

WINTER READING

✧ · ✧ BLIZZARD BINGO ✧ · ✧

DECEMBER 1 – JANUARY 31 ✧ YOUTH CARD

<p>Baby (birth - 2 years) You can also complete any bingo square by reading a book.</p>	<p>Youth (3 years & up) You can also complete any bingo square by reading for an hour.</p>	<p>Teen (Grade 6 - 12) Log in online to find your bingo challenges at www.northbrook.info/winter-reading</p>		
 <p>Fill out a Five Fresh Reads request</p>	<p>Read your parents' or siblings favorite book</p>	 <p>Take a photo in nature</p>	<p>List 3 things you are grateful for</p>	 <p>Complete a puzzle</p>
<p>Draw a new cover for a book</p>	 <p>Attend a virtual library program</p>	<p>Make a fort</p>	 <p>Listen to an audiobook</p>	<p>Turn off the computer and TV for a day</p>
 <p>Go outside and play outdoors</p>	<p>Watch a movie based on a book</p>	<h1>FREE</h1>	<p>Read in your pajamas</p>	 <p>Read to a favorite pet or toy</p>
<p>List 3 things you love about winter</p>	 <p>Send fan mail to an author</p>	<p>Explore a museum virtually</p>	 <p>Check out an eBook</p>	 <p>Watch the sunrise and/or sunset</p>
 <p>Cook together as a family</p>	<p>Write an email to a distant family member</p>	 <p>Write and sing your own song</p>	<p>Read a book by an author you've never read</p>	 <p>Request a Book Bundle</p>

Sign up and log your activities/reading at www.northbrook.info/winter-reading.

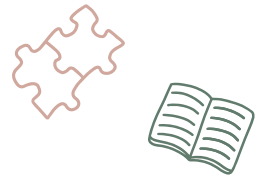
If you don't have access to a computer, sign up and track adult reading/activities by phone at 847-272-4300.

 Indicates we've created a video to help inspire you complete this challenge.



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This year, instead of our traditional Winter Reading program, we invite you to play Blizzard Bingo, where we challenge you to complete some fun activities. We have challenges for all age groups, including early literacy activities for our youngest readers.

If you'd rather stick to a more traditional Winter Reading format, you can also complete any of the activities on the bingo board by reading instead—it's up to you!

✧ HOW TO PLAY

- Just like regular bingo, you can win a game of Blizzard Bingo by completing a line of five activities (horizontal, vertical, or diagonal). Remember, you can also complete any of the squares by reading for an hour instead of completing an activity.
- The more games of bingo you win, the more prizes we'll add to your prize box—up to five total prizes!
- You can also watch our fun staff videos to help inspire you to complete some of the Blizzard Bingo activities. Watch for more information on social media, by email, or visit www.northbrook.info/winter-reading.
- At the end of Winter Reading, you'll get your prize box via contactless pickup.

✧ BUILD YOUR PRIZE BOX

- After you win your first game of bingo by completing one row of squares, we'll add the following to your Blizzard Bingo prize box:
Adult Participants: a Book Bin gift card | **Youth Participants** (birth-teen): a book
- Complete up to 3 games of bingo and we'll add a small prize to your box for each row you complete (you can earn up to three small prizes).
- Fill your whole card (complete every square on the board) and we'll add a special knit hat to your prize box!

✧ LET'S GET STARTED

- You can tear out the bingo card from this newsletter to keep track of your completed bingo squares and visit www.northbrook.info/winter-reading to log your activities/reading online.
- If you prefer to track your bingo games on paper rather than playing online, you can sign up and log your activities by phone or bring your bingo card into the library during our open hours.
- Although we've only included the Adult and Youth bingo cards here, teens are invited to sign up to play Blizzard Bingo online at www.northbrook.info/winter-reading.