There are 4 things you can do NOW through May 6

1) Take part in official events and celebrations across America... or make your own

2) Vote for the Children’s and Teen Choice Book Awards

3) Visit EveryChildaReader.net for voting details, author and illustrator events nearby, book-themed activities and more fun

4) Extra cool: 5 different FREE Children’s Book Week bookmarks can be downloaded and printed at EveryChildaReader.net

Children’s Book Week is the longest-running national literacy initiative in the country. Established in 1919, it is the annual celebration of books for young people and for the joy of reading. Each year during Children’s Book Week, events are held nationwide at schools, libraries, bookstores, homes, and wherever young readers and books connect.

About this poster

Every year for almost a hundred years, a beloved children’s book illustrator has created an official Children’s Book Week poster. The 2018 Children’s Book Week commemorative poster has been lovingly crafted by 2015 Caldecott Honoree Jillian Tamaki.

Jillian’s art embodies this year’s official slogan — ONE WORLD, MANY STORIES — and encourages readers young and old to explore the world through books.

You are an advocate for children’s books and reading. Thank you for the work you do every day to bring the joy of reading to kids. Have a wonderful Children’s Book Week!

Sincerely,

Every Child a Reader
Use the blank panels below to create a comic, the start of your own graphic novel.
What books are you reading during Children’s Book Week?

What’s the best way to celebrate all week long? By reading a book, of course! Jump into an adventure. What do you like to read about? Outer space, zombies, animals, superheroes, kids just like you? Whatever it is, grab the books you like and dive right in. Keep track of all the awesome books you read during Children’s Book Week so you can share them with others. Everyone likes a good book recommendation!

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Children’s Book Week Word Search

Celebrate books and reading with this Book Week inspired word search! Looking for more fun things to do? Head over to EveryChildaReader.net to discover this year’s official bookmarks, activities, and more.

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