Sponsored by Liberty University Online Academy

Official Rules

No purchase or payment of any kind is necessary to enter or win.

Open only to eligible legal residents of the fifty (50) United States and the District of Columbia who are students in grades K-12 in Liberty University Online Academy's Program through the end of the Contest Period (defined below).

Void in Colorado, Maryland, Puerto Rico, and all other jurisdictions where prohibited, taxed or restricted by law. If under the age of eighteen (18), Entrant must have a parent or legal guardian's consent to participate.

SPONSOR

The sponsor and operator of this Summer Reading Challenge ("Contest") is Liberty University Online Academy ("LUOA"), located at 1971 University Boulevard, Lynchburg, Virginia 24515 ("Sponsor"). The Sponsor is solely responsible for its administration and fulfillment.

- Entrants should look solely to Sponsor with any questions, comments, claims or problems related to the Contest.
- Sponsor may be reached by email at <u>onlineacademyevents@liberty.edu</u> during the Contest Period.

ENTRY PERIOD AND PARAMETERS

This Contest begins on June 1st at 12 a.m. EST and ends on July 31st at 11:59:59 p.m. EST (the "Contest Period").

- Limit one (1) entry per person.
- No purchase is necessary to enter Contest or win, but winner(s) must pay the standard fees associated with enrolling at Liberty University Online Academy.
- Sponsor's computer is the official time keeping device for the Contest.
- By participating in the Contest, each Entrant unconditionally accepts and agrees to comply with and abide by these Official Rules and the decisions of Sponsor, which shall be final and binding in all respects. These Official Rules contain grants of rights, and contain releases of claims and other rights.
- This Contest is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

Entry void in Colorado, Maryland, Puerto Rico, and any other jurisdictions where restricted, taxed or prohibited by law.

HOW TO ENTER

Step 1: Select books to read. You may choose any book you like, provided you read it during the Contest Period. If you need help choosing books, see the Sponsor's Summer Reading List located on its <u>website for a list of potential books to read</u>.

Step 2: Download the available pdf bookmark to keep a reading log or use a notebook or a spreadsheet – whatever works best for you. As you complete books, record the full name of the book, the author, the number of pages you read, and the date of completion for each book ("Reading Log").

Step 3: Between August 1st and August 16th 2024, submit the Reading Log to the Sponsor by completing the Summer Reading Challenge Online Form located here: <u>Summer Reading Challenge</u>.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS.

All persons must meet all the following qualifications to enter the Contest:

- Must be a legal resident of the fifty (50) United States and District of Columbia.
- If under the age of eighteen (18), Entrant must have a parent or legal guardian's consent to participate in the Contest.
- Must be a current K-12 LUOA student through the end of the Contest Period.
- Must submit the Reading Log through the Summer Reading Challenge Online Form between August 1st at 12:00:00 a.m. EST and 11:59:59 p.m. EST on August 16th such that the Reading Log is received by Sponsor.
- Must not engage in any action that Sponsor, in its sole discretion, determines to be an attempt to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, deception or other unfair playing practice or by annoying, abusing, threatening, or harassing any other participant or the Sponsor.

Final eligibility for the award of any prize is subject to eligibility verification as set forth below and as determined solely by Sponsor.

GOVERNING LAW

This event is governed by the laws of Virginia. Issues concerning the construction, validity, interpretation, and/or enforceability of these Official Rules shall be governed by the law of Virginia.

PRIZES

Four (4) winners will each win one (1) Summer Reading Challenge Prize Pack. One (1) winner will be chosen from lower elementary level grades (K-3), one (1) winner will be chosen from upper elementary level grades (4-5), one (1) winner will be chosen from middle grades (7-8), and one (1) will be chosen from high school grades (9-12). In addition, all entrants who read and submit a Reading Log and complete the number of required books will win an LUOA magnetic bookmark. The total approximate value of all prizes offered in the Promotion is \$900, which may vary depending upon the total number of eligible entrants who read and return Reading Logs.

- Prizes cannot be transferred, redeemed for cash, or substituted by winner(s).
- Sponsor reserves the right in its sole and absolute discretion to award a substitute prize of equal or greater value if a prize described in these Official Rules is unavailable or cannot be awarded, in whole or in part, for any reason.
- The odds of winning the Contest depend on the total number of eligible entries received.
- Sponsor makes no representation or warranty concerning the appearance, safety or performance of any prize awarded.
- Restrictions, conditions, and limitations may apply.
- This Contest is open to legal residents of the United States and prize will only be awarded and/or delivered to addresses within said locations.
- All federal, state and/or local taxes, fees, and surcharges are the sole responsibility of the prize winner.
- Failure to comply with the Official Rules will result in forfeiture of the prize.

WINNER SELECTION

The potential winner(s) of the Contest will be evaluated and selected from among all eligible entries according to the number of completed Reading Logs. The potential winner(s) will be evaluated and selected by the Sponsor or its designated representatives, whose decisions are final. Judges will be full-time faculty or staff with experience and professional training in education. Sponsor will notify the potential winner(s) on or about August 19, 2024 via the e-mail address or telephone number included with his or her entry.

WINNER NOTIFICATION

Potential winner(s) will be notified by email upon being selected as a prize recipient, which should occur before or about August 19, 2024 via the email address included with their entry.

• Sponsor is not responsible for any delay or failure to receive notification for any reason, including inactive phone number(s), closed email account(s), technical difficulties associated

therewith, or winner's failure to adequately monitor their phone(s) and or email account(s). Any potential winner notification by phone and/or email that is not timely answered after three (3) attempts may result in prize forfeiture and award of the prize to the next highest rated entry that had not been selected as a potential winner. This process may be repeated up to two (2) times, after which, if the prize remains unclaimed, the prize will remain the property of Sponsor.

• Except where prohibited, potential winner(s) must sign and return to Sponsor, within (7) days of being notified, an Affidavit of Eligibility and Liability/Publicity Release and a Gift Reporting Form to be declared a winner and claim the prize. If any selected potential winner fails to sign and return the foregoing documents within the required time period, the prize may be forfeited, and a substitute winner may be selected using the process described above.

RIGHT TO USE WINNER'S NAME, LIKENESS, AND BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION.

Except where prohibited by law, by entering the Promotion and accepting the prize, the winner grants to Sponsor, Liberty University, their respective affiliates, successors and assigns, and others that Sponsor may designate from time to time, the unconditional right, license, and permission to use the winner's name, likeness, and biographical information worldwide, in any media now known or hereafter devised, in perpetuity, on a royalty-free basis, without further compensation or right of approval, in order to publicize the Promotion and for any other promotional, advertising, publicity, or trade purpose.

PRIVACY

Any personal information supplied by Entrant will be subject to the privacy policy of the Sponsor.

LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY OF PROMOTION PARTIES.

Neither Sponsor or its corporate partners, subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies, and any other entity involved in the development or administration of this Contest assumes responsibility for:

- Any incorrect or inaccurate entry information, or for any faulty or failed electronic data transmissions;
- Any unauthorized access to, or theft, destruction, or alteration of entries at any point in the operation of this Contest;
- Any technical malfunction, failure, error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or communications line failure, regardless of cause, with regard to any equipment, systems, networks, lines, satellites, servers, camera, computers, or providers utilized in any aspect of the operation of the Contest;

- Inaccessibility or unavailability of any network or wireless service, the Internet or website or any combination thereof;
- Suspended or discontinued Internet, wireless or landline phone service; or
- Any injury or damage to participants' or to any other person's computer or mobile device which may be related to or resulting from any attempt to participate in the Contest or download of any materials in the Contest.

If, for any reason, the Contest is not capable of running as planned for reasons which may include without limitation, a force majeure event, infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, or any other causes which may corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of this Contest, the Sponsor reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to cancel, terminate, modify, or suspend the Contest in whole or in part.

In such event, Sponsor shall immediately suspend all prize awards, and Sponsor reserves the right to award any remaining prizes (up to the total prize value as set forth in these Official Rules) in a manner deemed fair and equitable by Sponsor. Sponsor and released entities shall not have any further liability to any participant in connection with the Contest.