

2025 **SUMMER** READING CHALLENGE!

Read books, enter prize draws
and earn a free book to keep!

PRIZE BOOKS
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WHAT TO DO:

The Summer Reading Challenge runs from 1st of December 2025 - 31st of January 2026.

Complete all 20 challenges inside to finish the pamphlet. Read for a minimum of 20 minutes per day for each of the yellow **READING TIME** challenge spaces and choose whether to do an activity challenge or more reading, for the 5 blue **YOU CHOOSE ACTIVITY CHALLENGE** spaces. See the Activity Challenges page attached to this pamphlet to see the activity challenge options. Let us know which you chose to do by writing down the activity number in the blue spaces.

PRIZE DRAWS:

You can collect a prize draw ticket halfway through, and a second once you have finished all of your challenges.

A librarian at the help desk will stamp your pamphlet and give you a ticket to write your name and contact number on.

Use your tickets to vote for the prize draws you want to enter.

FREE PRIZE BOOK:

This year we have received ILT sponsorship towards book prizes. To acknowledge all your hard work, each teen who completes the Summer Reading Challenge will receive a **free prize book to keep!**

Hand in your finished pamphlet to redeem it for your free book. (Please note there is a limit of 1 Summer Reading Challenge per teen).

Prize books will be available to collect from the Bluff or Invercargill Public Library from the 3rd of January until the 31st of January 2026.

MY DETAILS: Please fill in your details below.

Age:

Name:

Contact phone/email:

School:

How did you hear about this challenge?

Feedback:

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Ages 12-18



START

YOUR JOURNEY...

HALEWAY

FINISH

READING TIME:
Title:

READING TIME:
Title:

READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

YOU CHOOSE!
ACTIVITY CHALLENGE
OR READING TIME:

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WHAT TO DO
CONTINUED:

In the blue
YOU CHOOSE ACTIVITY CHALLENGE
spaces, you have the option to pick
whether you would like to read for
that day or do one of the activities instead
(you can pick any activity from the
attached 'Activity Challenge' list).

Let us know which activity you
did by writing down the activity
number.

READING TIME:
Title:

READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

YOU CHOOSE!
ACTIVITY CHALLENGE
OR READING TIME:

READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

READING TIME:
Title:

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minutes!

YOU CHOOSE!
ACTIVITY CHALLENGE
OR READING TIME:

READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

Pick
up a prize
draw entry
ticket!
and...

READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

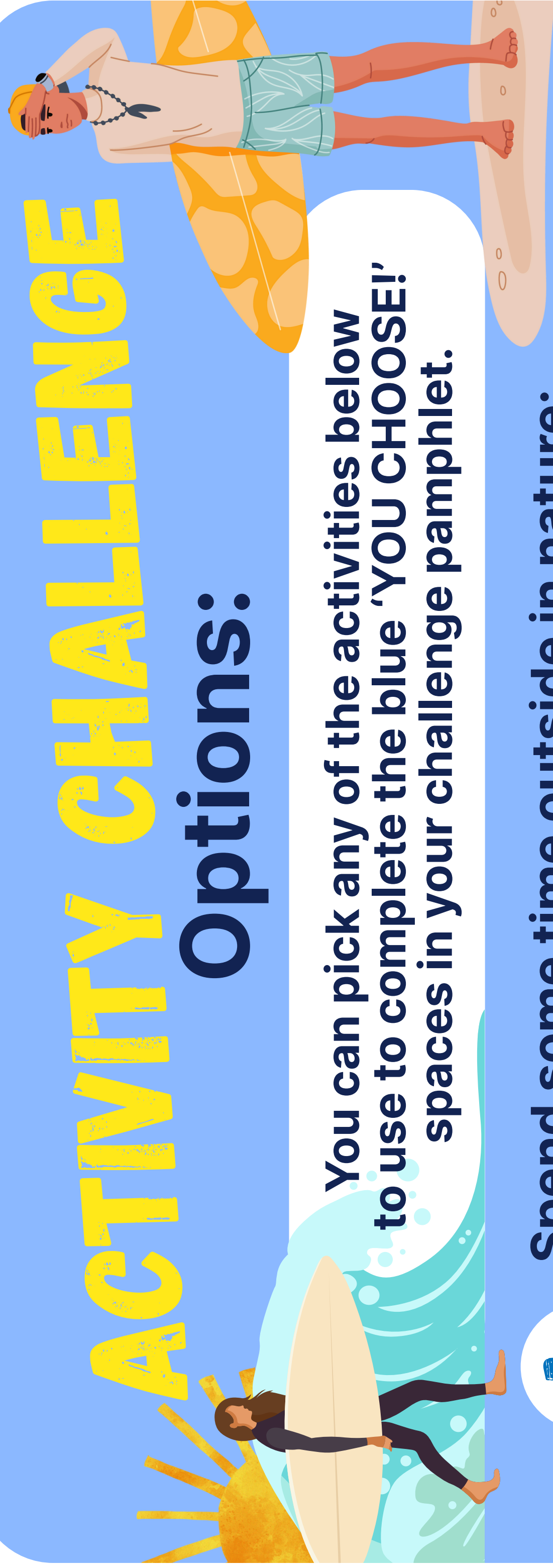
READING TIME:
Title:

I read for
minutes!

YOUR FREE
BOOK!

ACTIVITY CHALLENGE

Options:



You can pick any of the activities below to use to complete the blue 'YOU CHOOSE!' spaces in your challenge pamphlet.

- 1 Spend some time outside in nature: visit the beach, go for a bushwalk, chill in the garden for a while or a walk around the block.
- 2 Play a board game with friends or family.
- 3 Create an epic music playlist to be your sound for the Summer.
- 4 Create a family tree, or write your pepeha.
- 5 Do something nice like make breakfast, or a hot cuppa for someone.
- 6 Draw a one-page comic or manga depicting a scene from a favourite book.
- 7 Read a graphic novel from the library collection or borrow one from *Comics Plus*!
- 8 Create a piece of art inspired by a local area, place, or favourite spot.
- 9 Bake or cook a meal - make sure to clean up afterward. What did you make?
- 10 Try a new genre of book, tv series or film from your usual go-to.