

Summer Reading 2016

5th Grade Language Arts

Over the summer you are required to read a chapter book or a graphic novel and complete the attached assignments. This is a mandatory assignment that will be counted as your first grade for the 1st marking period in the 2016-2017 school year.

You will informally present your project that discusses the book that you chose to your new class during the first few weeks of school. Below is a suggested list of books to choose from. Your book **does not** have to be on this list. It is simply any graphic novel or chapter book that you would enjoy to read over the break! These books can be rented from the local library or purchased at Barnes & Noble.

If you are really struggling to find a chapter book or have any questions about the assignment, please feel free to contact us over the summer and we will do our best to help support you with this process!

Have a great summer, enjoy reading, and we will see you in September!

Sincerely,

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Suggested Graphic Novels or Books for Summer Reading:

Bridge to Terabithia	Maniac Magee
The Phantom Tollbooth	The Witch of Blackbird Pond
I Am The Ice Worm	Kit's Wilderness
The Light Princess	Baseball in April and Other Stories
Darth Paper Strikes Back	Bread and Roses, Too
The Secret Garden	Island of the Blue Dolphins
The Pepins and Their Problems	What Would Joey Do?
Airborn	The Homework Machine
Molly Moon's Time Travel Adventure	The Sisters Grimm: Book I
Snow Wings	Rose Bone (Book I)
Diary of a Wimpy Kid	Nothing Could Possibly Go Wrong
Flush	Soul Surfer
Dork Diaries Book I	A Graphic Novel or Book of Your Choice!
Amulet Book I	

Suggested Books for Summer Reading From Your Teachers:

Ms. Collier's Suggestion:	Harry Potter and the Sorcerers Stone (Book I)
Ms. Petrocelli's Suggestion:	The One and Only Ivan
Mrs. Iacouzzi's Suggestion:	Any Judy Bloom Book! Blubber, Super Fudge