

# Adventures with Dewey

## READ THROUGH THE DEWEY DECIMAL SYSTEM!



Here's to a summer of reading, discovery, and endless possibilities! Whether you're diving into a new adventure, exploring far-off lands, or escaping into the pages of a beloved book, Lancaster Public Library's **Adult Summer Reading Challenge** is your ticket to literary delight.

## What is the Dewey Decimal System?

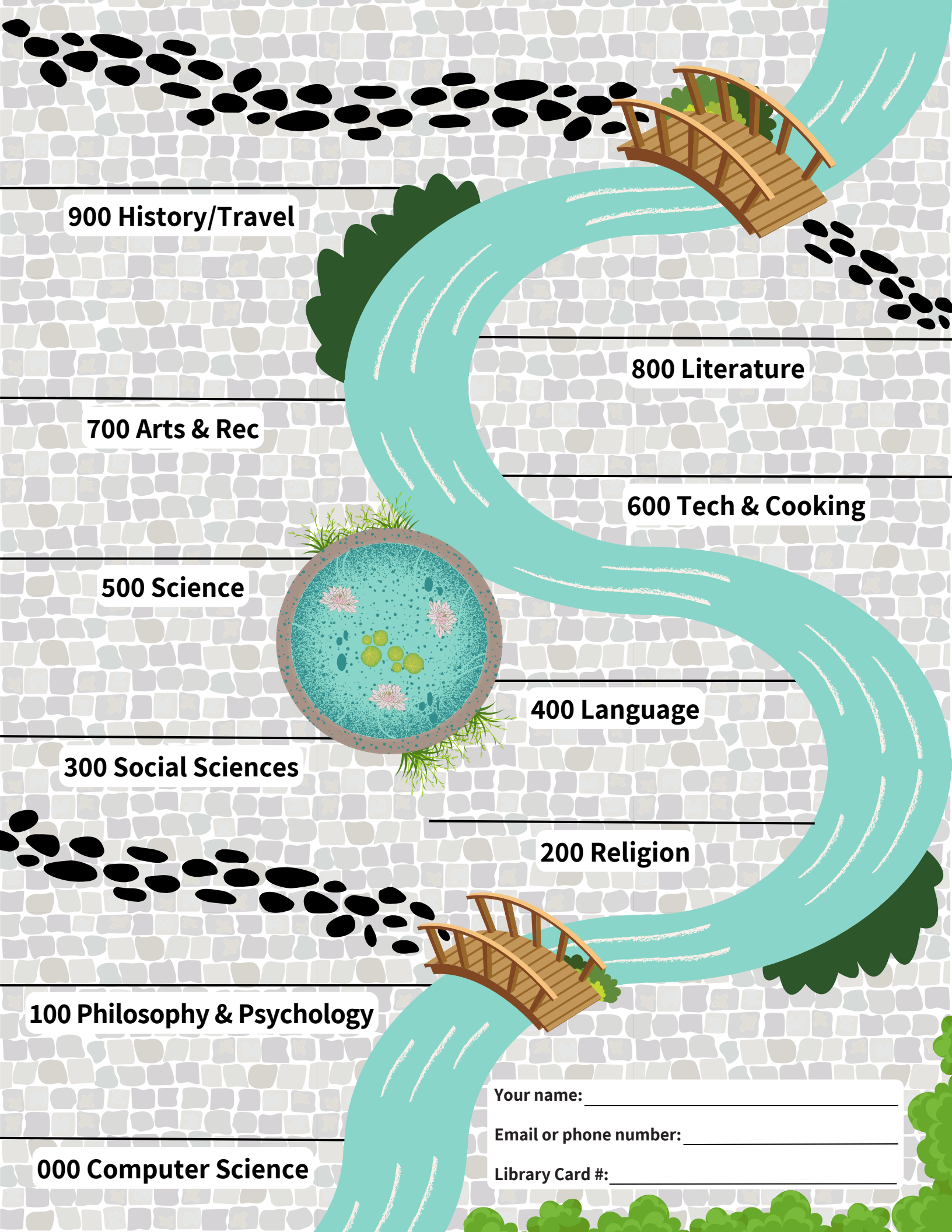
The Dewey Decimal System (or "DDC") helps libraries keep books organized by assigning a number to different subjects. Librarians look at the topic of a book, decide which number fits the subject, and label the book with that number to be placed on the shelf in the right order.

## How the challenge works:

- Read one book for every 100s block of the Dewey Decimal System (000, 100, 200, etc...)
- Each book should be related to the topic of the Dewey Decimal class
- You can either:
  1. Choose a nonfiction book from each Dewey Decimal section**OR**
  2. Choose a fiction book which relates to each Dewey Decimal section
    - Examples: 300s, Social Sciences - includes Civil Rights
    - Nonfiction: "The Color of Law", "How to Be an Antiracist"
    - Fiction: "The Help", "To Kill a Mockingbird"
- Turn this sheet over, and write the title you chose for each section along the river
- Once complete (and before **Saturday, August 10!**), bring your sheet to either LPL location for the chance to win our Summer Reading prize drawing!

## Anything else I should know?

- All formats are welcome!
  - Audiobooks, children's books, and even movies count for this challenge.
- Still wondering what to read or watch?
  - Follow us on social media for weekly recommendations
  - Ask one of our librarians for a suggestion (or two, or three, or four, or...)
  - Visit our website to fill out a Grab Bag form with your reading/watching preferences
- Each title can be counted for only ONE category
- Finished your first sheet? You can complete multiple sheets before the August 10 deadline!



900 History/Travel

800 Literature

700 Arts & Rec

600 Tech & Cooking

500 Science

400 Language

300 Social Sciences

200 Religion

100 Philosophy & Psychology

000 Computer Science

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email or phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Library Card #: \_\_\_\_\_