



2019

PICTURE BOOK CONTEST



Entry Rules Agreement:

- Open to any K-5th grade student. Only one entry per person.
- Create an original picture book that includes a title, cover art, a story, and illustrations.
- Only single author stories that are the original work of the child. The story may be fact or fiction, prose or poetry. Text may be written legibly or typed.
- Original art can include drawings, collages, and photos taken by the child.
- Use only **one side of the paper** and number each page. Entries can be no more than 32 pages and must be on 8 ½ x 11 paper. Please leave a 1-inch margin area around your artwork and text so we can bind the book if chosen as a winner (see back for template).
- One winner will be selected from each age category by a panel of library Board members.
- Winners will receive a copy of their bound book and copies will circulate in the library's picture book collection.
- Entries can be dropped off at the children's desk no later than March 29th, 2019, and can be dropped off at any DHCLS library. Winners will be announced and notified on April 17th, 2019. Entries can be picked up from the Main Library children's desk between April 19th-April 30th.

Author/Illustrator's Name (child's name) _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ School _____

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail Address _____

Book Title _____

Grade Category:

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K-1st Grade

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2nd-3rd Grade

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4th-5th Grade

I give my permission for the Dothan Houston County Library System to display my child's book and use it in any promotional materials created and display on the library's website. I fully understand that the Dothan Houston County Library System will take reasonable care of entries and that I must reclaim my book by the date stated above.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____

Questions? Please contact Kristin North at (334) 793-9767 or knorth@dhcls.org



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