

We encourage you to read over the summer. Here are a few of our favorite titles! Enjoy! Grade 6

Realistic Fiction

Slacker by Gordon Korman Rules by Cynthia Lord Fish in a Tree by Lynda Mullaly Hunt Maniac Magee: A Novel by Jerry Spinelli

Fantasy Fiction

Princess Academy by Shannon Hale Wings of Fire: The Dragonet Prophecy by Tui T. Sutherland Pandora Gets Jealous by Carolyn Hennesy

Historical Fiction

Allies by Alan Gratz Our Only May Amelia by Jennifer Holm Nory Ryan's Song by Patricia Reilly Giff Echo by Pam Munoz Ryan

Science Fiction

Among the Hidden by Margaret Peterson Haddix Legend by Marie Lu The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins

Mystery

Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer by John Grisham The Puzzling World of Winston Breen by Eric Berlin Spy School by Stuart Gibbs

Biography/Autobiography/ Memoir

The Incredible Nellie Bly: Journalist, Investigator, Feminist, and Philanthropist by Luciana Cumino *El Deafo* by Cece Bell *Ugly* by Robert Hoge

Informational Text

Lincoln's Last Days: The Shocking Assassination That Changed America Forever by Bill O'Reilly Titanic: Voices from the Disaster by Deborah Hopkinson Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls: 100 Tales of Extraordinary Women by Francesca Cavallo

Novel in Verse/Poetry

Garvey's Choice by Nikki Grimes *Love that Dog* by Sharon Creech *Where the Sidewalk Ends* by Shel Silverstein

Grade 7

Realistic Fiction

The Honest Truth by Dan Gemeinhart *Bystander by James Preller Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pie* by Jordan Sonnenblick *Out of My Mind* by Sharon Draper *The Seventh Most Important Thing* by Shelley Pearsall

Fantasy Fiction

Red Queen by Victoria Aveyard Eragon by Christopher Paolini Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children by Ransom Riggs The Red Pyramid by Rick Riordan

Historical Fiction

The Book Thief by Markus Zusak The War that Saved my Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley The Boy in the Striped Pajamas by John Boyne Maggie's Door by Patricia Reilly Giff

Science Fiction

Cinder by Marissa Meyer *Uglies* by Scott Westerfield *Maze Runner* by James Dasher *Divergent* by Veronica Roth

Mystery

Mysterious Benedict Society by Trenton Lee Steward *Hoot* by Carl Hiassen *Loot: How to Steal a Fortune* by Jude Watson *The Inventions of Hugo Cabret* by Brian Selznick *The Marvels* by Brian Selznick

Biography/Autobiography

I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai How They Croaked: The Awful Ends of the Awfully Famous by Georgia Bragg Night by Elie Wiesel No Easy Walk to Freedom by Nelson Mandela Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different by Karen Blumenthal

Informational Text

Almost Astronauts by Tanya Lee Stone A Night to Remember by Walter Lord Phineas Gage: A Gruesome, But True Story About Brain Science by John Fleischman Chasing Lincoln's Killer by James L. Swanson

Novel in Verse/Poetry

Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson The Crossover by Kwame Alexander A Pizza the Size of the Sun by Jack Prelutsky Something Big Has Been Here by Jack Prelutsky

Adventure

Alex Rider Series by Anthony Horowitz Peak by Roland Smith All Fall Down by Ally Carter Worst Class Trip Ever by Dave Barry A Dog's Purpose by Bruce Cameron

Grade 8

Any of the above listed books plus...

Rules of the Road by Joan Bauer

The House on Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros

All Quiet on the Western Front by Erich Maria Remarque

Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card

A Mango-Shaped Space by Wendy Mass

Queen's Own Fool: A Novel of Mary Queen of Scots by Jane Yolen

Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt

Flipped by Wendelin Van Draanen

The Shadow Thieves by Anne Ursi

The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman

Virals by Kathy Reichs