





2019 Staff Reading Challenge

You can begin the challenge on December 1st, 2018 and it ends on November 30th, 2019. If you read 20 titles from the main challenge, you will be entered into a drawing for a grand prize, to be drawn on Staff Development Day 2019. If you read the 20 book challenge, and complete the 6 book advanced challenge (equals 1 book every two weeks during the year) you will be entered twice into the grand prize drawing.

Challenge	Book	Possible Titles/Notes
A book from any Staff List on Bibliocore.		
A book from your "For Later" shelf in your Bibliocore account.		
A book from the 2019 Howard County Reads list.		
A book that's published in 2019.		
A book by a debut author.		
A read alike recommended by Novelist for one of your favorite books.		
A book that has a flower or sword on the cover.  		
Any book published <i>at least</i> five years ago.		
A Children's, Jr. High or Teen Book.		
A novel set in a country other than your own.		
A book that has food (or a food) in the title or subtitle.		
Any downloadable audiobook or e-book.		
A book that involves a journey.		
A book you associate with this emoji. 		
A book recommended by a patron or a personal friend.		
A book involving a train.		
A book that features art, artists, or performing artists.		
A book that is space themed for Discover Space.		
A book that appeared on a past Howard County Read list.		
A book you said you were going to read, but never did. 		

Bonus Books		
A book that's been translated into English.		
A book that has won an award or appeared on a "Best of" type list.		
A book that combines two genres (e.g. historical fic + romance or biography +		
Reread one of your all time favorite books.		
A book published the year you were born.		
A book encouraging personal growth (hobby, organizing, emotional, etc...)		

Email Melissa at mwheelock@khcpl.org to suggest challenges for the 2020 KHCPL Staff Reading Challenge.