



# Face a Book-7

2020-2021

## The Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Programme by the Library of Kendriya Vidyalaya Pattom



**Face a Book (FaB) Challenge** is a summer reading programme to promote reading habit and develop information literacy skills during the summer holidays (April-May), followed by continuous and yearlong activities to evaluate its effectiveness.

### Objectives

The basic objectives of the project are,

1. to inculcate reading habit among the students during summer vacation;
2. to develop critical reading skills like comprehension, speed, note taking and referencing;
3. to encourage critical thinking, innovation and creativity;
4. to develop information literacy skills;
5. to develop the abilities to use social media effectively;
6. to develop basic research skills;
7. to improve self-confidence and presentation skills;
8. to make the students lifelong readers and learners.

The Project is conceived in a phased manner as detailed below.

### Phase-1

- i. The online registration to join the project will open on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 at [www.facebook.info](http://www.facebook.info)

- ii. The participants will be divided in to two groups (Age 11-14 and Age 15-17), and honoured with the title '**FaB Challenger**'.
- iii. Each FaB Challenger will be given with an FaB Book which will be selected from the Library based on its content and the age of the participants.

### Phase-2

- i. During vacation, the Challenger has to **read the Book comprehensively and write a review.**  
(mail it to [librarykvpattom@gmail.com](mailto:librarykvpattom@gmail.com))
- ii. The FaB Challengers will be provided access to the project blog, [www.facebook.info](http://www.facebook.info), where they have to post the book review and contents like comments, author profiles, critical analysis, notes, studies and recommendations on their selected FaB book.  
(Read "How to post on FaB Blog?" for details)
- iii. Each FaB Challenger has to prepare a scrap book titled as "**My Little Book on \_\_\_\_\_**", with a review of the selected book, author profile, bibliography (list of books by the author or written on the book), character sketches, new words/phrases, drawings, paintings, quizzes, quotations, images, comments, references, etc. The scrap book shall be submitted at the time of reopening and will be exhibited in the Library.
- iv. **A one minute video (Book Talk)** of the FaB Challenger will be shot in which he/she has to present a review or his/her impression of the book. The videos will be uploaded on to the Project blog.
- v. The FaB Challengers have to **prepare and present an item** (skit, reviews, role plays, quiz, song, etc.) **based on the book in the School Assembly.**

### Phase-3

- i. A FaB Challenger will act as an authority of the particular book and the author. Anyone could challenge (literally) the knowledge

of the Challenger by asking questions. (This will be announced in the assembly).

- ii. All FaB Challengers will be honoured with 'Fab Challenger' chest badges and participation certificates. Their details will be displayed along with photographs on the project blog, library blog and library bulletin boards.

#### Phase-4

- i. All FaB Challengers will be evaluated throughout the Project period and graded accordingly. Based on the performance they will be awarded at the end of the project.

#### Evaluation

- i. All activities under the project will be evaluated by a group of teachers (team members) at specific intervals. The main grading indices will be,
  - a) *Book review* (to assess the level of critical thinking, writing skills and comprehension);
  - b) *Scrap book* (to assess information literacy skills, imagination, creativity, innovation, note taking and referencing);
  - c) *Assembly programme* (to assess presentation skills, confidence and organizational abilities);
  - d) *Book Talk* (One minute video on the Book) to assess creativity, presentation skills, speaking skills, etc.).

Participants will be graded and first three from each group will be rewarded.

- ii. An online survey will be conducted to assess the level of improvement attained in specific skills that the project intended to develop and to evaluate the overall effectiveness of the programme.

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FaB Challengers shall also join the  
**Library Junction Network** at  
[www.libraryjunction.net](http://www.libraryjunction.net)



#### F. A. Q.

##### How to post on FaB Blog?

An invitation to become a 'contributor' on the FaB Blog will be mailed to the Challenger. He/She has to 'accept' the invitation and login to the Blog with his/her email id and its password.

##### How to Sign up the Library Junction?

The Challengers have to join the *FaB Google Group* by accepting the invitation. This Google web forum will help the challengers to communicate each other.

#### FaB Challenge website

[www.facebook.info](http://www.facebook.info)

#### E-mail

[librarykvpattom@gmail.com](mailto:librarykvpattom@gmail.com)

#### Library Blog

<http://librarykvpattom.wordpress.com>

#### Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/FaBReadingChallenge>

#### Google Group

<https://groups.google.com/forum/fabchallenge>