Hi, Best Friend 💖

June is a super special month — do you know why?

That's because Monday, June 8, is National Best Friend Day in the U.S., and we can never pass up a good excuse to celebrate our BFFs! Check out some fun things we've created to celebrate our best friends — not just on one day, but all year round.

Be one of the first take our BuzzFeed \underline{quiz} to find out which literary friend group is your #squadgoals-and make sure you tag us in your results!

Pick Some Random Things And We'll Tell You What Literary Friend Group You Belong In



Check out our new Spotify <u>playlist</u> filled with the songs we love jammin' out to with our BFFs. With artists from Beyonce to Queen to Ben King to The Cheetah Girls, there's a tune for every friend on there! Do you see your fav listed?

And keep your •• peeled for a special giveaway opportunity on our Instagram June 8. You and a lucky friend could win one of our brand new bookish tees! (With the winning quote submitted by @whatsjennareading!)



To the tune of the Golden Girls theme song Thank you for being a friend \checkmark

— The Books Forward Team

JUNE TITLES AVAILABLE



We have so many awesome titles available for selection this month! Check out the links below and fill out the forms for the books you're interested in receiving. Forms will close June 8, so make sure to get your request in by then!

HISTORICAL FICTION
MYSTERY/THRILLER
NONFICTION/MEMOIR
SCIENCE-FICTION

NEW ADULT/WOMEN'S FICTION
YOUNG ADULT/KIDS
SHORT STORIES

FEATURED FRIENDS

Every month, we want to highlight one of our amazing BFFs. Our featured Books Forward Friend for the month of June is...

Kayla, @kaylagetsread

What is your most commonly used emoji?



What did you have for breakfast today? Chocolate chip pancakes! Breakfast of champions

If you went to the Olympics, what would you want to compete in?

... Can binging Bravo TV be a sport?



If you were writing a book, what would your main characters be named?

I'd probably go with a guilty pleasure name like Clementine or Indigo and everyone else would be TBD. Decisions are hard.

What's the best advice you've ever gotten?

It's okay to say no!

Who is your favorite book character and who would play them in a movie?

Circe! Daisy Edgar Jones, please and thank you.

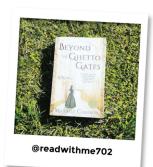
What's your go-to karaoke song?

"Don't Stop Me Now" by Queen

What's the weirdest gift you've ever gotten?

For Christmas one year, my MIL gifted me a rather large ceramic bunny in the downward dog position. I don't do yoga and my stance on bunnies is pretty neutral, so I'm not exactly sure what it means.









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