

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.** Have a great summer!

Classics:

Little Women
Pride and Prejudice
Robinson Crusoe
The Secret Garden
David Copperfield
Anne of Green Gables
The Chosen

by: Louisa May Alcott
by: Jane Austen
by: Daniel Defoe
by: Frances Hodgson Burnett
by: Charles Dickens
by: Lucy Montgomery
by: Chaim Potak

Modern Fiction:

When Zachary Beaver Came to Town
Flowers for Algernon
Shoeless Joe

by: Kimberly Willis Holt
by: Daniel Keys
by: William Kinsella

Historical Fiction:

The Last of the Mohicans
Elijah the Buxton
Treasure Island

by: James Fennimore Cooper
by: Christopher Paul Curtis
by: Robert Louis Stevenson

Biography:

Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl
Death Be Not Proud
The Story of My Life
Princess Ka'iulani
Carver, a Life in Poems

by: Anne Frank
by: John Gunther
by: Helen Keller
by: Sharon Linnea
by: Marilyn Nelson

Science Fiction/Fantasy:

Frankenstein
Any of the Lord of the Rings trilogy
Any of the Chronicles of Narnia series

by: Mary Shelley
by: J.R. Tolkein
by: C.S. Lewis

Mystery:

The Hound of the Baskervilles
Wolf Rider

by: Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
by: Avi

Animal Stories:

National Velvet
The Tales of Despereaux
Call of the Wild
Black Beauty

by: Enid Bagnold
by: Kate DiCamillo
by: Jack London
by: Anna Sewell

Humor/Satire

The Adventures of Huckleberry Fin
Maniac Magee

by: Mark Twain
by: Jerry Spinelli

Non-Fiction

The Wright Brothers
Hiroshima

by: Russell Freedman
by: John Hersey

Drama

The Miracle Worker
The Taming of the Shrew

by: William Gibson
by: William Shakespeare

Myths/Legends

The Tales of Uncle Remus
The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood

by: Julius Lester
by: Howard Pyle

