

Entering 6th/6ème

Required:

Holes, by Louis Sachar

One novel of choice from the recommended reading list

*Be ready to write about your novel of choice during our first week of class.

Recommended:

A Single Shard, by Linda Sue Park

Among the Hidden, by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Anything from the “Dear America” series, various authors

Hatchet, by Garry Paulson

Middle School: The Worst Years of my Life, by James Patterson and Chris Tebbetts

Moo, by Sharon Creech

My Side of the Mountain, by Jean Craighead George

Out of Left Field, by Ellen Klages

Out of My Mind, by Sharon Draper

Princess Academy, by Shannon Hale

Rebound, by Kwame Alexander

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry, by Mildred D. Taylor

The City of Ember, by Jeanne DuPrau

The Graveyard Book, by Neil Gaiman

The Reckless Club, by Beth Vrabel

Totally Middle School: Tales of Friends, Family, and Fitting In, edited by Betsy Groban

When You Reach Me, by Rebecca Stead

Where the Red Fern Grows, by Wilson Rawls

Wink, by Rob Harrell

Wonder, by R. J. Palacio

You Go First, by Erin Entrada Kelly

Entering 7th/5ème

Required:

Because of Winn Dixie, by Kate DiCamillo

One novel of choice from the recommended reading list

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Recommended:

Al Capone Does My Shirts, by Gennifer Choldenko

Moo, by Sharon Creech

Out of Left Field, by Ellen Klages

Rebound, by Kwame Alexander

Redwall, by Brian Jacques

Sea of Trolls, by Nancy Farmer

Stargirl, by Jerry Spinelli

The Crossover, by Kwame Alexander

The Girl Who Drank the Moon, by Kelly Barnhill

The Graveyard Book, by Neil Gaiman

The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise, by Dan Gemeinhart

The Unsung Hero of Birdsong, USA, by Brenda Woods

The Wednesday Wars, by Gary D. Schmidt

The Westing Game, by Ellen Raskin

Touching Spirit Bear, by Ben Mikaelson

Tuck Everlasting, by Natalie Babbitt

You Go First, by Erin Entrada Kelly

Entering 8th/4^{ème}

Required:

The House of the Scorpion, by Nancy Farmer

A Long Walk to Water, by Linda Sue Park

Recommended:

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn, by Betty Smith

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn, by Mark Twain

Black Brother, Black Brother, by Jewell Parker Rhodes

Checked, by Cynthia Kadohata

Code Talker, by Joseph Bruchac

Ender's Game, by Orson Scott Card

Fever, 1793, by Laurie Halse Anderson

Graveyard Book, by Neil Gaiman

Heat, by Mike Lupica

Milkweed, by Jerry Spinelli

Orbiting Jupiter, by Gary D. Schmidt

The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian, by Sherman Alexie

The Book Thief, by Markus Zusak

The Pigman, by Paul Zindel

The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise, by Dan Gemeinhart

The Wednesday Wars, by Gary Schmidt

They Called Us Enemy, by George Takei, Justin Eisinger, Steven Scott, Harmony Becker

Touching Spirit Bear, by Ben Mikaelson

Travel Team, by Mike Lupica

Entering 9th/3^{ème}

Required:

Lord of the Flies, by William Golding

Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe, by Benjamin Alire Sáenz

Recommended:

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn, by Betty Smith

American Born Chinese, by Gene Luen Yang

Brave New World, by Aldous Huxley

Downstairs Girl, by Stacey Lee

Girl of the Southern Sea, by Michelle Kadarusman

Long Way Down, by Jason Reynolds

Orbiting Jupiter, by Gary D. Schmidt

Out of the Dust, by Karen Hesse

Solo, by Kwame Alexander

Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You, by Jason Reynolds and Ibram X. Kendi

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime, by Mark Haddon

The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter, by Carson McCullers

The Red Queen, by Sandie Angulo Chen

The Shadow Queen, by C. J. Redwine

The Sun is Also a Star, by Nicola Yoon

To Kill a Mockingbird, by Harper Lee

Undefeated: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian School Football Team, by Steve Sheinkin

Entering 10th/2^{nde}

Required:

The Crucible, by Arthur Miller

Outrun the Moon, by Stacey Lee

Recommended:

A Raisin in the Sun, by Lorraine Hansberry
All Quiet on the Western Front, by Erich Maria Remarque
Brown Girl Dreaming, by Jacqueline Woodson
Civil Disobedience, by Henry David Thoreau
Eleanor & Park, by Rainbow Rowell
Fresh Ink: An Anthology, edited by Lamar Giles
I Am the Messenger, by Marcus Zusak
Jane Eyre, by Charlotte Brontë
Long Way Down, by Jason Reynolds
Looking for Alaska, by John Green
My Antonia, by Willa Cather
Slaughterhouse-Five, by Kurt Vonnegut
Station Eleven, by Emily St. John Mandel
The 57 Bus, by Daska Slater
The Catcher in the Rye, by J. D. Salinger
The Marrow Thieves, by Cherie Dimaline
The Scarlet Letter, by Nathaniel Hawthorne
They Both Die at the End, by Adam Silvera