

Volunteer Book Review Form

Thank you for becoming a Volunteer Book Reviewer with the Granby Free Public Library!

Please make sure you have completed the VOLUNTEER BOOK REVIEWER APPLICATION before starting your book reviews.

Book Review Guidelines:

- 1) Each book review will earn 1 hour of community service. You can submit up to 5 reviews a month.
- 2) The book you review must be accessible physically and/or digitally through our library. Please check these services to make sure it is available from at least one:
- 3) Be honest! If you did not like the book, express that in your review. Someone who has similar reading tastes may see your review and choose a different book to read that they'll enjoy more.
- 4) Please make sure that the review is in your own words, without grammar, spelling, or punctuation errors.

Your review will be reviewed before it is posted. If you have any questions, feel free to email Janice at janicemcardlegpl@gmail.com

Your Name: _____

Email address: _____

Phone Number : _____ Grade: _____

Book Review

Book Title

Author (and illustrator if applicable)

Publication Year

Your Rating from 0 to 5 stars (0 being the absolute worst, and 5 being the BEST book ever)

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

What genre(s) would describe this book?

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| Realistic Fiction | Mystery |
| Thriller | Fantasy |
| Science Fiction | Historical Fiction |
| Horror | Romance |
| Action/Adventure | Nonfiction |
| Dystopian | Humorous |
| Novel in Verse | Memoir |
| Self Help | Other: |

Written Review Guidelines:

Please make sure that the review is in your own words, without grammar, spelling, or punctuation errors!

Paragraph 1- Hook and Plot Summary. Get the reader excited to read the book, but do not give anything away! Don't include any important plot twists, surprises, or anything that would ruin the experience.

Paragraph 2- Opinion. Give your personal opinion of the book. Be honest! Discuss things like the structure, character development, flaws, themes, writing style, and plot flow that give someone a feel for the book.

Paragraph 3- Who is it for? Even if you did not enjoy it, it might be the right book for someone else. What type of reader would enjoy it? Someone who likes...

Turn in your review!

Drop off or email your review to Janice at janicemcardlegpl@gmail.com

***If you email your review, type it into a Word document, spell-check it, and then paste it into the body of an email. Please do not attach a file.**