

Incoming 7th Grade

Summer Reading Assignment

As part of your preparation for seventh grade, we are asking you to read three books and to read from the Holy Bible. You will be asked to prepare a small project to reflect your Scripture reading. For your other three books, you will need to complete a reader's guide form. These guides will help prompt you for the AR Quiz within the first few weeks of school. (The number in parenthesis is the AR level).

Religious Studies:

Read from the Bible your favorite New Testament story. Retell the story in YOUR OWN WORDS by making it into a picture book, video, play, or song. You design your own picture book, video, play, or song from your retelling of your favorite New Testament story. Be prepared to tell me why it is your favorite NT story. Try to be original and consider other stories besides Jesus' birth and the Easter story. We will share these in class during the first week of school.

Please read:

Johnny Tremain (5.9)

By Esther Forbes

and

The Yearling (5.0)

by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings

Choose one from the following:

The Secret Life of Bees (4.7)

By Sue Monk Kidd

View From Saturday (5.9)

By E. L. Konigsburg

The City of Ember (5.0)

By Jeanne DuPrau

Watership Down (6.2)

By Richard Adams

Walk Two Moons (4.9)

By Sharon Creech

2001: A Space Odyssey(9.0)

By Arthur C. Clarke

Nothing But the Truth(3.6)

By Avi

The Secret Garden(6.3)

By Frances Hodgson Burnett

People of Sparks(4.9)

By Jeanne DuPrau

Island of the Blue Dolphins

By Scott O'Dell (5.4)

The Martian Chronicles(6.2)

By Ray Bradbury

Jurassic Park(7.3)

By Michael Crichton

The Hobbit(6.6)

By J.R.R. Tolkien

The Giver(5.7)

By Lois Lowry

Fahrenheit 451 (5.2)

By Ray Bradbury

Kidnapped(8.0)

By Robert Louis Stevenson

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry(5.7)

By Mildred Taylor