

Summer Reading List Rising 7th Grade

2020-21 School Year



Experts agree that children who read during the summer months gain reading skills while those who do not often slide backwards (RIF). Students should read for <u>at least</u> 20 minutes each day.

Read at least 3 of the following books this summer (in addition to lots of self-selected reading) & use the accompanied reading log to track your reading. Please submit the reading log (signed by a parent) by August 14th.

Required Reading for ALL rising 7th grade students

Esperanza Rising Pam Munoz Ryan

Choose 1 of the following books:

<u>The Crossover</u> Kwame Alexander

<u>Inside Out and Back Again</u> Thanhha Lai

Choose at least 1 more of the following books:

Bucking the Sarge Christopher Paul Curtis

Blood on the River: Jamestown, 1607 Elisa Carbone

The Shadow Thieves Anne Ursu

Laughing Boy Oliver La Farge

<u>The Number Devil</u> Hans Magnus Enzensberger

<u>Crispin: At the Edge of the World</u> Avi

<u>Chains</u> Laurie Halse Anderson