

Name That Book

2018-2019

Middle School

Are you interested in joining Name That Book this year? Here's how to join the club and make the 2019 competition team!

What is Name That Book?

Name That Book is an HISD competition sponsored by the Department of Library Services. Middle school students will read a list of 25 books. At their competition in March, students are given a quote and asked to name that book. The six team members must think of the correct title and the scribe types it on an iPad in 45 seconds.

T. H. Rogers has very competitive Name That Book teams. In 2018, our middle school team won 1st place in the HISD finals for the third year in a row! Our 2018 elementary teams are outstanding as well! The K-2 team won 1st place at their competition, and the 3-5 team won 2nd place at their finals.

So, if you love to read, have a good memory for detail, and can dedicate the time to reading and rereading the books on the list, you should try out for Name That Book!

Joining the Name That Book Club:

1. **In order to join the Name That Book Club this fall, students will have to qualify by scoring well on a test during lunch on September 24, 2018.** The test will cover 13 of the titles, and these titles are in **bold** on the complete list on the back of this sheet. The top 20 scoring students will be a part of the club. (A minimum score of 4 out of 13 is also required.)
2. **Students in the club will be required to attend every meeting.** Middle School NTB Club will meet after school on Tuesdays from 3:20 to 4:15 pm. If a student misses more than two meetings, they will be dismissed from the club for the year. Parents must be able to pick up students at 4:15 pm or enroll their child in after-school care which allows them to be picked up by 6:00 pm.
3. **Club members are required to take notes on the books they read.** Middle School students in the NTB club will be required to write quotes from the books to be used in practices. They must bring typed lists of at least 15 quotes, plus one physical clue, and one audio clue from two different books each week. Club members who do not bring their quotes on time for two weeks will be subject to dismissal from the club.
4. **A test will be given to all club members on December 4, 2018.** This test will cover all of the books on the list. The top 7 scoring students will become our competition team. The competition team is comprised of six members and one alternate. The team member who will serve as alternate will be decided by a final test closer to competition time. Only team members will continue to practice after school in January.

Keep checking our Name That Book web page for new updates and information:
<http://www.houstonisd.org//Domain/13581>

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