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A BOOK WITH THE WORD "TIME" IN THE TITLE

Suggested titles in this category:

- The Time Machine*, HG Wells
- The time traveler's wife*, Carla Niffenegger
- A Tale for the Time Being*, Ruth Ozeki

Title: _____

Author: _____

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Garden City Public Library Extreme
Book Nerd Challenge

A BOOK WITH A BLUE COVER

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT OR SET DURING WWII

Suggested titles in this category:

- Girls of Atomic City*, Denise Kiernan
- Alice Network*, Kate Quinn
- The War That Saved My Life*, Kimberly Brubaker Bradley

Title: _____

Author: _____

50 BOOKS IN 50 WEEKS

Are you extreme enough?



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A BOOK SET IN THE 1920'S

Suggested titles in this category:

- A Gentleman in Moscow*, Amor Towles
- The Great Gatsby*, F. Scott Fitzgerald
- Josephine Baker's Last Dance*, Sherry Jones

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WRITTEN BY AN INDIGENOUS AMERICAN AUTHOR

Suggested titles in this category:

- Trail of Lightning*, Rebecca Roanhorse
- Split Tooth*, Tanya Tagaq
- The Removed*, Brandon Hobson

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WRITTEN BY A MUSICIAN

Suggested titles in this category:

- A Night Without Armor*, Jewel
- Reba: My Story*, Reba McEntire
- Chronicles*, Bob Dylan

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SET DURING A HOLIDAY

Suggested titles in this category:

- Rules of Civility*, Amor Towles
- Winter Solstice*, Elin Hilderbrand
- Last Christmas in Paris*, Hazel Gaynor

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WITH A HEIST IN IT

Suggested titles in this category:

- The Maltese Falcon*, Dashiell Hammett
- Family Jewels*, Stuart Woods
- Six of Crows*, Leigh Bardugo

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK YOU READ IN HIGH SCHOOL

Title: _____

Author: _____



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A BOOK ABOUT A REFUGEE

Suggested titles in this category:

- Girl Who Smiled Beads*, Clemantine Wamariya
- Salt to the Sea*, Ruta Sepetys
- Tell Me How It Ends: An Essay in Forty Questions*, Valeria Luiselli

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SUGGESTED BY A LIBRARIAN

Title: _____

Author: _____

A DYSTOPIAN FICTION BOOK

Suggested titles in this category:

- The Road*, Cormack McCarthy
- Children of Men*, P.D. James
- Red Rising*, Pierce Brown

Title: _____

Author: _____

A COLLECTION OF SHORT STORIES

Suggested titles in this category:

- Fuzz: When Nature Breaks the Law*, Mary Roach
- Night Shift*, Stephen King
- Your Duck is My Duck*, Deborah Eisenberg

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK FROM YOUR OWN "TO-READ" LIST

Title: _____

Author: _____

A CLASSIC NOVEL

Suggested titles in this category:

- To kill a mockingbird*, Harper Lee
- For Whom the Bells Toll*, Ernest Hemmingway
- *Of Mice and Men*, John Steinbeck

Title: _____

Author: _____



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A BOOK WRITTEN BY OR ABOUT A NURSE

Suggested titles in this category:

- Never Change*, Elizabeth Berg
- Lieutenant's Nurse*, Sara Ackerman
- Small Great Things*, Jodi Picoult

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WITH A TEEN PROTAGONIST

Suggested titles in this category:

- Divergent*, Veronica Roth
- The Bear and the Nightingale*, Katherine Arden
- Hatchet*, Gary Paulson

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SET IN OUTER SPACE

Suggested titles in this category:

- The Martian*, Andy Weir
- The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy*, Douglas Adams
- The Abyss Beyond Dreams*, Peter F. Hamilton

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WITH "EXTREME", "BOOK", OR "NERD" IN THE TITLE

Suggested titles in this category:

- Book Lovers*, Emily Henry
- Extreme Medicine*, Kevin Fong

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT CLASS/SOCIOECONOMICS

Suggested titles in this category:

- Evicted: Poverty and Profit in the American City*, Matthew Desmond
- Empire Falls*, Richard Russo
- The Glass Castle* by Jeannette Walls

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SUGGESTED BY A LOVED ONE

Title: _____

Author: _____



A BOOK WITH A FOODY (FOOD) THEME

Suggested titles in this category:

- *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society*, Mary Ann Shafer and Annie Borrowes
- *Dying for Chocolate*, Diana Mott Davidson
- *The Omnivore's Dilemma*, Michael Pollan

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT A LIBRARIAN

Suggested titles in this category:

- *The Giver of Stars*, Jojo Moyes
- *Running the Books: The Adventures of an Accidental Prison Librarian*, Avi Steinberg
- *This Is What a Librarian Looks Like*, Kyle Cassidy

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK BY AN IDAHO AUTHOR

Suggested titles in this category:

- *Cloud Cuckoo Land*, Anthony Doerr
- *Beyond Recognition*, Ridley Pearson
- *The Sand Pebbles*, Richard McKenna

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BIOGRAPHY

Suggested titles in this category:

- *The Stranger in the Woods: The Extraordinary Story of the Last True Hermit*, Michael Finkel
- *Frida: A Biography of Frida Kahlo*, Hayden Herrera
- *Eisenhower in War and Peace*, Jean Edward Smith

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT AN ANIMAL

Suggested titles in this category:

- *The World According to Bob*, James Bowen
- *Tuesday's Promise*, Luis Carlos Montalvan
- *Animals in Translation: Using the Mysteries of Autism to Decode Animal Behavior*, Temple Grandin

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT A JOB YOU FIND INTERESTING

Title: _____

Author: _____



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A BOOK WITH GOOD VS EVIL

Suggested titles in this category:

- Devil in the White City*, Erik Larson
- The Evil Men Do*, John McMahon
- Just Babies: The Origins of Good and Evil*, Paul Bloom

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK THAT TICKLES YOUR FUNNY BONE

Suggested titles in this category:

- A Fine and Pleasant Misery*, Patrick McManus
- The Number One Ladies Detective Agency*, Alexander McCall Smith
- The Princess Bride*, William Goldman

Title: _____

Author: _____

A YRCA (YOUNG READER'S CHOICE AWARD BOOK)

Suggested titles in this category:

- City of Ghosts*, Victoria Schwab
- Three Dark Crowns*, Kendare Blake
- Smile*, Raina Telgemeier

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT A REMARKABLE WOMAN IN HISTORY

Suggested titles in this category:

- Almost Famous Women*, Megan Mayhew Bergman
- Saint Mazie*, Jami Attenberg
- Ruth Bader Ginsburg*, Jane Sherron de Hart

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK FROM THE BOTTOM SHELF OF THE LIBRARY/BOOK STORE

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SET IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

Suggested titles in this category:

- Bangkok Wakes to Rain*, Pitchaya Sudbanthad
- Sightseeing*, Rattawut Lapcharoensap
- Man Tiger*, Eka Kurniawan

Title: _____

Author: _____



A BOOK ABOUT SURVIVAL

Suggested titles in this category:

-*Into Thin Air: A Personal Account of the Mount Everest Disaster*, Jon Krakauer

-*Watership Down*, Richard Adams

-*Deep Survival: Who Lives, Who Dies, and Why*,
Laurence Gonzales

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT 1 OF YOUR PERSONAL GOALS

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WRITTEN BY AN AUTHOR WITH THE SAME BIRTH MONTH AS YOU

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT FAMILY

Suggested titles in this category:

-*Little Fires Everywhere*, Celeste Ng

-*The Art of Racing in the Rain*, Garth Stein

-*Where'd You Go, Bernadette?*, Maria Semple

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT NATURE

Suggested titles in this category:

-*The Overstory*, Richard Powers

-*The Hidden Life of Trees*, Peter Wohlleben

-*The Final Frontiersman*, James Campbell

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK WRITTEN BY A CELEBRITY

Suggested titles in this category:

-*Uncommon Type*, Tom Hanks

-*Born a Crime*, Trevor Noah

-*Yearbook*, Seth Rogen

Title: _____

Author: _____



**A BOOK SET IN THE STATE
WHERE A FAMILY MEMBER
GREW UP**

Title: _____

Author: _____

**A BOOK YOU WANT TO
RE-READ**

Title: _____

Author: _____

**Award winner (Hugo,
Edward, Booker etc..)**

Suggested titles in this category:

- A Memory Called Empire*, Arkady Martine
- The Promise*, Damon Galgut
- The Night Watchman*, Louise Erdrich

Title: _____

Author: _____

A SEA BOOK

Suggested titles in this category:

- The Light Between Oceans*, M.L. Stedman
- Into the Planet: My Life as a Cave Diver*, Jill Heinerth
- Salt to the Sea*, Ruta Sepetys

Title: _____

Author: _____

PUBLISHED IN 2022

Title: _____

Author: _____

A NEW TO YOU AUTHOR

Title: _____

Author: _____



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A BOOK YOU HAD TO WAIT FOR

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK SET ON A FARM OR RURAL LOCATION

Suggested titles in this category:

- Hillbilly Elogy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis*, J.D. Vance
- Beartown*, Fredrik Backman
- The Great Alone*, Kristin Hannah

Title: _____

Author: _____

A BOOK ABOUT MAGIC

Suggested titles in this category:

- A Darker Shade of Magic*, V. E. Schwab
- The Fifth Season*, N. K. Jemisin
- A Discovery of Witches*, Deborah Harkness

Title: _____

Author: _____

2022 TREASURE VALLEY READS PICK

Title: *Cloud Cuckoo Land*

Author: Anthony Doerr

A BOOK THAT CHALLENGES YOU

Title: _____

Author: _____

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