a book that meets any Sages Read challenge from a previous year (all past challenges are available at [SagesReadMonticello.weebly.com](https://www.sagesreadmonticello.com)):



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Welcome to Sages Read — an all-ages, all-community reading challenge! Sages Read is a joint initiative of Monticello schools, Allerton Public Library, and Hartfield Book Co. Find more info, including past challenges and recommendations at SagesReadMonticello.weebly.com. And don't forget to follow [@SagesRead](#) on Facebook and Instagram for updates, challenge reminders, and recommendations from other Sages Readers.

And now for the important stuff — the prizes! You can get multiple reading rewards throughout the year!

WHAT ARE THE PRIZES?!

THE BOOK BUG PRIZE Read four books that complete four challenges and you have clearly been bitten by the Book Bug! You get to select a prize from our treasure box (may include gift cards and coupons for Hartfield Book Co., local restaurants, and other local businesses).

THE BOOK WORM PRIZE Read eight books that complete eight challenges and you are officially a Book Worm! You have earned a trip to Hartfield's book vault to select one book or book galley from Hartfield's children's and adult giveaway collections.

THE BOOK DRAGON PRIZE Read 12 books that complete 12 challenges and we will declare you to be a mighty Book Dragon! You will receive a second trip to the book vault, this time selecting two books or book galleys from Hartfield's children's and adult giveaway collections. You will also get to choose one of our super exclusive, limited edition, Sages Read-branded items.

THE BOOK MAGE GRAND PRIZE Read 20 books that complete all 20 challenges by December 31, 2023, and you will be dubbed the mightiest of the mighty, the bookish-est of the bookish... the powerful Book Mage! As such, you will be endowed with a satchel full of bibliomagic (a.k.a., a tote bag stuffed full of books).

HOW DO I CLAIM THE PRIZES?!

Book Bug, Book Worm and Book Dragon prizes can be claimed anytime throughout the year. Just bring your challenge sheet or list of books into Hartfield Book Co. during regular store hours. A bookseller will check off your challenges, deliver your prize(s) and send you on your merry way to continue your awesome reading adventures!

Book Mage prizes will be fulfilled three times a year (in June, September and January). Readers are encouraged to drop off their challenge sheets at Hartfield Book Co. as soon as they have completed the requisite number of challenges, so they can be added to the next prize pick-up. You will be contacted when your prize is ready for pickup.

QUESTIONS?

Don't hesitate to ask any one of your friendly neighborhood booksellers or librarians!