

2024 6th Grade Summer Reading Assignment

Choose **ONE** of the following to read:

The Eyes & The Impossible by Dave Eggers
Elf Dog & Owl Head by M.T. Anderson
Beyond the Bright Sea by Lauren Wolk
Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish by Pablo Cartaya
Sona and the Golden Beasts by Rajani LaRocca
New From Here by Kelly Yang
Misfits Mansion by Kat Davault



For more information about each novel check out the websites below:

The Eyes & The Impossible:

<https://www.goodreads.com/en/book/show/63246652>

Elf Dog & Owl Head:

https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/62341474-elf-dog-and-owl-head?from_search=true&from_srp=true&qid=mhir9uJOso&rank=1

Beyond the Bright Sea:

<https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/32623542-beyond-the-bright-sea>

Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish:

<https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/25226222-marcus-vega-doesn-t-speak-spanish>

Sona and the Golden Beasts:

https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/176823085-sona-and-the-golden-beasts?from_search=true&from_srp=true&qid=fYk6uyCzub&rank=1

New From Here:

https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/58201801-new-from-here?from_search=true&from_srp=true&qid=SWEuNdpLz7&rank=1

Misfit Mansion:

https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/62919111-misfit-mansion?ref=rae_4

Summer Reading Choice Board

Please pick ONE culminating activity to complete about your summer reading novel choice.

<p style="text-align: center;">Option #1 <u>One Pager</u></p> <p>Create a colorful one-pager which showcases title, author, character traits, secondary character, setting, theme, quotes, etc.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #2 <u>Trading Card</u></p> <p>Create a trading card about a character from the story. On the front include- name and picture. On the back- character's role in the story, character traits (internal and external), and what happened to them in the end.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #3 <u>Letter to Author</u></p> <p>Write a letter to the author of the novel. Be sure to include your opinions on the novel- positive and negative. Discuss the protagonist (main character) and what you learned from them.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Option #4 <u>Quote Me</u></p> <p>Select FIVE quotes from the novel. Choose quotes that reflect your thinking and noticing about the novel. State who said the quote, in what context, and explain in your own words. Discuss why this quote is significant to the novel.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #5 <u>Design a New Cover</u></p> <p>Redesign the cover. Use images and/or words to create the perfect new cover. Explain why you created this cover.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #6 <u>Create a Comic Strip</u></p> <p>Write a comic strip for one scene in the novel. Be sure to include the protagonist (main character), setting, and a problem.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Option #7 <u>Create Two Fake Social Media Profiles</u></p> <p>Snapchat, TikTok, Instagram... Create two profiles for two different characters in the novel.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #8 <u>Create an Identity Map</u></p> <p>Describe who the protagonist is by creating a map of their traits, actions, likes, etc.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Option #9 <u>Make a playlist</u></p> <p>Create a soundtrack for your summer reading novel. Explain why you picked each of the songs that you did.</p>

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Please use this guide to access summer
reading materials through the
South Middle Library:



All books are available digitally and many on audio using Sora.



Want to learn more
about Sora? Watch
this quick video:



Participate in SMS
Library's Summer
Reading Bingo Here:



Questions on how to access? Contact Mrs. D'Onofrio - hdonofrio@greatneck.k12.ny.us
Incoming 6th Graders: Please note it may take a few weeks into the summer break for
your student account to be active on Great Neck Public School's Sora and Beanstack.