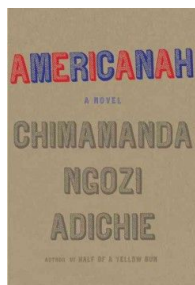


# Rise to the Challenge Reading Program: Read a book with a one-word title

Below are recommendations for books with a one-word title. Find one you've never read and check it out!



## ***Americanah***

by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

**Genre:** Fiction

**Descriptors:** Immigrant Experiences; Politics; Own Voices; Romantic; Enduring Love

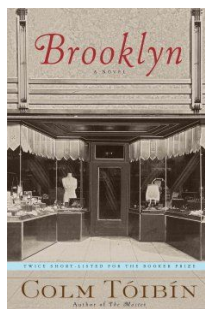


## ***Becoming***

by Michelle Obama

**Genre:** Memoir

**Descriptors:** Life Stories; Politics; Strong Women; Conversational; Inspiring

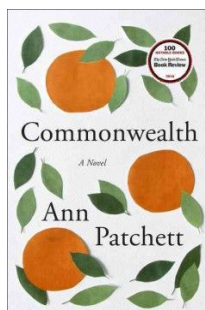


## ***Brooklyn***

by Colm Tóibín

**Genre:** Fiction

**Descriptors:** Psychological Fiction; Books to Movies; Immigrant Experiences; Lyrical



## ***Commonwealth***

by Ann Patchett

**Genre:** Fiction

**Descriptors:** Family Sagas; Multiple Perspectives; Sweeping; Sardonic

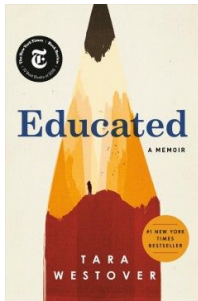




***Dumplin'***  
by Julie Murphy

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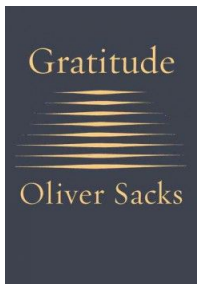
**Descriptors:** Spirited; Thought-provoking; Coming-of-age; Relationships



***Educated***  
by Tara Westover

**Genre:** Memoir

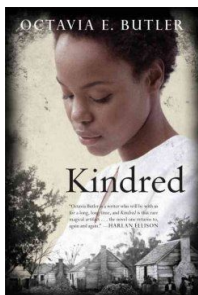
**Descriptors:** Nonfiction that Reads Like Fiction; Mormonism; Living off the Grid; Candid



***Gratitude***  
by Oliver Sacks

**Genre:** Nonfiction

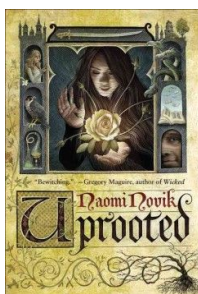
**Descriptors:** Medical and Human Drama of Illness; Essays; Bittersweet; Inspiring



***Kindred***  
by Octavia E. Butler

**Genre:** Science Fiction

**Descriptors:** Time Travel: Antebellum South; African American Literature; Own Voices



***Uprooted***  
by Naomi Novik

**Genre:** Fiction

**Descriptors:** Beauty and the Beast Inspired; Strong Female; Intricate World Building

