

# 2021 PICTURE BOOK CONTEST

## ENTRY FORM



### Entry Rules Agreement:

- Open to any K-8<sup>th</sup> grade student. 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 student. 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 student.
- Use **one side of the paper** and number each page. Entries can be no more than 24 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 (**please see back for template**).
- One winner will be selected from each age category. 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 April 16, 2021, and can be dropped off at any DHCLS library. Winners will be announced and notified on April 26, 2021. Entries can be picked up from the Main Library children's desk the week of April 26-30, 2021.

Author/Illustrator's Name (student's name) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Book Title \_\_\_\_\_

### Grade Category:

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K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade

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2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

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4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade

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6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

I grant the Dothan Houston County Library System permission to display my child's book and to use it in any promotional materials created as well display on the library's website and all DHCLS social media platforms. 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 [knorth@dhcls.org](mailto:knorth@dhcls.org)



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