

June 16, 2017

Dear Students, Parents, and Guardians,

The Summer Reading Program for students entering grades 6, 7, and 8 at Nathan Bishop Middle School will be based on the book list provided by the Providence Community Libraries. Most books are available at your local library; however, books not on the shelves may be accessed through the statewide inter library loan system. Please consult your local librarian for details.

During the summer months, all students are required to do the following:

- Read **three (3)** or more selections from the list
- Complete a **project** from the list below for **one (1)** of the selections or create your own project
- Write book reviews for the other **two (2)** books

Projects and book reviews will be **collected during the first week of school**. Please note **administration and teachers are committed to making sure your child's summer work is recognized**. Enjoy your summer reading!

Sample Projects:	Book Review Format
<p>Book in a Box: Decorate a box to represent the book and fill it with objects that symbolize the story.</p> <p>Book Timeline: Use words and pictures to make a timeline of important events from the book.</p> <p>Book Collage: Create a collage using pictures that represent different parts of the book.</p> <p>Movie Poster/Trailer: Create a poster or movie trailer to promote the movie version of the book.</p> <p>Main Character: Make a 3-D model of the main character and write an interview with that character.</p> <p>Scrapbook: Make a scrapbook with items and pictures that are important to the main character and the story.</p> <p>PowerPoint / Prezi Presentation: Create a PowerPoint or Prezi presentation with slides for the story elements as well as a summary and opinion.</p> <p>Comic Strip: Create a comic strip with at least 8 squares to retell the plot of the story.</p>	<p>Title:</p> <p>Author:</p> <p>Characters: Who are the main characters? What happens to them? Did you like them? How did they change throughout the book, if at all? What made you like or dislike them as you read?</p> <p>Plot: What happens in the story? Write a 1 – 3 paragraph summary describing the beginning, middle, and end of the text.</p> <p>Themes: What is the message for the reader? What did you learn that you did not know before?</p> <p>Turning Points: What important events happened in the story? How did the resolution of the story come about? Was it a satisfying ending?</p> <p>Quotes: Choose 3. What is significant about each quotation? Why was this quotation important to you? Can you relate to the message of the words? Did it cause you to have a specific feeling?</p>

2017 Providence Middle School Summer Reading List

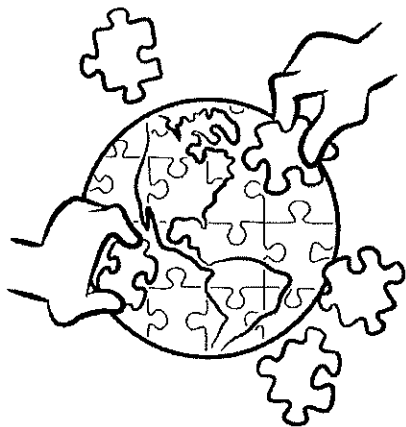
Recommended titles compiled by Providence Community Library & Providence Public Library staff

Read Any Books by These Authors

Laurie Halse Anderson	David Macaulay
Avi	Walter Dean Myers
Blue Balliett	Gary Paulsen
Sharon M. Draper	Rodman Philbrick
Margaret P. Haddix	Philip Pullman
Carl Hiaasen	Rick Riordan
Lois Lowry	Gary Schmidt
Mike Lupica	Jacqueline Woodson

Series

Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card
Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins
Ruby Red by Kierstin Gier
Alex Rider Adventures by Anthony Horowitz
Eleven Birthdays by Wendy Mass
Percy Jackson by Rick Riordan
Leviathan by Scott Westerfeld



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Español

En busca de milagros by Julia Alvarez
De como los muchachos Garcia perdieron el acento
by Julia Alvarez
Skeleton Creek: El Diario de Ryan
by Patrick Carman
La Casa en Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros
Juntos. (Overdrive e-book) by Ally Condie.
El libro del cementerio by Neil Gaiman
Theodore Boone: Joven Abogado
(Overdrive e-book) by John Grisham
La ciudad de las máscaras by Mary Hoffman
Kira-Kira (Spanish edition) by Cynthia Kadohata
Cinder (Spanish edition) by Marissa Meyer
Eragon (Spanish edition) by Christopher Paolini
El Hacha by Gary Paulsen
El Sonador by Pam Munoz Ryan

Libros de la serie

Artemis Fowl (Spanish edition) by Eoin Colfer
Los Juegos del Hambre (series) by Suzanne Collins
Max's Lucha Libre Adventures (English and Spanish)
by Xavier Garva
Tuneles (series) by Roderick Gordon &
Brian Williams
Ghost Girl (series) by Tonya Hurley

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