

## **Next Chapter Submission Guidelines**

Thank you for considering submitting your original work to the Granville Public Library's literary magazine, *Next Chapter*. Please review our guidelines below to ensure that your work is eligible and appropriately submitted.

### **1. Entry Eligibility:**

- **Granville Students or Residents:** Any student attending school in Granville, or anyone residing within the Granville Exempted Village School district (GEVSD)\*
- **Grade/Age:** 4<sup>th</sup> Grade - Adult

2. **Submission Dates:** Work will be accepted from April 1, 2025 to June 30, 2025.

3. **Submission Types:** We accept submissions in the following categories: fiction, non-fiction, and poetry.

4. **Formatting:** All written submissions should be double-spaced, in Times New Roman or Arial font, size 12.

### **5. Word Count:**

- **Fiction and Non-fiction:** No more than 2,000 words.
- **Poetry:** No more than 3 pages per poem, single-spaced.

6. **Submission Limits:** You may submit no more than 2 pieces of written work.

### **7. Submission Process:**

- Email submissions to: [ewilson@granvillelibrary.org](mailto:ewilson@granvillelibrary.org)
- Include "Next Chapter Submission" in the subject line.
- Attach your writing as a Word document
- Include the following information in the email: Name, address, age, and the school you attend, if any. For example:

Carrie Catt  
217 E. Broadway  
Granville, OH 43023  
Age 11  
Granville Intermediate School

8. **Feedback:** We are unable to provide individual feedback, but will notify you if your work is chosen to be published.

We look forward to reviewing your submission!

\*We welcome submissions from all students who attend school in Granville, whether public, private or homeschooled, from fourth grade through higher education.