# Write the Next Chapter Prize Pack Giveaway: Official Rules

No purchase or donation is necessary to enter or win. A donation does not increase your chances of winning.

## 1. Sponsor

The Write the Next Chapter Book Giveaway (the "Contest") is run by the Eden Mills Writers' Festival, 19 Cedar St., Eden Mills Ontario. (the "Sponsor").

## 2. Eligibility

The Contest is open to legal residents of Ontario who are 18 years of age or older at the time of entry. Directors, staff and volunteers of the Sponsor, the author of the story, and the members of their immediate families or households are not eligible.

## 3. Contest period and weekly draws

The Contest consists of five separate weekly draws. Each entry period begins when that week's chapter post is published and ends at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the Saturday following the post. Entries for one draw do not carry over to later draws.

## 4. How to enter

To enter a weekly draw, post a comment that responds to the prompt on that week's chapter post on the Sponsor's Instagram @emwritersfestival or Facebook page @EdenMillsWF during the entry period.

- Limit of one entry per person per weekly draw, regardless of the number of comments posted or platforms used.
- Comments must be original and respectful. The Sponsor may disqualify any comment it considers offensive, inappropriate, or unrelated to the prompt.
- Entries received outside an entry period will not be included.

## 5. Prizes

One prize is available in each weekly draw, for a total of five prizes. Each prize is three books selected by the Sponsor, with an approximate retail value of $65 CAD.

Prizes must be accepted as awarded. They cannot be transferred or exchanged for cash. The Sponsor may substitute a prize of equal or greater value if a selected book becomes unavailable.

## 6. Winner selection

Each winner will be selected by random draw from all eligible entries received during that week's entry period. The odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries received for that draw.

## 7. Winner notification and claiming the prize

The Sponsor will contact each selected entrant by direct message on the platform used to enter. To be declared a winner, the selected entrant must:

- respond within [3] days of the message being sent;
- correctly answer, without assistance, a mathematical skill-testing question; and
- provide a mailing address in Ontario, or arrange to pick up the prize at 19 Cedar St., Eden Mills, Ontario.

If a selected entrant does not meet these requirements, they will forfeit the prize and the Sponsor may draw an alternate entrant from the remaining eligible entries for that week.

Winners may be announced by first name or social media handle in the Sponsor's posts.

## 8. Personal information

Personal information collected from entrants and winners will be used only to administer the Contest and deliver prizes. It will not be added to any mailing list or shared with third parties without consent.

## 9. Social media platforms

This Contest is in no way sponsored, endorsed, administered by, or associated with Instagram, Facebook, or Meta. By entering, entrants release these platforms from any liability related to the Contest.

## 10. General conditions

By entering, entrants agree to be bound by these rules and the decisions of the Sponsor, which are final. The Sponsor may modify, suspend, or cancel the Contest, in whole or in part, if it cannot be run as planned for reasons beyond its control. The Sponsor is not responsible for entries that are lost, delayed, or not received because of technical problems.

## 11. Questions

Questions about the Contest can be sent to info@emwf.ca.