

Incoming 8th Grade Summer Reading List

Name: _____ Homeroom Teacher: _____

Honors Required Reading for Girls:

Author	Title	Lexile	AR quiz	Price	Order
Jeanne and James Houston	Farewell to Manzanar	1040	*	\$6.00	

Honors Required Reading for Boys:

Author	Title	Lexile	AR quiz	Price	Order
Hampton Sides	Ghost Soldiers		*	\$14.50	

Regular Required Reading for Boys and Girls:

Author	Title	Lexile	AR quiz	Price	Order
John Boyne	The Boy in Striped Pajamas	1080	*	\$6.00	

All Classes are required to choose **one** or more additional novels at your lexile from the Middle School Recommended Reading List.

(Students should be reading within 100 points of personal lexile. See standardized test results for more information.)

Author	Title	Lexile	AR quiz	Price	Order
Richard Adams	Watership Down	880	*	\$13.50	
Lloyd Alexander	Iron Ring	680	*	\$6.25	
Avi	True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle	740	*	\$5.50	
T.A. Barron	The Lost Years of Merlin	770	*	\$6.00	
“	The Seven Songs of Merlin	760	*	\$6.00	
“	The Fires of Merlin	750	*	\$6.00	
“	The Mirror of Merlin	750	*	\$6.00	
“	The Wings of Merlin	770	*	\$6.00	
K.P. Bath	The Secret of Castle Cant		*	\$6.00	
Patricia Beatty	Wait for Me, Watch for Me, Eula Bee	970	*	Not	available
Gary Blackwood	Shakespeare’s Scribe	850	*	\$6.00	
Joan Blos	Gathering of Days	960		\$5.50	
Willa Cather	My Antonia	1010	*	\$6.25	
Caroline Cooney	Goddess of Yesterday	730	*	\$6.00	
Susan Cooper	The Dark is Rising	920	*	\$5.50	
Patricia Reilly Giff	Pictures of Hollis Woods	650	*	\$6.00	
Jean C. George	Julie of the Wolves	860	*	\$5.50	
Virginia Hamilton	The House of Dies Drear	670	*	\$5.50	
Carl Hiaasen	Hoot	760	*	\$8.00	
James Herriott	All Creatures Great and Small	990	*	\$7.25	

Author	Title	Lexile	AR quiz	Price	Order
Will Hobbs	Kokopelli's Flute	870	*	\$4.50	
Polly Horvath	Everything on a Waffle	950	*	\$6.00	
Eva Ibbotson	Secret of Platform 13	910	*	\$6.00	
Shirley Jackson	We Have Always Lived in the Castle	980		\$12.50	
Rudyard Kipling	Kim	940	*	\$6.00	
"	The Jungle Book	1140	*	\$3.50	
Godon Korman	Everest Book One: The Contest	690	*	\$4.50	
Jean Latham	Carry On, Mr. Bowditch	570	*	\$6.00	
Julius Lester	Day of Tears: A Novel in Dialogue		*	\$7.00	
Yann Martel	Life of Pi	830	*	\$8.00	
Joyce McDonald	Swallowing Stones	820	*	\$6.00	
L. A. Meyer	Bloody Jack	1120	*	\$7.00	
"	Curse of the Blue Tattoo	1120	*	\$7.00	
Ralph Moody	Little Britches	1090	*	\$13.50	
Beverly Naidoo	Out of Bounds: Seven Stories of Conflict	750	*	\$5.50	
Linda Sue Park	The Kite Fighters	880	*	\$5.50	
Gary Paulsen	The River	960		\$6.00	
"	Hatchet	1020	*	\$6.00	
"	Brian's Winter	1140	*	\$6.00	
"	Brian's Return	1030	*	\$6.00	
"	How Angel Peterson Got His Name	1180	*	\$5.50	
"	The Night the White Deer Died	1250	*	\$4.50	
Lynne Rae Perkins	Criss Cross	820		\$6.00	
Chaim Potok	The Chosen	970	*	\$7.00	
Ann Rinaldi	Hang a Thousand Trees with Ribbons	560	*	\$6.00	
"	A Break with Charity	730	*	\$6.00	
"	Mine Eyes Have Seen	780	*	Not	available
J. K. Rowling	Harry Potter and The Sorcerer's Stone	880	*	\$8.00	
Louis Sachar	Small Steps(a sequel to Holes)	690	*	\$6.00	
Lemony Snicket	The Bad Beginning	1010	*	\$11.50	
Zilpha Keatly Snyder	Egypt Game	1010	*	\$6.00	
"	And Condors Danced	1100	*	Not	available
Robert Lewis Stevenson	Treasure Island	1100	*	\$4.50	
Barbara Brooks Wallace	Peppermints in the Parlor	960	*	\$5.50	

This Suggested Reading List is intended to be broad enough to include novels that will be of interest to a variety of students. Please choose the novels you will read considering lexile, content, genre, and subject matter so that your reading will be both enjoyable and valuable.

Total number of books ordered _____

Total Price of books _____

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***price includes tax**