

The Academy of Alameda: Rising 6th Grade Summer Reading List

Directions: This summer, read 2-3 books (at least!) that you have not read before. At least one must be from this following list. Try to read books from different genres.

Fantasy

Alcatraz Versus the Evil Librarians -Sanderson
The Dragonet Prophecy -Sutherland
Doll Bones -Black
Looking Glass Wars -Beddor
The School for Good and Evil -Chainani
The Iron Trial -Black

Realistic Fiction

Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pie -Sonnenblick
Counting by Sevens -Sloan
Make Lemonade -Wolff
The Thing About Luck -Kadohata
Shooting Kabul -Senzai
A Moment Comes -Bradbury
Ask Me No Questions -Budhos
Wonder -Palacio
La Linea -Jaramillo
Inside Out and Back Again -Lai
Rain Reign -Martin
Homecoming -Voight
Monster -Myers
Gracefully Grayson -Polonsky

Mystery

Three Times Lucky -Turnage
The Egypt Game by -Snyder
Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library -Grabenstein

DYSTOPIAN

The Selection -Cass
Legend -Lu
The Unwanteds -McMann

Action/Adventure

Etiquette and Espionage -Carriger
I'd Tell You I Love You, but Then I'd Have to Kill You -Carter
Stormbreaker -Horowitz
The Raft -Bodeen
13 ½ Lives of Captain Bluebear -Moers
City of Ember -DuPrau

HORROR/THRILLER

Skeleton Creek -Carman
Full Tilt -Shusterman

Science -Fiction

Eye of Minds -Dashner
Gone -Grant
Cinder -Meyer
Epic -Kostic
Atherton: House of Power -Carman

Historical Fiction

Bud, Not Buddy -Curtis
Zane and the Hurricane -Philbrick
If I Ever Get Out of Here -Gansworth
Code Name Verity -Wein
Soldier Boys -Hughes
Code Talker -Bruchac
Moon Over Manifest -Vanderpool

Humor

The True Meaning of Smekday -Rex
If You're Reading This, It's Too Late -Bosch
Ungifted -Korman
Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key -Gantos

Biography

Brown Girl Dreaming -Woodson
The Lightning Dreamer -Engle
The Boy on the Wooden Box -Leyson
Amos Fortune: Free Man -Yates
I Am Malala -Yousafzai

Narrative Non-Fiction

The Nazi Hunters -Bascomb
The President Has Been Shot -Swanson
A Long Walk to Water -Park

Sports

The Crossover -Alexander
New Kid -Green
QB1 -Lupica
Last Shot -Feinstein

Animals

The One and Only Ivan -Applegate
Flora and Ulysses -DiCamillo
Warriors: Into the Wild -Hunter
Scat -Hiaasen