

## Battle of the Books 2018/2019



It is our pleasure to invite you and your school to participate in the second annual Rocky View **Battle of the Books!** This initiative is a wonderful way to engage and build literacy capacity for our students as well as to enhance a school's literacy culture.

This full day event will take place on **Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019** at the Rocky View Education Center. This event includes 'round robin' style 'battles' between teams where participants respond to comprehension questions about pre-selected books. The texts for the 2018-19 competition include:

- *The Fabulous Friend Machine* by Nick Bland
- *Brave* by Svetlana Chmakova
- *The Legend of Rock Paper Scissors* by Drew Daywalt
- *Macbeth* (Graphic Novel version)
- *Finding Gobi* by Dion Leonard
- *Refugee* by Alan Gratz
- *Chester & Gus* by Cammie McGovern
- *Wings of Fire #1* by Tsui Sutherland
- *Book Thief* by Markus Zusak
- *City of Ember* by Jeanne DuPrau
- *The Tomorrow Code* by Brian Falkner
- *The Doll Bones* by Holly Black
- *Criminal Destiny Masterminds #2* by Gordon Korman
- *OCDaniel* by Wesley King
- *I survived Mount St-Helen* by Lauren Tarshis
- *And Then the Sky Exploded* by David A. Poulsen

As can be seen, the selected books range in a variety of genres, reading levels as well as media formats, including audiobooks and e-books. To see it all in action, check out the video of our 1st RVS Battle of the Books at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4tLlCLfsDgY>.

This is going to be an incredible event and we look forward to having you join us!

**Thank you,**

East Lake School