

Zines are all about community connection and creativity. Reimagine the cover of a book that means a lot to you right now, and submit your work to DPL's Social Distanzine Winter of Reading edition.

What title did you pick, and why?

Call our LitLine (720-865-2003) or Phone-a-Story (720-865-8500) service to hear a poem or story read aloud. What did you listen to?

**If you need help completing any of the activities, ask our staff by calling, emailing, or chatting with librarians at denverlibrary.org/ask/!*

Learn to use the NovelList advisory database and create the ideal book club reading list for 2021. Name a few titles you selected, and why you picked them.

Attend one of our many virtual programs.

What did you attend and what was your takeaway?

Watch a Learn Make Share video from DPL's YouTube page - make something, then share it with us on Facebook or Instagram with the hashtag #winterofreading2021. What did you make?

RULES

Participants must be age 17+. Prizes are limited to one mug or neck gaiter per customer.

PRIZES

Once you've completed the activities, bring this booklet into any Denver Public Library location to get your prize, a Winter of Reading mug or neck gaiter.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

1. Get your brochure.
2. Complete any five activities listed inside.
3. Bring your brochure to a location by Feb. 28, 2021 to claim your prize.

Prizes available while supplies last.

PRIZE PICK UP

For quick and convenient prize pick up, we encourage you to make a curbside appointment at denverlibrary.org/curbside-holds. Please enter "Winter of Reading Prize Pick Up" in the specials notes field. You can also call the location to set up a pick up time. If you cannot make it to a library location please email winterofreading@denverlibrary.org or call 720-865-1111.

WINTER OF READING

JANUARY 2-FEBRUARY 28



Winter of Reading 2021 Activities

Complete any five activities and describe what you did. You don't have to stop at five!

Reading

Call or video chat with someone who may not be able to get out much these days and read them a short story, excerpt, or poem over the phone. Who did you call and what did you read?

Read or listen to a book with an older adult as a main character or an intergenerational story. What differences and similarities between age groups did you notice?

Check out our Staff Picks and Core Collections on our website, or Five at Five Book Buzz on our YouTube channel. What did you select and would you recommend it to a friend?

Submit a request for a Curbside Book Bundle or Personalized Reading List at denverlibrary.org/reads for a genre that you are unfamiliar with. What did you request, and will you keep reading in this genre?

The UN General Assembly has declared the year 2021 as 'The International Year of Peace and Trust.' Read or listen to a memoir or biography of someone regarded as a peacekeeper. Who did you read about?

Read a graphic novel that has been made into a movie (or vice versa) and compare the experience. Which was better?

Experience

Attend our virtual Battle of the Books event on January 16 and vote for a new title to be added to *1000 Books to Read Before You Die*. What did you vote for?

Make a postcard about your favorite line or scene from something you read or listened to. What did you put on the postcard, and who did you send it to?
