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School is back in session, and your school or public library offers a variety of exciting events and days of recognition to choose from. September marks Library Card Sign-up Month, and it's also the start of the Saskatchewan Library Association's annual Book Spine Poetry Contest. Congratulations to Avril Buffalo-Brooks from La Ronge, who won in the 12-18 age category in 2022.

In observation of National Comic Book Day, consider organizing a 'How to Read a Comic' session in your classroom or library, and encourage students to try their hand at creating their own comics. Additionally, borrow a copy of *The Dot* from your local public or school library and engage in some art activities together!



WHAT ARE THE WILLOW AWARDS AND HOW CAN YOU USE IT IN YOUR CLASSROOM?

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Did you know...

Teacher education students can contact the Ministry of Education for Blackboard login information to access Saskatchewan curriculum teaching tools and supports from home.

Contact:
networkservices@gov.sk.ca or
1-866-933-8333 for login information.



Sign up for our monthly Teacher-Librarian newsletter!

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 <p>SLA BOOK SPINE POETRY CONTEST RUNS FROM SEPTEMBER 23RD TO NOVEMBER 1ST</p> <p>SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH</p>				 <p>WORLD LETTER WRITING DAY</p>	<p>1</p>  <p>2</p>	
<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>HOLIDAY</p> <p>LABOUR DAY</p>	<p>5</p> 	<p>6</p>  <p>READ A BOOK DAY</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>  <p>INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY</p>	<p>9</p>
<p>10</p>  <p>GRANDPARENTS DAY</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p> <p>INTERNATIONAL DOT DAY</p> 	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p>  <p>TERRY FOX RUN</p>	<p>18</p>  <p>SCIENCE LITERACY WEEK SEPTEMBER 18TH - 24TH</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>  <p>SKILLS FOR SUCCESS DAY</p>	<p>22</p> <p>SASK CULTURE DAYS SEPTEMBER 22ND - OCTOBER 15TH</p>	<p>23</p>  <p>INTERNATIONAL DAY OF SIGN LANGUAGES</p> <p>AUTUMN EQUINOX</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25</p>  <p>NATIONAL COMIC BOOK DAY</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>  <p>ORANGE SHIRT DAY</p>	<p>30</p>  <p>NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION</p>

TO DO LIST

- ☐ SIGN UP FOR EMAIL UPDATES FROM THE WILLOW AWARDS
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- ☐ FILL OUT AND SUBMIT TEACHER LIBRARY CARD & PRINCIPAL CONSENT REGISTRATION FORM TO PNLS
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NOTE

SUBJECT REQUESTS & BLOCK OF BOOKS

Here are some common reasons why you might choose to make a subject request or borrow a block of books from PNLs:

Curriculum Integration: Borrowing books that are relevant to the topics being taught can enhance the learning experience and support curriculum's goals.

Research and Reference: You may need books for your own research or professional development. Subject requests allows you to access a wide range of resources without having to search for titles on your own and borrow one-by-one - we do all the work for you!


Special Projects or Units: Special projects or units of study that require a collection of books related to a specific theme or topic.

Encouraging Independent Reading: Borrowing a block of books can give students access to a wide selection of reading materials to choose from.

Budget Constraints: School budgets may not always allow for the purchase of an extensive collection of books. Borrowing books can be a cost-effective way to access a broader range of reading materials.

REQUESTING BOOKS:

- Visit Pahkisimon.ca.
- Scroll to [Teacher Resources](#).
- Click Request Forms.
- Download, print, complete, and forward form.



Book Block Request Form

Bag Service #6000, La Ronge, Saskatchewan, S0L 1L0
Ph: 306 425-4525 TOLL FREE: 1-866-396-8818
Fax: 306 425-4572
Email: info@pahkisimon.ca
Web: Pahkisimon.ca

Loan Period is for: 3 Months to 6 Months

Date: _____

Name of Teacher: _____

Signature of Principal (School responsibility): _____

Library or School: _____

Address: _____
Box # _____ Town/Village _____ Postal Code _____

Grade: _____ Reading level of students: _____

Books requested will be general interest (not as a Subject Request)
Types and numbers of Materials required - Max: 100

Please check:

Easy Fiction (Reading level - Gr. K - 3)	Yes _____	Approx. Number: _____
Juvenile Fiction (Reading level - Gr. 4 - 6)	Yes _____	Approx. Number: _____
Young Adult Fiction	Yes _____	Approx. Number: _____
Non-fiction Material (Special topics only)	Yes _____	Approx. Number: _____
Adult Fiction Material	Yes _____	Approx. Number: _____

Fax completed form to PNLs at (306) 425-4572
Please direct questions to info@pahkisimon.ca

Subject Request Form & Class Set

PAHKISIMON NUYE'AH LIBRARY SYSTEM
Bag Service #6000, La Ronge, SK S0L 1L0
Phone: 306-425-4525
Fax: 306-425-4572
Email: info@pahkisimon.ca

Check level of information required:
General interest _____ Research _____ Teaching Level _____ School _____ University _____
Other (please specify): _____
Information wanted: _____ Date required by: _____ Will accept later: _____

If wanting a CLASS Set please indicate number needed and if Guide is also required.

Check out: Pahkisimon.ca (for class set, teacher resource titles, etc.)

Library or School: _____
Name: _____ Barcode: _____
Address: _____
Postal code: _____
Telephone: (Work) _____ (Home/Cell) _____

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FROM OUR CLASSROOM SET COLLECTION



The Marrow Thieves by Cherie Dimaline

Set in a future where humanity has lost the ability to dream, a young Indigenous boy named Frenchie is on the run from a government that hunts Indigenous people for their bone marrow, which is believed to hold the key to restoring the ability to dream. The novel explores themes of colonization, identity, and the resilience of Indigenous cultures. "The Marrow Thieves" has received critical acclaim and won several awards, including the Governor General's Award for English-language children's literature in 2017. It has also been praised for its representation of Indigenous voices and its exploration of important social and environmental issues.

The Marrow
Thieves
Dimaline, Cherie
Copies: 25
DVD:
Gr. Level: 8 - 12
Age Range: 13+
Teacher Guide: 1

How to borrow classroom sets from Pahkisiwon Nuye?áh Library System:

1. Get your Teacher Library Card. Forms available from our website www.pahkisiwon.ca or ask your school library staff for a copy
2. Visit our website and click on the EXPLORE ▼ dropdown menu
3. Search the **PNLS Headquarters Class Set Collection**
4. Explore our titles and contact us at (306) 425-4525 to request copies or fill out the Subject Request and Class Set form and forward it to us.
5. Copies will be shipped to your local public library. If your community does not have a public library we will ship it to your school.

RESOURCES FOR SEPTEMBER

PAHKISIMON NUYE?ÁH
LIBRARY SYSTEM

WWW.PAHKISIMON.CA



BOOK SPINE
POETRY CONTEST

WWW.SASKLA.CA



SCIENCE LITERACY
WEEK

WWW.SCIENCELITERACY.CA



INTERNATIONAL
DOT DAY

WWW.INTERNATIONALDOTDAY.ORG/



TERRY FOX RUN
KID'S CORNER

WWW.TERRYFOXSCHOOLRUN.ORG/KIDS-CORNER



NATIONAL COMIC
BOOK DAY

TINYURL.COM/KHDYVWHB



ORANGE SHIRT DAY

WWW.ORANGESHIRTDAY.ORG/RESOURCES.HTML



TRUTH AND
RECONCILIATION WEEK
2023

WWW.TINYURL.COM/YJNJKW36

