

**Springfield Public Schools
Recommended Reading Literature List
2023-2024
Grade 8**



**Florence M. Gaudineer Middle School
Springfield, New Jersey**

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Eighth Grade Reading List**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>
<u>Slumgirl Dreaming</u>	Ali, Rubina
<u>Speak</u>	Anderson, Laurie Halse
<u>Wintergirls</u>	Anderson, Laurie Halse
<u>Return to Sender</u>	Alvarez, Julia
<u>The True Blue Scouts of Sugar Man Swamp</u>	Appelt, Kathi
<u>The Girl Who Drank the Moon</u>	Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker
<u>They Called Themselves the K.K.K</u>	Bartoletti, Susan Campbell
<u>Trino's Choice</u>	Bertrand, Diane Gonzales
<u>Lewis & Clark</u>	Bertozzi, Nick
<u>The War That Saved My Life</u>	Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker
<u>Queen of Hearts</u>	Brooks, Martha
<u>Anya's Ghost</u>	Brosgol, Vera
<u>Swim the Fly</u>	Don Calame
<u>Close to Shore: The Terrifying Shark Attacks of 1916</u>	Capuzzo, Mike
Nick Carman's Skeleton Creek (series)	Carman, Nick
<u>Ghost Hawk</u>	Cooper, Susan
<u>We Beat The Street</u>	Davis, Sampson
<u>The Search for WondLa</u>	DiTerlizzi, Tony
Better Nate Than Ever (Nate, Book 1)	Federle, Tim
<u>Change-Up: Mystery at the World Series</u>	Feinstein, John
<u>Dying Breath</u>	Ferguson, Alane
The Entertainer and the Dybbuk	Fleischman, Sid

<u>If I Stay</u>	Forman, Gayle
<u>Where She Went (Sequel to If I Stay)</u>	Forman, Gayle
<u>The Graveyard Book</u>	Gaiman, Neil
<u>Adventures on the Ancient Silk Road</u>	Galloway, Priscilla with Dawn Hunter
<u>The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise</u>	Gemeinhart, Dan
<u>An Abundance of Katherines</u>	Green, John
<u>The Fault In Our Stars</u>	Green, John
<u>Looking for Alaska</u>	Green, John
<u>Paper Towns</u>	Green, John
<u>Baseball Great</u>	Green, Tim
<u>Charlie Joe Jackson's Guide to Not Reading</u>	Greenwald, Tom
<u>Chase</u>	Haas, Jessie
<u>The American Muslim Teenage's Handbook</u>	Hafiz, Dilara; Hafiz, Imran; Hafiz, Yasmine
<u>One for the Sorrow: A Ghost Story</u>	Hahn, Mary Downing
<u>Guest: A Changeling Tale</u>	Hahn, Mary Downing
<u>Puppet's Payback and Other Chilling Tales</u>	Hahn, Mary Downing
<u>How to Steal a Car</u>	Hautman, Pete
<u>Slayers</u>	Hill, C.J.
<u>Unbroken</u>	Hillenbrand, Laura
<u>Claudette Colvin: Twice toward Justice</u>	Hoose, Phillip M.
<u>Angel In Vegas: the Chronicles of Noah Sark</u>	Howe, Norma
<u>Torn Thread</u>	Isaacs, Anne
<u>Muchacho</u>	Johnson, Louanne
<u>The Pinhoe Egg</u>	Jones, Diana Wynne
<u>Bot Wars</u>	Kade, J.V.

Infinity (Chronicles of Nick, Book 1)	Kenyon, Sherrilyn
<u>Zoobreak</u>	Korman, Gordon
<u>Pop</u>	Korman, Gordon
<u>Goldsmith's Daughter</u>	Landman, Tanya
<u>The Contender</u>	Lipsyte, Robert
<u>The Silence of Our Friends: The Civil Rights Struggle Was Never Black and White</u>	Long, Mike; Demonakos, Jim
<u>I Am Number Four</u>	Lore, Pittacus
<u>Hidden Talents/True Talents (series)</u>	Lubar, David
<u>Messed Up</u>	Lynch, Janet Nichols
<u>Good Night, Mr. Tom</u>	Magorian, Michelle
<u>China: Land of Dragons and Emperors</u>	Mah, Adeline Yen
<u>Clone Codes</u>	McKissack, Patricia C. and Frederick, John
<u>Shine, Coconut Moon</u>	Meminger, Neesha
<u>Shadowed Summer</u>	Mitchell, Sandra
<u>War Horse</u>	Morpurgo, Michael
<u>Invincible Microbe: Tuberculosis and the Never-Ending Search for a Cure</u>	Murphy, Jim
<u>Autobiography of My Dead Brother</u>	Myers, Walter Dean
<u>Glory Field</u>	Myers, Walter Dean
<u>Sunrise Over Fallujah</u>	Myers, Walter Dean
<u>Shine</u>	Myracle, Lauren
<u>Stones in Water</u>	Napoli, Donna Jo
<u>Left for Dead: A Young Man's Search for Justice for the USS Indianapolis</u>	Nelson, Pete
<u>The Devil in Vienna</u>	Orgel, Doris

<u>Man from the Other Side</u>	Orlev, Uri
<u>Feynman</u>	Ottaviani, Jim
<u>Bread and Roses, Too</u>	Paterson, Katherine
<u>Secret Keeper</u>	Perkins, Mitali
<u>Ghost</u>	Reynolds, Jason
<u>8th Grade Super Zero</u>	Rhuday-Perkovich, Olugbemisola
<u>Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children</u>	Riggs, Ransom
<u>Ghost Boys</u>	Rhodes, Jewell Parker
<u>Allegiant</u>	Roth, Veronica
<u>Divergent</u>	Roth, Veronica
<u>Insurgent</u>	Roth, Veronica
<u>Eleanor and Park</u>	Rowell, Rainbow
<u>Surface Tension</u>	Runyon, Brent
<u>The Impossible Rescue: The True Story of an Amazing Arctic Adventure</u>	Sandler, Martin W.
<u>Pay Attention, Carter Jones</u>	Schmidt, Gary D.
<u>Positively</u>	Sheinmel, Courtney
<u>Gloom Town</u>	Smith, Ronald
<u>Wringer</u>	Spinelli, Jerry
<u>When You Reach Me</u>	Stead, Rebecca
<u>Duel: the Parallel Lives of Alexander Hamilton and Aaron Burr</u>	St. George, Judith
<u>The Raven Boys</u>	Stiefvater, Maggie
<u>Shiver</u>	Stiefvater, Maggie
<u>Smile</u>	Telgemeier, Raina
<u>Climbing the Stairs</u>	Venkatraman, Padma

Boundaries: How the Mason-Dixon Line Settled a Family Feud and Divided a Nation

Walker, Sally M.

Perpetual Check

Wallace, Rich

Impossible

Werlin, Nancy

Chu Ju's House

Whelan, Gloria

Hollywood and Maine

Whittenberg, Allison

Bull Rider

Williams, Suzanne Morgan

The Cure for Dreaming

Winters, Cat

After Tupac & D Foster

Woodson, Jacqueline

A Young People's History of the United States: Columbus to the War on Terror

Zinn, Howard