

# BOOK CLUBS

## INSTRUCTIONS:

The people here all want to join a book club. Below there are descriptions of eight book clubs for teenagers. Decide which book club would be these people.



1.

Jenny wants a club where she can attend face-to-face meetings to discuss stories she's read. She also wants to get recommendations on novels she can read for free.



2.

Eddy would like to join a club which organizes talks by writers. He'd like the chance to buy cheap books on many subjects and to write book reviews.



3.

Kasia loves reading about animals and wants a club where she can talk to people online who share her interest. She'd also like to practice her other favorite hobby, photography.



4.

Joshua wants an online reading club where he can start his own blog about novels he's read. He's interested in fiction by people in this age group and wants to post his short stories.



5.

Lily loves reading but isn't interested in fiction. She wants a club which has special offers on books and also competitions.

**A Library Club** Our members are book lovers who read and then recommend books that we should buy for the town library – from textbooks to novels and comics. We also meet after school at the library to help keep it tidy, and sometimes we pick which old books to give away to the public for free.

**B Book Wizards** Book Wizards recently won the title "Book Club of the Year". Members say club meetings are always friendly and enjoyable, and they have the opportunity to talk about books they've read. Often they're about subjects other than fiction, for example technology, animals or sport.

**C Book World** This web-based club is looking for members to run the Book World site, writing articles, taking and uploading pictures, and making sure information is up-to-date. The club has various chatrooms for discussion different types of books, from novels to wildlife or cooking.

**D Readers** Members of this friendly book club post reviews on the club web page of novels they've enjoyed. They get together once a month and exchange books – great if you don't want to have to buy new books – and share their opinions of different novels.

**E Love Books** This club is perfect for those who'd like to explore books about science, history, the natural world, and so on, rather than novels. There's an annual meeting, and four times a year, members receive a magazine which is full of reviews, cartoons and chances to win prizes.

**F Book Fans** This club for young people is run by the bookshop of the same name, and members get a generous fifty percent discount in all departments in the shop. Another club benefit is invitations to hear authors speak about their latest work for free. Members are also invited to post short articles on the club website about books they've read.

**G Read it** Members of this club chat online about different kinds of stories they've read, like science fiction, comedy and historical novels. The club's web pages are run by a publishing company and they're always good fun to look at, with videos and cartoons, and a monthly competition to win books.

**H Mad About Books** This is the club for book fans who want to share their opinions about literature, especially by teenage authors. Club members receive help in setting up their own web page on the site, where they can upload their writing work and get feedback from other members and professional authors.