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1. Read a novel about a trans character written by a trans author. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
2. Read one of your favorite author's favorite books. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
3. Read a book about activism. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
4. Read a book that's been challenged recently in your school district/library OR read one of the most-challenged/banned books of the year by a queer and/or BIPOC author. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
5. Read a completed webcomic. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
6. Finish a book you've DNFed. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
7. Listen to an audiobook performed by a POC of a book written by an AOC. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
8. Read a graphic novel/comic/manga if you haven't before; or read one that is a different genre than you normally read. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
9. Read an independently published book by a BIPOC author. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
10. Read a book you know nothing about based solely on the cover. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
11. Read a cookbook cover to cover. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
12. Read a nonfiction book about BIPOC and/or queer history. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
13. Read an author local to you. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
14. Read a book with under 500 Goodreads ratings. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
15. Read a historical fiction book set in an Eastern country. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
16. Read a romance with bisexual representation. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
17. Read a YA book by an Indigenous author. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
18. Read a comic or graphic novel that features disability representation. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
19. Read a nonfiction book about intersectional feminism. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
20. Read a book of poetry by a BIPOC or queer author. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
21. Read a book of short stories. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
22. Read any book from the Ignyte awards shortlist/longlist/winner list. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
23. Read a social horror, mystery, or thriller novel. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_
24. Pick a challenge from any of the previous years' challenges to repeat ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

## BONUS TASK: COMPLETE ALL TASKS WITH LGBTQ AUTHORS

For you multi-taskers who found titles that ticked more than one box: well done! It's A-OK to use the same book for multiple categories.