

BIG READ ROSWELL 2021

BRIDGES AND BORDERS

POETRY & WRITING CONTESTS

A border can be an entry or a barrier. A bridge can connect or divide. It all depends on which side you stand. What borders try to separate, bridges bring together.

Send us an original poem or writing/story about your experience with bridges and borders on our quest to find elements big and small that connect us, more than separate us.

DEADLINE

5 P.M. FEBRUARY 14, 2021



CONTEST RULES & GUIDELINES

Open to writers ages 6 to adult; winning poems and writings will be selected in the following categories: 1st-2nd grade, 3rd-5th grade, 6th-8th grade, 9th-12th grade, adult.

Deadline: 5 p.m., February 14, 2021

Entries may be hand-delivered to the Roswell Public Library, 301 N. Pennsylvania; or e-mailed to jflom@risd.k12.nm.us

Entries will be judged by theme & originality. All work must be original and created by the entrant.

Entries should not exceed 500 words in length.

Participants may only enter one poem and one writing/story.

Participants must sign the entry form granting the Roswell Big Read 2021 committee permission to use name and poetry or writing (or parts thereof). If author under 18 years of age, form must be signed by parent/guardian.

Winners announced at the Roswell Big Read 2021 Kick Off event, January 23, 2021.

Prizes will be awarded at First, Second, and Third Place winners in all categories, in both poetry and writing.

BRIDGES & BORDERS CONTEST SUBMISSION FORM

Check one:

Poetry Writing/Story

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

GRADE LEVEL: ___ OR/ADULT _____

SCHOOL (if applicable): _____

SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE
(if enterant is under 18): _____

Have Questions? E-mail jflom@risd.k12.nm.us or call the Roswell Public Library at (575) 622-7101