



# Middle School Summer Reading List

Each child should read a minimum of two books. One from list A and one from list B. **Books should be selected from the grade-level list the student will be entering this fall. If quantities are limited, librarians and bookstore personnel can recommend other titles written by the author or titles of the same genre.**

A

B

6 <sup>th</sup>	<i>Crispin: The Cross of Lead</i> , Avi <i>Crossing Jordan</i> , Adrian Fogelin	<i>Coraline</i> , Neil Gaiman <i>The Bad Beginning</i> , Lemony Snicket <i>Esperanza Rising</i> , Pam Munoz-Ryan <i>Pictures of Hollis Woods</i> , Patricia Riley Giff <i>Regarding the Fountain</i> , Kate Klise <i>Regular Guy</i> , Sarah Weeks
7 <sup>th</sup>	<i>Surviving the Applewhites</i> , Stephanie Tolan <i>Among the Hidden</i> , Margaret Haddix	<i>101 Ways to Bug Your Parents</i> , Lee Wardlaw <i>Artemis Fowl</i> , Eoin Colfer <i>Far North</i> , Will Hobbs <i>Flight to Freedom</i> , Anna Veciana-Suarez <i>Lost and Found</i> , Anne Schraff <i>Lupita Manana</i> , Patricia Beatty
8 <sup>th</sup>	<i>Stargirl</i> , Jerry Spinelli <i>Zach's Lie</i> , Roland Smith	<i>Gifted Hands</i> , Ben Carson <i>The House of the Scorpion</i> , Nancy Farmer <i>Running Out of Time</i> , Margaret Haddix <i>Slake's Limbo</i> , Felice Holman <i>Touching Spirit Bear</i> , Ben Mikaelson <i>The Young Landlords</i> , Walter Dean Myers

Even though two books are required, students are encouraged to read as many books as possible.