





Jefferson Township

Summer Reading

For Incoming 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Students



Purpose

The purpose of the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Summer Reading Assignment is to encourage students to keep reading and thinking over summer break.

Students will get to choose a book from a list of titles generated by both teachers and students. There are two parts to the Summer Reading Assignment.





A Note to Parents

For the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Summer Reading Assignment, your child will be choosing a text. The titles and overviews are attached. Sharing this information with you gives you the opportunity to preview the subject matter and content of these books. Some contain more sensitive content than others. We encourage you to read along with your child and discuss the book as you do so.

More in-depth content descriptions of the books can be found linked [here](#).





Your Assignment



Part One

Choose one title from your grade level list and read the book before the first day of school. We know that you may already be familiar with these titles or you may have seen the movie. Maybe you've read the book already. *Remember, the goal is to keep reading and thinking.* So read the book even if you read it before or have seen the movie.



Part Two

On one of the first days of school, you will engage in a book club discussion with the students in your ELA class who have read the same book as you. *Be prepared to talk about theme, how the characters changed, and how the book reflects current 21st century society and/or social trends.*

Total Formative Points-25. Please see rubric [here](#).



Grade Level Book Lists



6th Grade

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7th Grade

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8th Grade

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