

# The Gold Reading Challenge



# Your Mission, Should You Care To Accept It.....

Read a **fiction** book that is **at least 300 pages long** and write a blurb (30-50 words) for the back cover of this book



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Join your local public library (if you haven't already) and borrow **either** an eBook **or** an audiobook

The ebook you selected or the audiobook you listened to is:

Author(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Show your public library borrowing card to Miss Ryan in the Library



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Read a book on a topic or subject of particular interest to you. I can be **either fiction or non-fiction** but **must be over 300 pages long if a fiction book and over 100 pages if a non-fiction book.**

The book you selected is:

Author(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

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## Complete a project

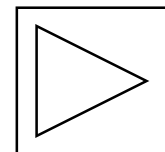
Carry out research on an **author** or **topic** which interests you

Present it as an A3 poster

It must be **handwritten** in your own words. Copy & paste is not allowed.

List your sources of information in a Bibliography – Miss Ryan will help you

The research project should include the following elements



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## Author project requirements

Name of the author

Date and place of birth

His/Her picture

List of books s/he has written (at least 3)




# Author Project Requirements - Continued

Five interesting facts you have learned about the author **or** five interesting facts you have learned about the topic. Full sentences are required.

What themes are explored in his/her writing (if a fiction author is chosen).

What do you like about her/his writing style. Give 3 examples from her/his work





# Certificate of Achievement

THIS ACKNOWLEDGES THAT

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**You do not have to have completed the Bronze and Silver challenges to start the Gold Challenge**

**There is no time limit on completing this challenge other than it must be started and finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> Year**

**Interested? Of Course You Are!! Speak to Miss Ryan**