

Summer 2023 Rising 6th Grade Reading Assignment

Welcome to middle school! There will be many changes in middle school; one immediate change will be the way in which you engage with literature and writing. You will find below the required summer reading assignments. These assignments are intended to help prepare you for the upcoming school year. You must complete all assignments and have them ready to turn in on the first day of school. We will be discussing the assignments during the first weeks of school.

Directions: Read the “Required Reading” selection, and choose one of the “Your Choice” books. Do not choose a book you have already read. Write two, one-page summaries of the two books (one summary per book) that you read from this summer reading list.

Required Reading:

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry, Mildred Taylor ISBN-10: 0142401129

Your Choice:

Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland, Lewis Carroll

Call of The Wild, Jack London

Hoot, Carl Hiassen

Walk Two Moons, Sharon Creech

Number the Stars, Lois Lowry

Where the Red Fern Grows, Wilson Rawls

A Wrinkle in Time, Madeleine L’Engle