

novelknight presents...

# BEAT THE BACKLIST 2022

number in the title	classic novel	longer than 500 pages	first in a series you've been putting off	book featuring time travel	indie or self published	debut novel
one word title	"everyone" has read it but you	set in the mountains	a book about books	mushroom on the cover	non-fiction	graphic novel, manga, or web comic
book with chapter names	about or inspired by a historical event	discovered via social media	novella	picked by a celebrity book club	murder, mystery, or both!	new-to-you author
published in the month you were born	2+ people on the cover	book written for an age group you <u>don't</u> belong to		author has an active podcast or youtube channel	set in space OR on/in the ocean	your favorite animal (real or fictional) on the cover
set on an island	poetry or anthology	"wolf" or "star" in the title	6+ words in the title	translated into your native language	features royalty	superheroes /villains OR character in disguise
co-authored	forgotten on your shelf or eReader	story centered around a real or fictional holiday	your favorite trope on the page	reading for research, reference, or general interest	women in the (fictional) science	you watched the show or movie first
book about siblings	second or fourth book in a series	title is an alliteration	about food or food in the title	involves family secrets	a book in a genre you never/rarely read	an unusual or unexpected pet

**BONUS**  protagonist has a profession that twists the truth

author has a first, middle, and last name on the cover (no initials)

a book set in the season you read it in  finish a series