



Homestead Middle School

2021 Summer Reading Plan

It's Summertime! Your Homestead Middle School teachers are incredibly proud of all the reading growth you have accomplished this past year. During the summer, you will be required to read at least **one** novel. Below you will find a list of required summer reading novels. You must **choose one book and complete two Reading assignments** along with your reading. The instructions for the assignments are listed below.

Summer Reading Book Options

Choose **ONE** book from the list or **any other** book from the resources provided.

6 th Grade	Confessions of a Gym-class Dropout: by Chuck Ranberg Diary of a 6th Grade Ninja by: Marcus Emerson (Audible Book) The Lightning Thief: by Rick Riordan
7 th Grade	How to Steal a Dog: by Barbara O'Connor The Sea of Monsters: by Rick Riordan Dreadnought: by April Daniels (Audible Book)
8 th Grade	Blended by Sharon Draper Percy Jackson's Greek Heroes: by Rick Riordan Viva Durant and the Secret of the Silver Buttons: by Ashli St. Armant (Audible Book)

Here are some ways you can purchase/borrow the books for your reading:

Cybrarium 80 West Mowry Drive Homestead, FL 33030 305-224-4410 https://cybrarium.org/	Naranja Branch Library 14850 SW 280 th Street Naranja, FL 33032 305-242-2290	Online Library Resources: http://read.dadeschools.net/indexsec.html Purchase Online: www.amazon.com www.barnesandnobles.com
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Summer Reading Assignments

After Reading complete Reading Log Form: [Electronic Summer Reading Log](#) &

Choose **TWO** of the assignments below

- Create and record a rap or song about one of the books you have read upload the song to a presentation app.
- Design a poster with words and pictures to advertise your book. Be creative...use details...elaborate...use color! Use an app to make it interactive.
- Create a Meme for each book that you have read or one Meme that combines all the books.
- Using Office 365 write a paragraph telling about the title. Is it appropriate? Why not? If you feel it is not appropriate, provide an alternate title and explain why this title is better.
- Write a poem about the idea, character, concept or information presented in your book.
- Tape an interview with one of the characters in a book you have read. Pretend that this character is being interviewed by a magazine reporter (Write a script before taping to prepare).
- Write a one page "pitch" to a producer explaining why the story would or would not make a great movie.
- Design a T-shirt that promotes your book and write a jingle to sell it.
- Make a timeline of the major events in the book you read. Be sure the timeline reflects the time-period in the plot. Use drawings, words or magazine cutouts to illustrate events.
- Create a virtual tour where instead of traveling into the book, the character(s) travel out of the book into today. Include pictures, sound, music, etc. be creative.