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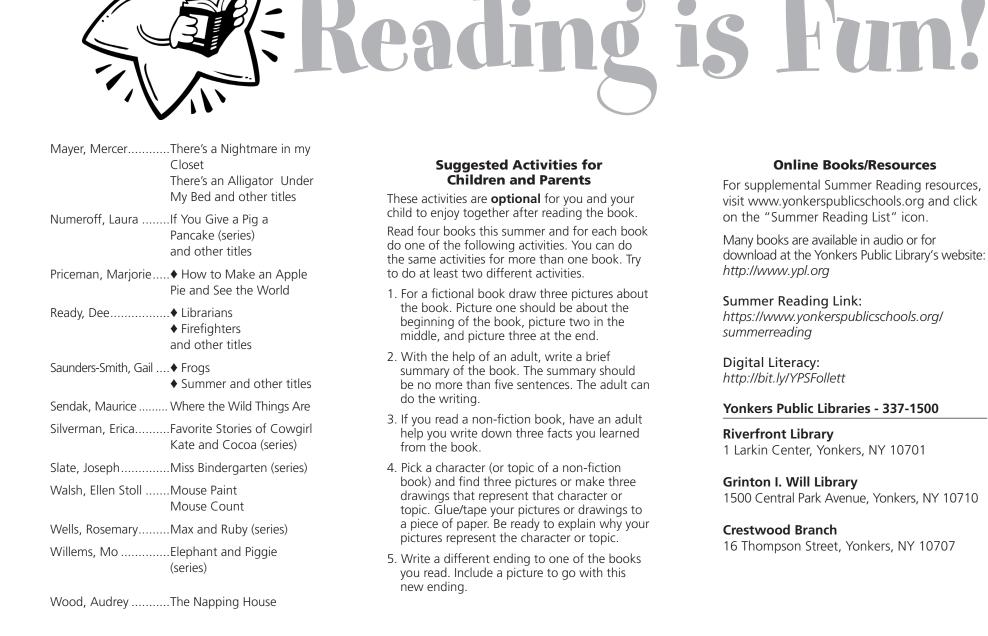
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Kindergarten **Summer Reading List 2020**

(For students entering Kindergarten in September 2020)

Author	Title
Arnold, Tedd	Fly Guy (series)
Capucilli, Alyssa	Biscuit (series)
Carle, Eric	Today is Monday Walter the Baker and other titles
Cronin, Doreen	♦ Diary of a Worm and other titles
Ehlert, Lois	Any title
Falconer, Ian	Olivia (series)
Fleming, Denise	In the Small, Small Pond Oh, No! and other titles
Hoberman, Mary Ann	The Seven Silly Eaters and other titles
Hutchins, Pat	Rosie's Walk and other titles
Kimmel, Eric	♦ Anansi and the Moss Covered Rocks

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Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

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Read four books this summer and for each book do one of the following activities. You can do the same activities for more than one book. Try to do at least two different activities.

- 1. For a fictional book draw three pictures about the book. Picture one should be about the beginning of the book, picture two in the middle, and picture three at the end.
- 2. With the help of an adult, write a brief summary of the book. The summary should be no more than five sentences. The adult can do the writing.
- 3. If you read a non-fiction book, have an adult help you write down three facts you learned from the book.
- 4. Pick a character (or topic of a non-fiction book) and find three pictures or make three drawings that represent that character or topic. Glue/tape your pictures or drawings to a piece of paper. Be ready to explain why your pictures represent the character or topic.
- 5. Write a different ending to one of the books you read. Include a picture to go with this new endina.

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1st Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 1 in September 2020)

Author	Title
Aliki	 Corn is Maize and other titles
Asch, Frank	…♦ Water Moon Game and other titles
Baker, Keith	Who is the Beast and other titles
Bunting, Eve	A Day's Work Frog and Friends (series) Trouble on the T-Ball Team and other titles
dePaola, Tomie	Oliver Button is a Sissy Strega Nona (series) Bill and Pete (series) The Art Lesson and other titles
Freeman, Don	Fly High, Fly Low and other titles
Galdone, Paul	Three Billy Goats Gruff and other titles
Gibbons, Gail	♦ Apples ♦ Deserts and other titles
Henkes, Kevin	Chrysanthemum Owen and other titles
Hoff, Syd	Danny and the Dinosaur (series) Sammy the Seal and other titles

Howe, JamesThere's a Dragon in My Sleeping Bag Houndsley and Catina Horace, Morris, and Dolores (series) and other titles Johnson, Crockett......Harold and the Purple Cravon (series) Keats, Ezra JackWhistle for Willie and other titles Kellogg, Steven......The Mysterious Tadpole Pinkerton (series) Lionni, Leo.....Frederic, Swimmy and other titles Lobel, Arnold.....Frog and Toad (series) Owl at Home Mouse Soup and other JE titles Marshall, JamesGeorge and Martha (series) Rathmann, Peggy......Officer Buckle and Gloria and other titles Rylant, CynthiaMr. Putter and Tabby (series) Poppleton (series) Say, Allen.....Grandfather's Journey Tea with Milk Schachner, JudySkippyjon Jones (series) Seuss, Dr.....Any titles Sharmat, Mariorie......Nate the Great (series) Who Swallowed a Fly Joseph Had a Little Overcoat and other titles Wood, AudreyQuick as a Cricket and other titles *Various Authors Let's Read and Find Out Science (series) ♦ Bugs are Insects ♦ Day Light, Night Light and other titles



Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

These activities are **optional** for you and your child to enjoy together after reading the book.

Read four books this summer and for each book do one of the following activities. You can do the same activities for more than one book. Try to do at least two different activities.

1. Make a Character Collage

Pick a character and find four pictures or make four drawings that represent that character. Glue/ tape your pictures or drawings to a piece of paper. Write a sentence about a problem the character has to deal with and add that to your collage. Write the title of the book, the character, and your name on the back of your collage.

2. Summary Report

Get an adult to help you write down a summary of the book in no more than five sentences. Include a rating for the book: good, fair, funny. Remember to use complete sentences.

3. Non-Fiction Report

Write down the title and author of the book. Then write down three facts that you learned from the book. These facts should be written in correct sentence form. What do you think about the book?

4. Change the Ending

Write a different ending to the book you read. Use at least three sentences for this new ending.



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2nd Grade June 2020

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Non-Fiction

2nd Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 2 in September 2020)

Author Title

Allard, Harry	Miss Nelson (series)
Applegate, Katherine.	Roscoe Riley Rules (series)
Barrows, Annie	lvy and Bean (series)
Berger, Melvin	♦ Germs Make Me Sick and other titles
Blume, Judy	The Pain and the Great One (series) The One in the Middle is the Green Kangaroo
Bunting, Eve	Train to Somewhere ♦ The Wall and other titles
Cole, Joanna	♦ Magic School Bus (series)
DePaola, Tomie	♦ Adelita: A Mexican Cinderella Story ♦ The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush ♦ The Legend of the Bluebonnet
DiCamillo, Kate	Mercy Watson (series)
Howe, James	Pinky and Rex (series)
Kellogg, Steven	♦ Pecos Bill and other folktales

Lester, Helen	Tacky the Penguin (series) Hooway for Wodney Wat and other titles
McCloskey, Robert	Make Way for Ducklings and other titles
McDermott, Gerald	♦ Arrow to the Sun♦ Coyote and other titles
Murphy, Stewart	♦ Math Start (series)
Osborne, Mary Pope	◆ Magic Tree House (series) including nonfiction companions
Ringgold, Faith	Tar Beach and other titles
Rylant, Cynthia	.Henry and Mudge (series) Annie and Snowball (series)
	High Rise Private Eyes (series) and other titles
Steig, William	Doctor De Soto and other titles
Van Allsburg, Chris	Any Title
Van Leeuwen, Jean	Oliver and Amanda Pig (series)
Willems, Mo	The Pigeon (series) Knuffle Bunny (series) Any Picture Book
	Cherries and Cherry Pits
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Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

These activities are **optional** for you and your child to enjoy together after reading the book. Read four books this summer and for each book do one of the following activities. You can do the same activities for more than one book. Try to do at least two different activities.

1. Summer Postcard

On a half sheet of paper draw a picture showing something that happened in the book. On the other side of the paper write a letter to your teacher about the book. Then write five sentences about the book. The sentences can be what you learned from the book, favorite or dislikeable characters, parts you like or didn't like. End with a rating for the book, such as good, fair, poor, etc. Sign your name at the bottom.

2. Collage

Draw or collect five pictures that will help you to remember the book. For example if there was a dog in the book, find or draw a picture of a dog. If a character was always sad, draw or find a sad face. Write on your collage the name of the book and your name. Be ready to explain your collage at school.

3. Non-Fiction Report

For a non-fiction book write down an opening sentence explaining why you chose this book. Then write down four facts that you learned from the book. These facts should be written in correct sentence form. The last sentence should be about what you think about the topic.

4. Sell the Book

Plan a short commercial for a book. Explain what the book is about and why others would like it. Don't give away the ending of the book. Instead explain the main character, the setting of the story, and the problem of the story. Try to figure out the best way to get your friends to read the book.



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3rd Grade June 2020

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Non-Fiction

3rd Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 3 in September 2020)

Author	Title
Adler, David	Cam Jansen (series) and other titles
Brenner, Barbara	♦ Wagon Wheels
Bulla, Clyde	The Chalk Box Kid and other titles
Catling, Patrick	The Chocolate Touch
Cleary, Beverly	Muggie Maggie
Clements, Andrew	Jake Drake (series)
Dadey, Debbie	The Bailey School Kids (series)
Dahl, Roald	Fantastic Mr. Fox The Twits and other young readers
Danziger, Paula	Amber Brown (series)
Duffey, Betsy	How to be Cool in the Third Grade and other titles
Erickson, John	Hank the Cowdog (series)
Evans, Douglas	The Elevator Family
Friedman, Laurie B	Mallory on the Move and other titles
Greenburg, Dan	Zack Files (series)
Gutman, Dan	My Weird School (series)
Holt, Kimberly Willis.	Piper Reed (series)

Howe, James	House of Bunnicula (series)
Hurwitz, Johanna	The Adventures of Ali Baba Bernstein Busybody Nora and other titles
Kline, Suzy	Horrible Harry (series) and other titles
Krulik, Nancy	Katie Kazoo (series) George Brown Class Clown (series)
McDonald, Megan	Judy Moody (series) Stink (series)
Pennypacker, Sara	Clementine (series) and other titles
Polacco, Patricia	Thank You, Mr. Falker Thunder Cake and other titles
Rockwell, Thomas	How to Eat Fried Worms
Sachar, Louis	Marvin Redpost (series)
Salisbury, Graham	Calvin Coconut (series)
Scieszka, Jon	The Time Warp Trio (series)
Seuss, Dr	Oh, the Places You'll Go The Lorax
Sobol, Donald	Encyclopedia Brown (series)
Venezia, Mike	♦ Biographies
Warner, Gertrude Chandler	The Boxcar Children (series)
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1. Make a Book

Take three sheets of paper and staple them together so they become a book:

On the first sheet of paper make new cover for your book. Remember to include the title and author of the book. On the second and third page write five sentences about the book. On the fourth page write down a quote you liked from the book. On the fifth page give the book a rating and why.

2. Write a Letter to a Friend

Write a letter to a friend about a book you read. Explain to your friend what the plot of the story is, but don't give away the ending. You should tell your friend about the main character, the setting (time and place of the story) and what kind of story it is. Be sure to tell your friend if they should read this book or not and explain why. Don't forget to use a letter format start with Dear____ and end with a closing and your name. Your letter should be in at least two paragraphs and have at least eight sentences.

3. Character/Biography Report

Pick a character or person from one of the books you read. In the first paragraph include the title of book, the author, and what kind of book it is (biography, fiction – mystery etc.) In the second paragraph write a first sentence that states your opinion about the character or person. Support the statements with three examples from your book. In your last paragraph explain why this character or person is or is not a good example to follow.

4. The Story Grid

On a piece of paper make a grid of nine squares like this:

Setting (Time & Place)	Character	Problem
Event	Title Author Student's Name	Event
Event	Solution or Opinion	Event

Make the grid the full size of the paper. Then fill in the squares as identified. Squares should include sentences and either designs or pictures. Opinion means give a rating for the book: good, fair, disliked etc.

5. Written report – Non-Fiction

The first paragraph should include:

• The title of the book underlined and author's name



• Explain why you choose this non-fiction book In the second paragraph tell five facts you learned from the book.

In the third paragraph give a rating of the book and two reasons for this reason.

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4th Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 4 in September 2020)

Author	Title
Angleberger, Tom	The Strange Case of Origami Yoda (series)
Avi	Poppy (series) The Secret School Who Stole the Wizard of Oz and other titles
Birney, Betty	The World According to Humphrey and other titles
Blume, Judy	Fudge (series) Otherwise Known as Sheila the Great and other titles
Boston Weatherford, Carole	The Man who Built a Library
Bridges, Ruby	♦ Through My Eyes
Christopher, Matt	Skateboard Tough and other titles
Cleary, Beverly	Ramona (series) Henry Huggins (series)
Clements, Andrew	Frindle Lunch Money and other titles
Coerr, Eleanor	♦ Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes
Dahl, Roald	The BFG Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Matilda The Witches

Davies, JacquelineThe Lemonade War and sequels	
DiCamillo, KateBecause of Winn-Dixie and other titles	
Estes, EleanorThe Hundred Dresses and other titles	
Fleischman, SidThe Whipping Boy and other titles	
Gardiner, John ReynoldsStone Fox and other titles	
Goble, Paul	
Gutman, DanThe Million Dollar Shot and other titles	
Howe, JamesBunnicula (series)	
Kehret, PegEarthquake Terror and other titles	
King-Smith, DickBabe and other titles	
MacLachlan, PatriciaSarah Plain and Tall Journey and other titles	
McKissack, PatriciaAbby Takes a Stand Song for Harlem	
McGovern, Ann	
& other authors♦ If You Lived in Colonial Times	
♦ If You Lived with the Sioux Indians	
If You Sailed on the	
Mayflower and other titles	
Obregon, Jose Maria § Argentina	
Ortiz, Judith § Animal Jamboree: Latino Folktales=La Fiesta de losAnimales: Leyendas Latinas	
Park, BarbaraDon't Make Me Smile The Kid in the Red Jacket Skinnybones and other titles	
San Souci, Robert♦ Sootface and other titles	
Smith,	
Robert KimmelChocolate Fever and other titles	
St. George, Judith♦ So You Want to be President? and other titles	

Stewart, Trenton Lee .	The Mysterious Benedict Society and sequels
Van Draanen, Wendelin	Shredderman (series) and other titles
White, E. B	Stuart Little
Various Authors	 What was the Ice Age? and other titles Who was Gandhi? and other titles
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1. Be A Movie Director

Write up a plan for how to make a book you read into a movie. The plan should include:

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- What type of movie it will be comedy, drama, adventure, etc.
- An opening song for you movie

2. The Story Grid

On a piece of paper make a grid of nine squares like this:

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Quote	Character you liked	Quote/ Character Trait
Setting (Time & Place)	Title Author Student's Name	Problem
Event	Solution or Opinion	Event

3. Fictional/Biography Report

Each paragraph should include at least four sentences. Your report may be handwritten or typed.

First paragraph: Include the title, author and the genre of the book. Include why you picked this book. Second paragraph: Describe the main character/person in the book. Use adjectives and vivid details. Include the setting of the story or biography – when and where. Third Paragraph: Give a short summary of the book. What is the problem or challenges that the character/ person faces. How is the problem or challenged resolved? Include a guote from the book.

Fourth Paragraph: State your opinion about the book. It is okay if you didn't like the book. Remember to include reasons for your opinion.

4. Non-fiction Book Report

Each paragraph should include at least four sentences. Your report may be handwritten or typed.

First paragraph: Include the title, author and the genre of the book. Include why you picked this book. Second and third paragraphs: Write five facts you learned from the book. Fourth Paragraph: State your opinion about the book. It is okay if you didn't like the book. Remember to include reasons for your opinion.

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5th Grade June 2020

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5th Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 5 in September 2020)

Author	Title
Abbott, Tony	Firegirl Lunch-Box Dream
Alarcón, Francisco	Poems to Dream Together
Auxier, Jonathan	Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes and other titles
Avi	Crispin and sequels The Good Dog and other titles
Byars, Betsy	Herculeah Jones (series) Midnight Fox Summer of the Swans and other titles
Clements, Andrew	A Week in the Woods The Janitor's Boy No Talking Extra Credit
Colfer, Eoin	Artemis Fowl (series)
Coville, Bruce	The Magic Shop Books and other titles
DuPrau, Jeanne	City of Ember and sequels
Freedman, Russell	 Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery Immigrant Kids and other titles
Funke, Cornelia	Dragon Rider Inkheart The Thief Lord
Gaiman, Neil	The Graveyard Book Coraline

Giff, Patrcia Reilly	Nory Ryan's Song Pictures of Hollis Woods and other titles
Gutman, Dan	Honus and Me Jackie and Me and other Baseball Card Adventures
Haddix, Margaret Peterson	Running Out of Time Among the Hidden The Missing (series)
Hahn, Mary Downing .	Stepping on the Cracks Time for Andrew and other titles
Hiranandani, Veera	The Night Diary
Kelly, Jacqueline	The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate
Konigsburg, E.L	View from Saturday and other titles
Law, Ingrid	Savvy Scumble
Levine, Gail	Ella Enchanted and other titles
Meloy, Colin	Wildwood (Series)
Murphy, Jim	Blizzard: The Storm That Changed America The Boys' War and other titles
O'Connor, Barbara	How to Steal a Dog and other titles
Paterson, Katherine	Bread and Roses, Too The Great Gilly Hopkins Jip, His Story
Paulsen, Gary	Lawn Boy and other titles
Peck, Richard	On the Wings of Heroes and other titles
Selznick, Brian	Invention of Hugo Cabret Wonderstruck and other
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Snyder, Zilpha Keatley .	titles And Condors Danced The Egypt Game and other titles
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Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

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Read four books this summer and for each book do one of the following activities. You can do the same activities for more than one book. Try to do at least two different activities.

1. Be A Movie Director

Write up a plan for how to make a book you read into a movie. The plan should include:

- Three actors to be in the movie explain who they will play and why.
- What type of movie it will be comedy, drama, adventure, etc.
- Two songs for your movie and where you would use them
- A tag line or quote to advertise the movie

2. Fictional/Biography Report

Each paragraph should include at least five sentences. Your report may be handwritten or typed.

First paragraph: Include the title, author and the genre of the book. Include why you picked this book.

Second paragraph: Describe the main character/ person in the book. Use adjectives and vivid details. Include the setting of the story or biography – when and where.

Third Paragraph: Give a short summary of the book. What is the problem or challenges that the character/ person faces. How is the problem or challenged resolved? Include a quote from the book.

Fourth Paragraph: State your opinion about the book. It is okay if you didn't like the book. Remember to include reasons for your opinion.

Character trait	Character you liked	Character trait
Setting (Time & Place)	Title Author	Problem
Quote	Student's Name	Quote
Opinion/Rating and why	Solution	Explain the Theme/Lesson

3. Non-fiction Book Report

Each paragraph should include at least four sentences. Your report may be handwritten or typed.

First paragraph: Include the title, author and the genre of the book. Include why you picked this book.

Second and third paragraphs: Write five facts you learned from the book.

Fourth Paragraph: State your opinion about the book. It is okay if you didn't like the book. Remember to include reasons for your opinion.

4. The Story Grid

On a piece of paper make a grid of twelve squares like this:

Make the grid the full size of the paper. Then fill in the squares as identified. A character trait is something about the character you put in the character box, such as Jake is smart, Ann is very loyal. Use sentences.

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6th	Grade
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Non-Fiction

6th Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 6 in September 2020)

Author Title

- Anderson, Laurie Halse ... Fever, 1793
- Berlin, Eric.....The Puzzling World of Winston Breen and sequels
- Choldenko, GenniferAl Capone Does My Shirts and other titles
- Collins, SuzanneGregor the Overlander (series)
- Creech, SharonWalk Two Moons and other titles
- Curtis,
- Christopher PaulBud, Not Buddy The Watsons Go to Birmingham, 1963 and other titles
- Cushman, Karen......Catherine Called Birdy The Ballad of Lucy Whipple and other titles
- Draper, Sharon M......Out of My Mind Fire From the Rock
- Erskine, Kathryn......Mockingbird and other titles
- Gantos, JackJoey Pigza Swallowed the Key and sequels
- Garza, Carmen..... In my family
- Gidwitz, Adam.....A Tale Dark and Grimm and other titles

Green, film	Pinch Hit Unstoppable and other titles
Henry, O	O. Henry short stories (Students must read 3)
Hiaasen, Carl	Scat Flush and other titles
Horowitz, Anthony	Diamond Brothers (series)
Korman, Gordon	Swindle Ungifted and other titles
L'Engle, Madeleine	A Wrinkle in Time (series)
Lord, Cynthia	Rules and other titles
Mass, Wendy	Jeremy Fink and the Meaning of Life Every Soul a Star and other titles
Montgomery, Sy	♦ Temple Grandin: How the Girl Who Loved Cows Embraced Autism and Changed the World
Murphy, Jim	♦ An American Plague and other titles
Myers, Walter Dean	Won't Know Till I Get There and other titles
Palacio, R. J	Wonder
Park, Linda Sue	A Single Shard and other titles
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Taylor, Mildred	Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry and other titles
Van Draanen, Wendelin	Flipped Sammy Keyes (series)
Verne, Jules	Around the World in Eighty Days Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea
Yolen, Jane	The Devil's Arithmetic

Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

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1. Be A Movie Director

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- What type of movie it will be (comedy, drama, adventure, etc.)
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- Three songs for your movie and where you would use them in the movie. Explain why you chose the songs.

2. Character Journal

Pick a character from one of the books and create a diary for them. The diary should include a cover with your character's name and should fit the character. Write four entries for you character based on the events of the story. Describe how the character is feeling and what his/hers next steps might be. On the back cover include your name, the title and author of the book, and why you choose the character. Each entry should be at least half a page.

3. Non-fiction Book Report

Each paragraph should include at least four sentences. Your report may be handwritten or typed.

First paragraph: Include the title, author and the genre of the book. Include also why you picked this book.

Second and third paragraphs: Write about six facts you learned from the book.

Fourth Paragraph: State your opinion about the book. It is okay if you didn't like the book. Remember to include reasons for your opinion.

4. Fictional Book Report

Put your name on the top right corner of the page.

Make the title and author your heading.

Write an essay following that includes the following:

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Non-Fiction

7th Grade Summer Reading List 2020

(For students entering Grade 7 in September 2020)

Author	Title
Armstrong, Jennifer .	♦ Shipwreck at the Bottom of the World
Appelt, Kathi	The Underneath
Avi	Nothing But the Truth Something Upstairs and other titles
Bartoletti, Susan	♦ Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow Kids on Strike and other titles
Bloor, Edward	Tangerine
Bruchac, Joseph	Code Talker: A Novel about the Navajo Marines The Warriors
Cooney, Caroline	Code Orange Flash Fire Flight #116 is Down The Ransom of Mercy Carter
Crew, Linda	Children of the River
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Any Sherlock Holmes
Ellis, Deborah	Breadwinner ♦ Kids of Kabul and other titles
Farmer, Nancy	The Ear, The Eye, and the Arm A Girl Named Disaster and other titles

Fleischman, Paul	.Seedfolks Whirligig and other titles
Han, Jenny	.Shug
Hobbs, Will	Never Say Die Crossing the Wire Jackie's Wild Seattle and other titles
Jackson, Livia Bitton	.♦ I Have Lived a Thousand Years
Lester, Julius	.Day of Tears ♦ To Be a Slave
London, Jack	.Call of the Wild To Build a Fire White Fang and other titles (students must read 3)
Mah, Adeline Yen	.♦ Chinese Cinderella: The True Story of an Unwanted
Morpurgo, Michael	.War Horse
Myers, Walter Dean	.♦ Bad Boy Hoops
Myracle, Lauren	Eleven Twelve Thirteen Thirteen and Up
O'Dell, Scott	Black Star, Bright Dawn The King's Fifth Sing Down the Moon Streams to the River, River to the Sea
Paulsen, Gary	.Canyons Dogsong Hatchet and other titles
Philbrick, Rodman	.Freak the Mighty and other titles
Preller, James	.Bystander Six Innings
Shusterman, Neal	Eyes of Kid Midas Dark Side of Nowhere and other titles
Warren, Andrea	.♦ Surviving Hitler: A Boy in the Nazi Death Camps
Yep, Laurence	.Dragon's Gate Dragonwings

Suggested Activities for Children and Parents

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Non-Fiction8th Grade Summer Reading List

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(For students entering Grade 8 in September 2020)

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Author	Title
Amnesty International	♦ Free?: Stories Celebrating Human Rights
Anderson, Laurie Halse	Chains
Aronson, Marc & Charles R. Smith, Jr	.The Pick-up Game: A Full Day of Full Court
Avi	The Man Who Was Poe
Blumenthal, Karen	♦ Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different
Bragg, Georgia	♦ How They Croaked: The Awful Ends of the Awfully Famous
Brewer, Heather	Chronicles of Vladimir Tod (series)
Cabot, Meg	Shadowland & others in the Mediator (series)
Cashore, Kristin	Graceling (series)
Clare, Cassandra	.City of Bones & others in the Mortal Instruments (series)
Clements, Andrew	Things Not Seen
Cooney, Caroline	.Diamonds in the Shadow The Face on the Milk Carton (series)
Covey, Sean	The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens: The Ultimate Teenage Success Guide

Coy, John	Box Out
Davis, Lane	l Swear
De la Peña, Matt	I Will Save You We Were Here and other titles
Defoe, Daniel	Robinson Crusoe
Flake, Sharon	The Skin I'm In & other titles
Flanagan, John	Ranger's Apprentice (series)
Fleischman, John	♦ Phineas Gage: A Gruesome but True Story about Brain Science
Fleischman, Sid	♦ Escape!: The Story of the Great Houdini
Gallo, Donald R	Owning It: Stories about Teens with Disabilities
Grandits, John	♦ Blue Lipstick: Concrete Poems
Hall, Megan Kelley & Carrie Jones	♦ Dear Bully: Seventy Authors Tell Their Stories
Higson, Charlie	SilverFin: The Graphic Novel & others in the Young Bond (series)
Horowitz, Anthony	Stormbreaker & others in the Alex Rider (series)
Howe, James	The Misfits
Janeczko, Paul B	The Dark Game: True Spy Stories from Invisible Ink to CIA Moles
Korman, Gordon	Son of the Mob Born to Rock Pop
Lange, Karen	♦ Nevermore: A Photobiography of Edgar Allan Poe
Levine, Gail Carson	♦ Writing Magic: Creating Stories that Fly
Lockhart, E	The Disreputable History of Frankie Landau-Banks
Lubar, David	Sleeping Freshmen Never Lie
Lupica, Mike	Heat & other titles
Muchamore, Robert.	The Recruit & others in the CHERUB (series)

Paolini, Christopher	.Eragon & others in the Inheritance (series)
Poe, Edgar Allan	.18 Best Stories by Edgar Allan Poe
Roth, Veronica	.Divergent (series)
Rubalcaba, Jill	. ◆ Every Bone Tells a Story: Hominin Discoveries, Deductions, and Debates
Scieszka, Jon	.Guys Read. Thriller & others in the Guys Read (series) ♦ Knucklehead: Tall Tales and Mostly True Stories About Growing Up Scieszka
Sheinkin, Steve	.♦ Bomb: The Race to Build—and Steal—the World's Most Dangerous Weapon
Shusterman, Neal	. Unwind (series) & other titles
Soto, Gary	.Facts of Life: Stories
Spinelli, Jerry	.Stargirl & Love Stargirl
Stone, Tanya Lee	. ♦ Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared to Dream
Swidey, Neil	.♦ The Assist: Hoops, Hope, and the Game of Their Lives
Telgemeier, Raina	.Smile
Volponi, Paul	.The Final Four & other titles
Westerfeld, Scott	.Midnighters (series) & other titles
Wilhelm, Doug	.The Revealers
Woodson, Jacqueline	.After Tupac & D Foster If You Come Softly and other titles
Zevin, Gabrielle	.Elsewhere

Suggested Activities for Teens and Parents

These activities are **optional** for you and your teen to enjoy together after reading the book.

Create a Diary/Journal

Create a diary/journal for a character in the novel.

Include the following: Several entries explaining your character's feelings about the events and other characters in the book.

Create a cover for your diary/journal.

Letter to the Author

Write a letter to the author of the book asking why the main character acted like she/he did or why the author developed a particular idea and thought it was important.

You're the Author!

You are the author. You have decided to write an additional chapter to the book you just read.

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Grades 9-12 **June 2020**

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Grades 9-12 Summer Reading List 2020 (For students entering Grades 9-12

in September 2020) Title

Author

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Boyne, John	The Boy in the Striped Pajamas
Calvi, Mary	. Dear George, Dear Mary
Coelho, Paulo	The Alchemist
Crutcher, Chris	♦ King of the Mild Frontier: An III-Advised Autobiography Ironman & other titles
Dessen, Sarah	Someone Like You and other titles
Grogan, John	Marley & Me: Life and Love with the World's Worst Dog
Hessen, Karen	Witness
Martel, Yann	♦ Life of Pi Beatrice Virgil
Metselaar, Menno	Anne Frank: Her Life in Words and Pictures from the Archives of the Anne Frank House
Myers, Walter Dean .	Somewhere in the Darkness
Schutz, Samantha	I Don't Want to Be Crazy
Stein, Garth	Racing in the Rain: My Life as a Dog
Zusak, Markus	The Book Thief

GRADE 10

Bauer, Joan	Close to Famous and other titles
Brashares, Ann	Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants (series)
Crichton, Michael	Jurassic Park
Eberhardt, Thom	Rat Boys: A Dating Experience
Goldman, William	The Princess Bride
Grealy, Lucy	Autobiography of a Face
Green, John	The Fault in Our Stars and other titles
Hyde, Catherine Ryan	Pay It Forward
Levithan, David	Nick & Norah's Infinite Playlist and other titles
Lewis, Michael	♦ Blind Side: Evolution of a Game
McCarthy, Cormac	The Road
Patterson, James	Maximum Ride (series): The Angel Experiment and other titles
Picoult, Jodi	My Sister's Keeper and other titles
Sherwood, Ben	The Death and Life of Charlie St. Cloud
Sparks, Nicholas	The Notebook
Wilder, Thornton	The Bridge of San Luis Rey
GRADE 11	
Adams, Douglas	Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy
Brande, Robin	Fat Cat
Clancy, Tom	Clear and Present Danger
Gantos, Jack	Hole in My Life
Kaslik,Ibi	Skinny
Krakauer, Jon	Into Thin Air: A Personal Account of the Mt. Everest Disaster & Into the Wild
Myers, Walter Dean .	♦ Autobiography of My Dead Brother
Obama, Barack	Dreams from My Father
	Fast Food Nation
Smith, Roland	

GRADE 12

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Alvarez, Julia	. In the Time of the Butterflies
García Márquez, Gabriel	. One Hundred Years of Solitude
Guevara, Ernesto Che	.The Motorcycle Diaries
Heller, Joseph	Catch-22
Hosseini, Khaled	The Kite Runner and other titles
McCourt, Frank	♦ Angela's Ashes
Pausch, Randy	The Last Lecture
Preston, Richard	The Hot Zone: A Terrifying True Story
Roach, Mary	Stiff: The Curious Lives of Human Cadavers
Satrapi, Marjane	. Persepolis (series)
	The Hobbit or titles from Lord of the Rings Trilogy
GRADES 9–12	
Angelou, Maya	♦ I Shall Not Be Moved: Poems
Benke, Karen	♦ Rip The Page! Adventures in Creative Writing
Canfield, Jack	. Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul Letters: Letters of Life, Love and Learning (series)
Drake, Jane &	
Ann Love	♦ Yes You Can!: Your Guide to Becoming an Activist
Fershleiser, Rachel &	
Larry Smith	.• I Can't Keep My Own Secrets: Six-Word Memoirs by Teens Famous and Obscure: from Smith Magazine
Gruwell, Erin	• The Freedom Writers Diary: How a Teacher and 150 Teens Used Writing to Change Themselves and the World Around Them
Kamkwamba,William	• The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind Creating Currents of Electricity and Hope

Kenneally, Miranda (editor)	♦ Dear Teen Me: Authors Write Letters to Their Teen Selves (True Stories)
Kurlansky, Mark	.♦ Cod: A Biography of the Fish that Changed the World
Mazer, Anne &	
Ellen Potter	.♦ Spilling Ink: A Young Writer's Handbook
Myers, Walter Dean	.♦ Just Write: Here's How!
Teen Ink	♦ What Matters & other books in the Teen Ink (series) (written by teens, EDITED by Stephanie Meyers, John Meyers and Peggy Veljkovic)

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