Question Writing Guidelines:

We select a combination of different types of questions. We include varying levels of difficulty in the questions: easy to difficult.

-Four different types of questions may be asked:
  • A direct quote from a character
  • A question or statement about something that happens in the book or about a character
  • A passage taken directly from the book
  • A question about something from an illustration or picture

-The answers to the questions will always be the title of a book and the author, as it appears on the official booklist.

-The question can only be answered by one book on booklist

The Battle of the Books Committee will double and triple check each question selected for competition.

Some sample questions:
1. In which book does a character push a wheelbarrow full of money?
   Re-Entry by Dave Roman (pg. 23)
2. In which book does a character say: “Both of you must go and slay a dragon for me. Begone!”
   Stella by Starlight by Sharon M. Draper (pg. 29)
3. In which book does a character love "peeling the shell off of a boiled egg"?
   Fish in a Tree by Lynda Mullaly Hunt (pg. 59)
4. In which book does a character come across a sign that states: “Building for sale landlord dead”?
   The Underground Abductor by Nathan Hale (pg. 98)