

READ, LEARN, DISCERN READ, REFLECT and LEARN



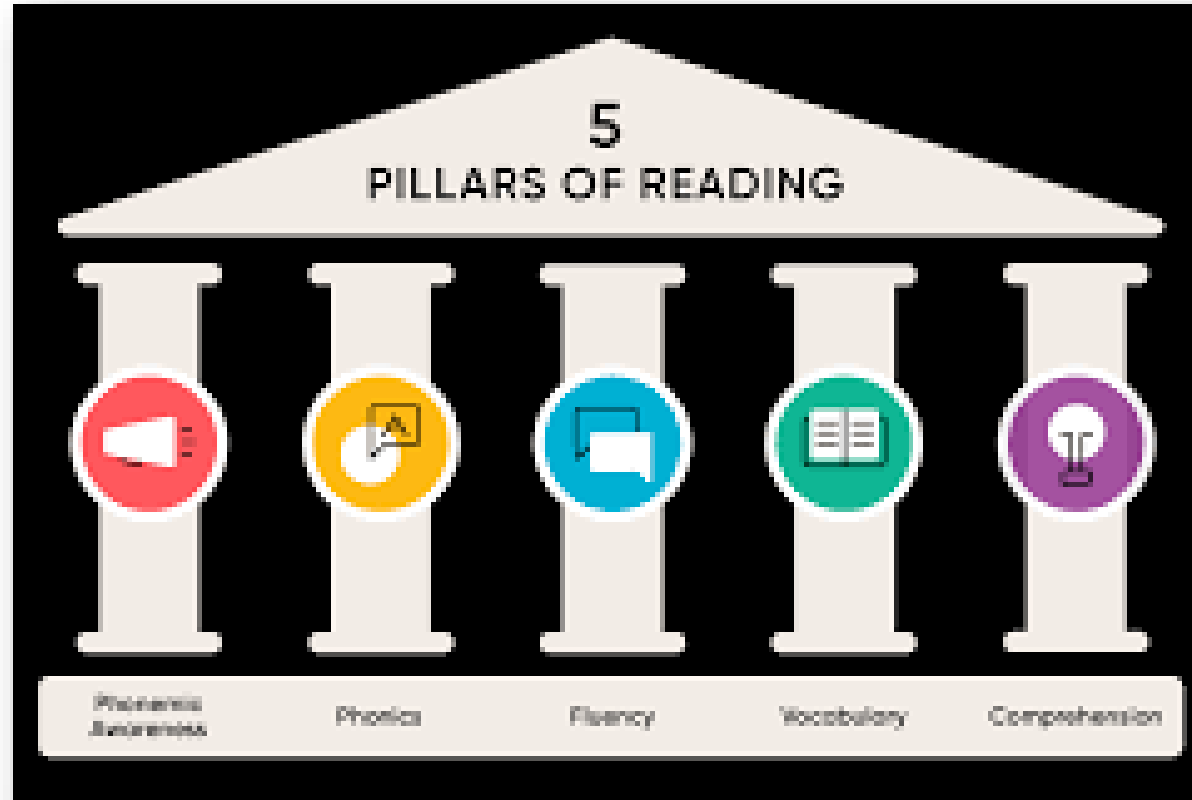
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Reading techniques

- Predicting
- Scanning
- Skimming



- Summarising
- Detailed Reading
- Active Reading

Media literacy

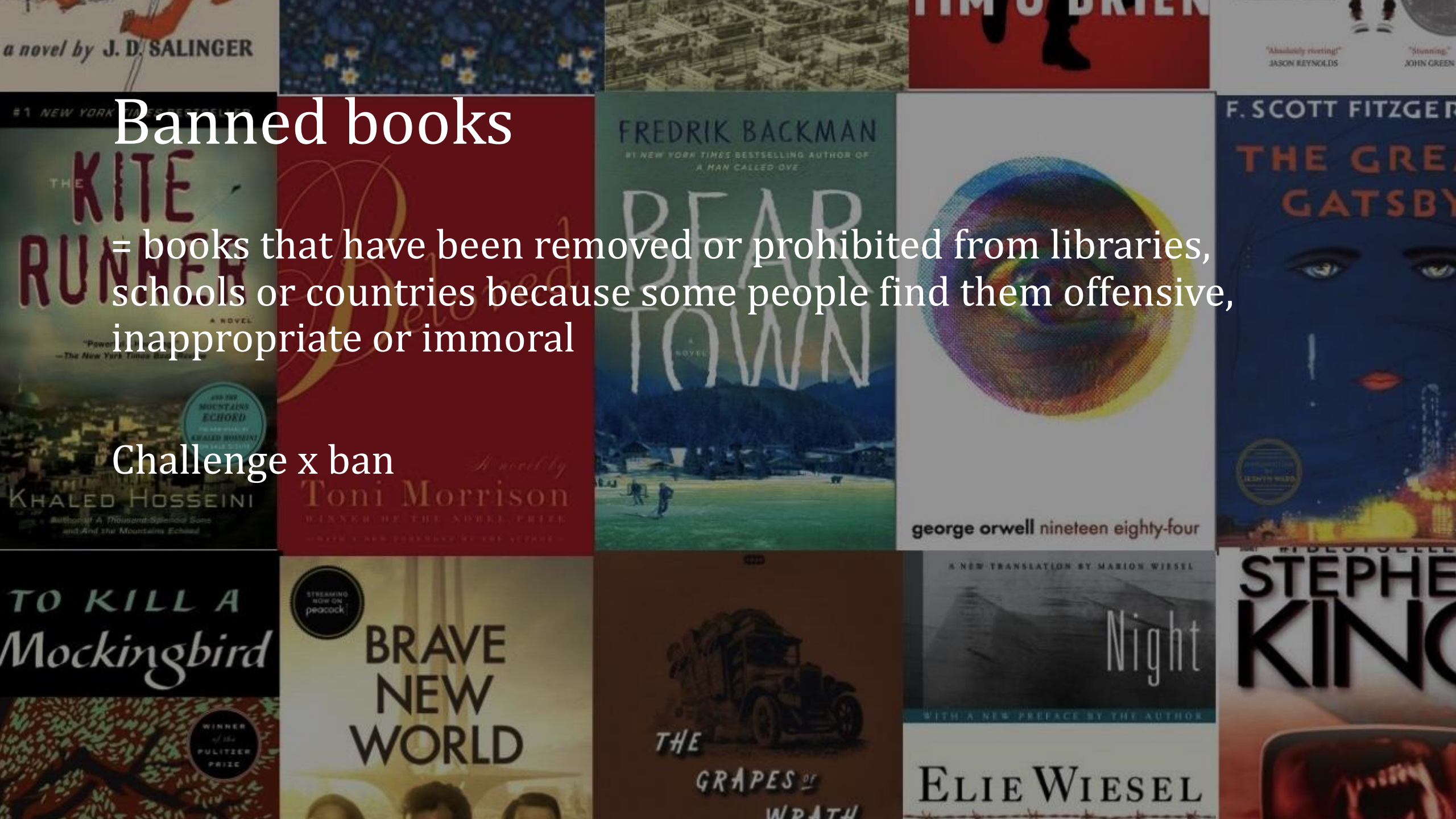


- DQ
- Phishing and other internet scams

Banned books

= books that have been removed or prohibited from libraries, schools or countries because some people find them offensive, inappropriate or immoral

Challenge x ban



Examples

Twilight saga

- Not officially, in some states of the USA
- Sexual content, violence
- Religious themes – immortality, vampires
- Unhealthy relationships

13 reasons why

- USA, Australia, Canada
- Suicide and mental health
- Graphic content
- Parental complaints

THE INTERNATIONAL BESTSELLER
AS SEEN ON NETFLIX

THIRTEEN
REASONS
WHY

'THERE ARE 500 REASONS WHY
I LOVE THIS BOOK ...'
JENNIFER NIVEN

'TREMENDOUS ...
REMARKABLE'
GUARDIAN

Examples

Looking for Alaska

- Some states of the USA
- Death, alcohol, smoking
- Sexual content

WITH
A NEW
INTRODUCTION
BY THE
AUTHOR

Harry Potter

- Some schools in the USA, previously in India, Nigeria, UAE
- Religious objections
- Concerns about violence and disobedience
- Cultural reasons



Examples

The song of Achilles

- Not officially banned, but challenged
- Removed from some libraries
- Homosexual relationship

'Brims with rugged sexuality...A part coming-of-age story, part coming-out story and part Hollywood blockbuster'

Daily Telegraph

Greece in the age of heroes. Awkward young prince Patroclus has been exiled to the court of King Peleus because of their differences, Peleus's golden boy Achilles befriends the shunned prince. As they grow into young men, their bond blossoms into something deeper despite the disapproval of Achilles's mother, the sea goddess Thetis.

But when word comes that Helen of Sparta has been kidnapped, Achilles must go to war in distant Troy and fulfil his destiny. Torn between love and fear for his friend, Patroclus goes with him.

'I finished it with my heart beating. It's brilliant and so is she'

India Knight

'An exciting, sexy, violent Superman version

MADELINE
MILLER

The SONG of ACHILLES

NEW YORK TIMES BEST SELLER

The SONG *of* ACHILLES

'Beautifully descriptive and heart-achingly lyrical, this is a love story as sensitive and intuitive as any you will find'

'A startlingly original work of art ... a book I could not put down'

Thank you for your attention!

Question time!

