#### What is Beanstack?

Beanstack is an online book discovery service for readers. In addition to receiving weekly emails with book recommendations and learning tips, Beanstack users can browse titles, readings lists, learning tracks, themed guides, and app recommendations. It is available through your computer or as an app.

#### How do I complete Newport Public Library's Teen Summer Adventure?

Simply register online via Beanstack or in person at the Library, then complete activities to earn points. Activities may be repeated as often as you like. For every 10 points earned, you receive a prize! When you reach 50 points, you receive the final prize!



**CALL** 401-847-8720 x206

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### ACTIVITIES

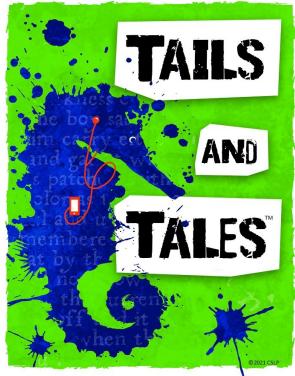
- A Read a book or magazine for 20 minutes
- B Read a book or magazine to someone for 20 minutes
- C Write a book review
- **D** Read a RITBA book
- E Attend a library program
- F Complete a Grab & Go, Yo! activity kit
- G Download a book from e-Zone or Hoopla
- H Listen to an audiobook for 20 minutes
- I Do an activity related to a book you're reading, and write about it
- J Review your most or least favorite app







# TEEN SUMMER ADVENTURE



# Grades 6-12 JUNE 28 - AUGUST 13

tinyurl.com/3whnvmkr newportlibraryri.beanstack.org/reader365

# HOW TO REGISTER



- Go to tinyurl.com/3whnvmkr
- Click Register Online
- Click I am registering for myself
  - Use the grade level and school you'll be attending in the fall
  - You have the option to receive weekly emails featuring book recommendations by Beanstack
- When finished filling out the form, click **Next** 
  - You will receive a digital badge for registering
- If you would like to register another family member, you'll be able to do so at this time

If you have created a Beanstack account for a previous summer reading challenge, you do not need to create a new account for *Tails & Tales*. If you need help retrieving your password, call or email the YA Desk.

## Logging MINUTES & ACTIVITIES

- Sign into your account
- Click Log Reading & Activities
- Choose what is being logged: log minutes or complete an activity

## For **logging minutes & writing reviews**:

- 1. After clicking the image of the book, a calendar will appear and automatically mark today's date as date read
- 2. Enter the title and author
- 3. If you want to include a review of your book, click **Log** 
  - When finished writing your review, click **Save**
- 4. If you've provided an email address, you'll be notified when you receive a digital badge or possibly a prize

## For complete an activity:

Choose the learning track you're working towards

- If you've completed the activity, click the gray box
- If the activity requires an answer, write your answer in

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### Do I need a library card to participate?

• No. This service is FREE and available to all! Whether you live in Newport or are visiting for a short time, you are welcome to participate!

# How can I switch from one reader to another?

• If you have multiple family members attached to your account, you can switch between profiles by clicking on the name in the top left corner.

#### Where are the Book Lists?

 We've created many great Book Lists for you to use throughout the summer! Just click
Recommendations on the top right of the screen.

#### How do I personalize my profile?

 Click Edit Reader in the top left corner. You'll be able to update your preferences, grade level, reading level, and more! The more information you enter, the better Beanstack is able to provide you with titles and guides you're sure to love!

#### Who can see my book reviews?

 Once a librarian publishes your submitted book review, anyone participating in the Newport Summer Reading Program can enjoy your written reaction!