



YOU CHOOSE YOUR ADVENTURE XTREME READS 2024

Entering Grades 3rd-6th May 19 -July 30

Step 1: Go to www.oneallibrary.org. Select the Xtreme Reads tab from the Children’s drop down menu and follow the instructions to the Beanstack summer reading website.

Step 2: If you’ve participated in an online reading program with O’Neal Library before, then you already have a Beanstack account. Use your username and password to log in. If you don’t remember your information, follow the links to reset your password OR get in touch with Ms. Morgan at ONLxtremereads@gmail.com for help. If you’ve never participated in summer reading at the O’Neal Library, then create a new account.

Step 3: Select the Challenges tab or click on the O’Neal Library logo in the upper left corner. Find "2024 Xtreme Summer Reading" and click on "Register for this Challenge."

Step 4: Read a book that fits a badge on this handout. On the Activity Badge page enter your book’s information (title, author, and number of pages) AND the required response. The Activity Badge icon should change from gray to full color and appear under the “Earned Badges” tab.

Prizes! Each time you complete a badge, you will be entered into 2 drawings: a weekly gift card drawing AND the end-of-summer drawing to win one of our grand prizes (one iPad Mini and other prizes). Grand prize winners will be announced August 1st.

More Prizes! For every 5 badges you complete you win 1 book, up to 9 books total across both Xtreme and Classic summer reading programs.

Read a different book for each badge.

Books must be 100+ pages.

Badges can be completed in any order.



Badges	Read	Post on Your Activity Badge
#1 Summer	In honor of summer reading, read a book whose title starts with one of the letters of the word ADVENTURE.	Post five words that describe the book.
#2 Winning	You’re never too old for picture books. Read 3 Caldecott winning books. (These books can be less than 100 pages.)	Which book was your favorite? Why?
#3 Movies	Read a book with a movie or TV tie-in.	Which was better, the book or the movie/TV show?
#4 Choose	Read a “you choose” book. (See our suggested books list for help.)	How many times did you have to restart the story to get a happy ending?
#5 Traveling	Read a book set in a different country.	Post which country the book took place in and if you’d ever want to visit there.



#6 Surprises	A different genre will be posted each week on the Xtreme homepage. Read a book in one of these genres.	Post what genre you read. Do you like those kinds of books?
#7 Something's Cooking	Read a cookbook and make one of the recipes. (The cookbook can be less than 100 pages.)	Post what you made. Was it delicious?
#8 Birthdays	Read a book that is older than you are. (Check the copyright year to make sure it's older than you.)	Write the year and a review.
#9 Let's Get Real	Read a biography.	Write three things you learned from the book.
#10 Homework	Read a book from your school's summer reading list.	Write a review.
#11 Friendship	Read a book recommended by a friend.	Post who recommended the book and if you liked it.
#12 Author	Read a book by an author you've never read before.	Will you read more of their books?
#13 Adventure	Read an adventure story.	Write a review.
#14 The Present	Read a book published in 2024.	Post five words that describe the book.
#15 History	2024 is the 60th anniversary of the Civil Rights Act. Read a book set in the 60's.	Write a review.
#16 Librarians	Read a book suggested by an O'Neal librarian.	Did you enjoy the suggestion?
#17 Poetry	Read a novel in verse or a collection of poetry.	Write your own poem.

#18 Graphic Novel

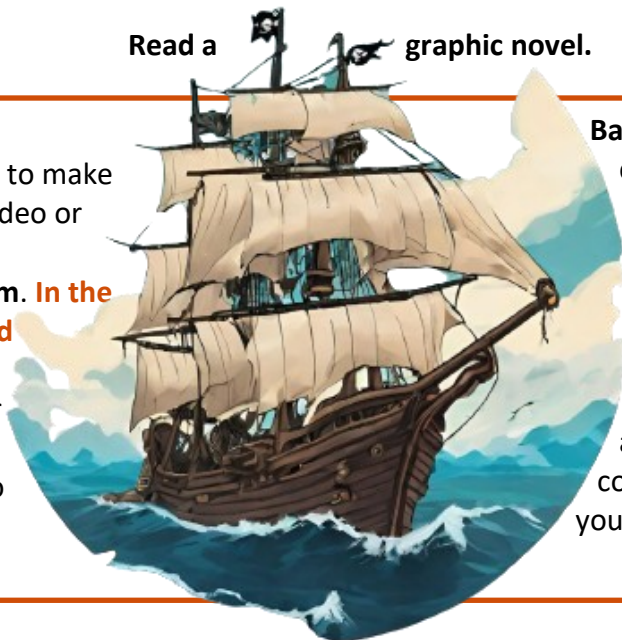
Read a graphic novel.

Post five words that describe the book.

Bonus Badges:

You can use a camera phone to make these responses. Send the video or picture to the email:

ONLxtremereads@gmail.com. In the email include your name and the book's title, author and number of pages. Once your email has been received you'll be sent a code word to enter on your Xtreme Reads page to receive credit.



Badge #19 Book Talk Submit a video commercial for a book of your choice you used for a previous badge). Feel free to get creative!

Badge #20 Reading Adventure Go on a reading adventure! Read in some place unusual for you: on a plane, at the park, on a pirate ship, in another country, etc. Take a picture of yourself on your reading adventure and email it in.