

OPL ONTARIO PUBLIC LIBRARY WEEK GIVEAWAY (“Contest”)
Official Contest Rules (“Rules”)

Sponsor: This Contest is sponsored and administered by Oakville Public Library (“the Sponsor”) and the prize(s) are also provided by Oakville Public Library.

Contest Period: This Contest opens Oct 23, 2024, at 12 pm ET and closes Oct 30, 2024, at midnight (the “Contest Closing Date”) (collectively the “Contest Period”).

How To Enter: No purchase necessary. To enter, open the Instagram App (the “Contest App”), “follow” the Sponsor @oakvillelibrary on Instagram, like the contest post, tag a friend in the comments & tell us which OPL branch is your favourite.

Conditions of Entry: Entries must be submitted by the contest close deadline. Late, illegible, incomplete, damaged, forged, or electronically reproduced entries will be void. Entrants not selected for a prize will not be notified. Each comment counts as one entry, and multiple entries are allowed. Comments must be original, unpublished, free of copyright infringement, and comply with all contest rules. The sponsor reserves the right to reject entries that are unsuitable, previously published, or violate intellectual property rights. Entries must not include celebrities, disparage individuals or organizations, contain solicitations or advertisements, or be offensive or discriminatory. Third-party names, trademarks, or logos should not be included. The sponsor is not responsible for infringement claims related to entries. Entrants certify that their entries do not infringe on third-party rights and release the sponsor from any related liability. The sponsor may edit entries to obscure trademarks or remove copyrighted content. Entries failing to meet these requirements will be disqualified.

Eligibility: Contest is open to legal residents of Oakville, Ontario, Canada who have reached the age of majority (18) as of the Contest Closing Date.

Employees, representatives, or Members of the Oakville Public Library Board, the Sponsor’s affiliates, subsidiaries, related companies, advertising and promotional agencies (“Promotion Parties”), and their immediate family or household members are ineligible to participate. The Sponsor may request proof of identity or eligibility at any time, and failure to provide such proof may result in disqualification.

Potential Winner Selection: The Sponsor will randomly draw a winners on Oct 31, 2024 at 120 Navy St, Oakville, ON L6J 2Z4 from eligible entries received by the Contest Closing Date. The selected Potential Winner must answer a time-limited skill-testing question unaided and sign a standard Declaration and Release Form confirming compliance with the rules and acceptance of the prize. Notification will occur by Nov 4, 2024; if unreachable by Nov 8, 2024, another Entrant may be chosen at Sponsor’s discretion.

Odds of Winning: The chances of being selected as a Potential Winner depends upon the number of eligible entries received.

Declaration & Release: The Potential Winner must return a Declaration and Release within seven (7) days of receiving the prize notification letter. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of the prize, which may then be awarded to an alternate Entrant. Noncompliance or undeliverable

prize notifications may lead to disqualification and selection of a new Entrant at the Sponsor's discretion.

Limitation of Liability: By entering this contest, entrants agree to abide by the Official Contest Rules and Sponsor decisions; winners accept prizes at their own risk, indemnify the Sponsor and affiliates for any related claims, and acknowledge the Sponsor is not liable for lost, late, damaged, or incomplete entries, technical issues, errors, interruptions, or unauthorized access; the Sponsor may modify or cancel the contest if necessary, disqualify entrants for rule violations or unfair methods, and void tampered entries; prizes must be accepted as awarded without alterations or substitutions, and refusal releases the Sponsor from further obligations, with the Sponsor reserving the right to award only the specified number of prizes.

Conditions of Entry: All entrants must provide truthful, accurate, and non-misleading information; the Sponsor reserves the right to disqualify any entrant who supplies untrue, inaccurate, or misleading details at any stage, or who is ineligible according to these rules.

Indemnification: By participating in the Contest, the Entrant releases and indemnifies the Sponsor from any liability, including injuries, loss, or damage, arising from participation, breach of rules, or prize-related activities, and agree to indemnify the Sponsor against claims from third parties related to the Contest.

Termination: The Sponsor reserves the right to modify, suspend, or terminate the Contest at any time if tampering, technical issues, or other factors compromise its integrity, and any attempt to damage the website or undermine the contest may result in legal action.

Privacy: By participating in the Contest, you grant the Sponsor the right to use your Personal Information (including name, mailing address, telephone number, email address, alias, or platform handle) for administering the Contest, with the ability to withdraw consent at any time; however, withdrawal will invalidate your contest entry.

Instagram: This Contest is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with Instagram or Meta. You understand that you are providing your information to Sponsor and not to Instagram.

Law: The Contest is governed by applicable federal, provincial, and municipal laws, and the Official Rules may change to comply with these laws or policies of other jurisdictions over the Sponsor; all matters regarding the rules' construction, validity, interpretation, and enforceability, as well as the rights and obligations between the entrant and the Sponsor, shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Ontario law, excluding any choice of law or conflict of law rules or provisions from other jurisdictions.