

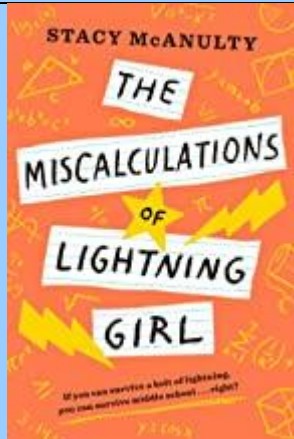


Lake Mary Prep 7th Grade Summer Reading

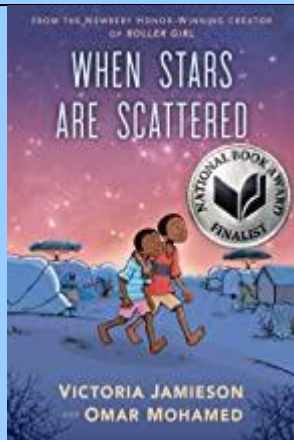
Directions

1. Over the summer, read **one** of the novels from the list below
2. As you read, **annotate** in the margins of the text and on your **Summer Reading Bookmark**
3. Complete **one** task from the Choice Board

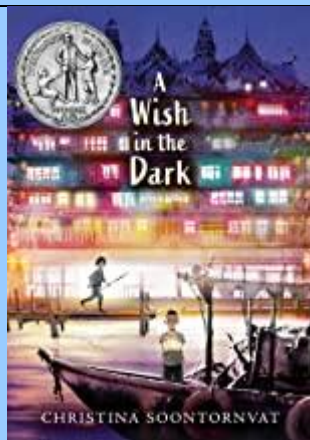
	<p>The whole town is talking about what's buried beneath the playground... Windy Bottom, Georgia is usually a peaceful place. Coop helps his mom at her café and bookstore, hangs out with his grandpa, bikes around with his friends, Justice and Liberty, and is determined to live up to his dad's legacy. Windy Bottom is full of all kinds of interesting people, but no one has ever caused a problem. Until now. And somehow, Gramps is taking all the blame! It seems like there are a lot of secrets that were buried in their small town after all... Will Coop and his friends get to the bottom of the mystery and clear Gramps's name before it's too late?</p>
	<p>A Banksy-style protest against cameras in classrooms brings a group of middle-grade students together. Dominica's private school is covered in cameras, and someone is hacking into them and posting embarrassing moments for the whole school to see; Like Ana picking her nose. When Dominica quickly changes her shirt from inside out in what she thinks is the privacy of a quiet corner in the library, she's shocked -- and embarrassed -- to discover a video has captured this and is currently circulating amongst her schoolmates. So mortifying, especially since over the past three years, they've had a half-dozen school talks about social media safety. Who has access to the school security cameras and why are they doing this? Dominica and her best friends, Holden and Saanvi, are determined to find out, and in the process start an art-based student campaign against cameras in the classroom.</p>



If you can survive a bolt of lightning, you can survive middle school...right? Lucy was struck by lightning when she was eight; turning her into a math savant with genius level math skills and some quirky OCD issues. Now that Lucy is twelve, she's technically ready for college. Except Lucy's grandma wants her to survive just one year of middle school. Lucy must: Go to middle school for 1 year. Make 1 friend. Join 1 activity. And read 1 book (that's NOT a math textbook.)



Omar Mohamed was a child when soldiers attacked his village in Somalia. Separated from his parents, he and his younger brother, Hassan, eventually made their way to Dadaab. Living in this crowded refugee camp in Kenya, Omar spends his days scrambling for food and taking care of Hassan, who is nonverbal and suffers from debilitating seizures. A chance to attend school is a dream come true, but the opportunity weighs heavily on Omar; school is a selfish choice when you have no parents and a brother who needs constant care.



All light in Chattana is created by one man — the Governor, who appeared after the Great Fire to bring peace and order to the city. For Pong, who was born in Namwon Prison, the magical lights represent freedom, and he dreams of the day he will be able to walk among them. But when Pong escapes from prison, he realizes that the world outside is no fairer than the one behind bars. Nok, the prison warden's perfect daughter, is bent on tracking Pong down and restoring her family's good name. But as Nok hunts Pong through the alleys and canals of Chattana, she uncovers secrets that make her question the truths she has always held dear.

Memorable Quotes (identify speaker & pg #):

Favorite Parts:

Connections (T-T, T-S, T-W):

Author's style (imagery, tone, or dialogue, etc.):

Recommendation to what audience:

Reasons for recommending or not recommending:

Summer Reading Bookmark

Title: _____ Genre: _____

Author: _____ Reading Level: _____

Summary Notes

Characters/traits: _____

Location: _____ Time period: _____

Rising Action/Conflict: _____

Climax: _____

Falling Action: _____

Resolution: _____

Theme: _____

NOVEL ACTIVITIES CHOICE BOARD

Task: Select one activity.

READING	ORAL	WRITING
<p>Create an illustrated video game instruction manual based on the novel. The manual must explain how to play the game and how to use the game controller. Outline how your video game reflects the events and struggles in your character's life from the novel.</p>	<p>Your assignment is to creatively and enthusiastically sell your novel to the class. You can either persuade the class to read the novel or explain why they should spend their time reading another novel. Your presentation should be 2 - 3 minutes in length.</p>	<p>Create three blog posts about your novel. Write a blog post at the beginning, middle, and end of your novel. Write about your thoughts, connections you have made, or questions you have. <i>Do not use your real name or your location on the blog.</i></p>
<p>Create a symbolic life map for any main character in your novel. Select 10 events that involve your character and draw a symbol that represents each event. Explain how each symbol relates to the chosen character.</p>	<p>Create a 1 -2 minute monologue as any main character from your novel. Introduce yourself as the main character to the class, explain the struggles you faced, and end your monologue with an advertisement to read the novel.</p>	<p>Write a letter to a famous movie director proposing that your novel be made into a movie. Provide a cast list, and suggest set locations. Explain the reasons behind your choices.</p>
<p>Create a fake social media profile for any main character from your novel. Develop 5 - 7 properly formatted posts for your selected social media account. Ensure the posts are related to the major events that occur in your novel.</p>	<p>Find an issue discussed in your novel and create a 2 -3 minute presentation teaching the class about this issue. You will need to find current research and/or newspaper articles to gather information for your class presentation.</p>	<p>Write a newspaper article about a key event that occurred in your novel. Use proper newspaper format (headline, byline, location, answer the 5 W's, proper column format). Include a picture and a caption.</p>