

Summer Reading- Middle School

Book Choices: Each grade, choose one book out of the three choices to read and complete a book report.

6th

A Wrinkle in Time, Madeleine L'Engle

Hatchet, Gary Paulsen

The Cay, Theodore Taylor

7th

Theodore Boone: Kid Lawyer, John Grisham

The Lightning Thief, Rick Riordan

Peak, Roland Smith

8th

Animal Farm, George Orwell

Kingdom Keepers II, Ridley Pearson

Sea of Monsters, Rick Riordan

For your book report:

1. Decorate a brown paper bag to reflect the book.
2. Choose ten items that explain the story, and put the ten items into the bag. If one item is something you cannot bring to school (a hatchet, etc.), you may draw or print out **one** picture to represent that item.
3. Place the ten items in the bag and bring the bag to school by the first full day of school in August. You will share your bags with the class and explain the story using the items.
4. Complete a **5 paragraph, typed** report:
 - a. Three paragraphs summarizing the story (one paragraph for the beginning, one for the middle, and one for the end)
 - b. One paragraph about your favorite part of the story
 - c. One paragraph stating why you would or would not recommend this book to a friend.
 - d. A paragraph consists of a minimum of **five** sentences.
 - e. Spelling, capitalization, punctuation, grammar all count!