



Middle School for Girls 6th Grade Summer Assignment

Dear Students,

Summer is a wonderful time to be with friends and family, but it is also a great time to experience the joy of reading. As you read, you should be thinking about what you are reading. The following reading assignment will guide our work at the beginning of the year. Choose from the provided lists as indicated.

Required reading for Grade 6:

- One novel from list A (on back of page)
- One novel from list B (on back of page)
- One(or more) personal choice novel

Assignment for Grade 6:

- When you finish each book, write two paragraphs about the story.
 - In the first paragraph include the following:
 - Setting - where and when the story takes place
 - Main character - person(s) with the problem and/or creating a problem, how they change from the beginning to the end of the story
 - Conflict - the problem or problems in the story, who was involved, how it was resolved
 - In the second paragraph explain what you liked and disliked about the story. Who do you think should read the story and why?
 - Write or type each summary on a separate piece of paper
- Include the title of the book and author at the top of the page
- Complete the reading and summaries before the first day of school, and be prepared to turn them in at the beginning of the school year.

If you have any questions during your reading journey this summer, please do not hesitate to reach out - lnixon@ashmi.org

Happy reading!

Ms. Nixon

A	B
<p><i>True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle</i>, Avi</p> <p><i>Are You There God, It's Me, Margaret</i>, Blume</p> <p>*<i>Artemis Fowl</i>, Colfer</p> <p>*<i>Seraphina</i>, Hartman</p> <p><i>The View From Saturday</i>, Konigsburg</p> <p><i>Masterminds</i>, Korman</p> <p>*<i>Anne of Green Gables</i>, Montgomery</p> <p>*Percy Jackson Series, Riordan</p> <p>*Harry Potter Series, Rowling</p> <p><i>Echo</i>, Ryan</p> <p><i>Esperanza Rising</i>, Ryan</p> <p><i>The Marvels</i>, Selznick</p> <p><i>Loser</i>, Spinelli</p> <p><i>The 39 Clues</i>, various authors</p>	<p>*<i>The Name of this Book is Secret</i>, Bosch</p> <p><i>Vanished</i>, Chari</p> <p><i>Waiting for Normal</i>, Connor</p> <p><i>The Wanderer</i>, Creech</p> <p><i>The Midwife's Apprentice</i>, Cushman</p> <p><i>Out of My Mind</i>, Draper</p> <p>*<i>The Breadwinner</i>, Ellis</p> <p>*<i>Incarceron</i>, Fisher</p> <p><i>The Shadow Spinner</i>, Fletcher</p> <p><i>Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library</i>, Grabenstein</p> <p><i>The Parker Inheritance</i>, Johnson</p> <p><i>Kira-Kira</i>, Kadohata</p> <p><i>Listen, Slowly</i>, Lai</p> <p>*<i>A Wrinkle in Time</i>, L'Engle</p> <p><i>Number the Stars</i>, Lowry</p> <p><i>A Corner of the Universe</i>, Martin</p> <p><i>Sixth Grade Secrets</i>, Sachar</p> <p><i>Maniac Magee</i>, Spinelli</p> <p><i>Moon Over Manifest</i>, Vanderpool</p> <p>*<i>Homecoming</i>, Voigt</p>

*= a series