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# NEWS RELEASE

## Kids and teens invited to enter Friends of the Library Bookmark Contest

**Durango, CO:** Elementary, middle and high school students are invited to submit entries for the annual Friends of the Library Bookmark Contest. Two winners in each category will receive [Maria's Bookshop](#) gift certificates. There will be 2,500 bookmarks printed of each winning design. Artists' names will be included on the bookmarks.

Entries must include original artwork and a book-related quote and be 2 inches by 8 inches in size. Entry forms are available at Durango Public Library and at [DurangoGov.org/Library](http://DurangoGov.org/Library). Entries must be submitted to the Durango Public Library, 1900 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, by Wednesday, Oct. 6.

"I am excited for the return of the Friends of the Library Bookmark Contest," said Callie Blackmer, youth services supervisor. "Every year I am blown away by the creativity of the kids and teens who participate."

The bookmark contest is co-sponsored by [Friends of the Durango Public Library](#) and Maria's Bookshop. For more information, call (970) 375-3380.

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