

# Summer Reading List

## Students Entering Middle School

Below you will find a list of books for summer reading. Your child may read as many books from this list as possible. On the back, you will also see a list of projects your child may choose from. Each student should complete one project about one book. **The projects will be presented the first week of school for a grade.** If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at [mdugas@mycalvaryeagles.com](mailto:mdugas@mycalvaryeagles.com). Have a great summer!

### **Classics**

<i>Little Women</i>	by: Louisa May Alcott
<i>Pride and Prejudice</i>	by: Jane Austen
<i>Robinson Crusoe</i>	by: Daniel Defoe
<i>The Secret Garden</i>	by: Frances Hodgson Burnett
<i>David Copperfield</i>	by: Charles Dickens
<i>Anne of Green Gables</i>	by: Lucy Montgomery
<i>The Chosen</i>	by: Chaim Potak

### **Modern Fiction**

<i>When Zachary Beaver Came to Town</i>	by: Kimberly Willis Holt
<i>Flowers for Algernon</i>	by: Daniel Keys
<i>Shoeless Joe</i>	by: William Kinsella

### **Historical Fiction**

<i>The Last of the Mohicans</i>	by: James Fennimore Cooper
<i>Elijah the Buxton</i>	by: Christopher Paul Curtis
<i>Treasure Island</i>	by: Robert Louis Stevenson

### **Biography**

<i>Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl</i>	by: Anne Frank
<i>Death Be Not Proud</i>	by: John Gunther
<i>The Story of My Life</i>	by: Helen Keller
<i>Princess Ka'iulani</i>	by: Sharon Linnea
<i>Carver, a Life in Poems</i>	by: Marilyn Nelson

### **Science Fiction/Fantasy**

<i>Frankenstein</i>	by: Mary Shelley
Any of the <i>Lord of the Rings</i> trilogy	by: J.R. Tolkein
Any of the <i>Chronicles of Narnia</i> series	by: C.S. Lewis

### **Mystery**

<i>The Hound of the Baskervilles</i>	by: Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
<i>Wolf Rider</i>	by: Avi

### **Animal Stories**

<i>National Velvet</i>	by: Enid Bagnold
<i>The Tale of Despereaux</i>	by: Kate DiCamillo
<i>Call of the Wild</i>	by: Jack London
<i>Black Beauty</i>	by: Anna Sewell

### **Humor/Satire**

<i>The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn</i>	by: Mark Twain
<i>Maniac Magee</i>	by: Jerry Spinelli

### **Non-Fiction**

<i>The Wright Brothers</i>	by: Russell Freedman
<i>Hiroshima</i>	by: John Hersey

### **Drama**

<i>The Miracle Worker</i>	by: William Gibson
<i>The Taming of the Shrew</i>	by: William Shakespeare

### **Myths/Legends**

<i>The Tales of Uncle Remus</i>	by: Julius Lester
<i>The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood</i>	by: Howard Pyle