

JR. HIGH SUMMMER READING

7th Grade

Firegirl is mandatory reading for all incoming 7th grade students. Parental Discussion is recommended. There is a required assignment for this book that will be distributed in class.

- Abbott, Tony. **Firegirl**

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- Avi. **The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle**
- Bloor, Edward. **Tangerine**
- Choldenko, Gennifer. **Al Capone Does My Shirts**
- Curtis, Christopher Paul. **The Watsons Go to Birmingham - 1963**
- DuPrau, Jeanne. **The City of Ember** OR **The People of the Sparks**
- Haddix, Margaret Peterson. **Running Out of Time**
- Lupica, Mike. **Heat**
- Patterson, James. **Maximum Ride - The Angel Experiment**
- Sachar, Louis. **Small Steps**
- Schmidt, Gary D. **The Wednesday Wars**
- Spinelli, Jerry. **Milkweed**

8th Grade

Letters to a Bullied Girl is mandatory reading for all incoming 8th grade students. Parental Discussion is recommended. There is a required assignment for this book that will be distributed in class.

- Gardner, Olivia. **Letters to a Bullied Girl: Messages of Healing and Hope**

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- Anderson, Laurie Halse. **Fever (1793)**
- Cooney, Caroline B. **Code Orange**
- Frank, Anne. **Diary of Anne Frank**
- French, Jackie. **Hitler's Daughter**
- Friend, Natasha. **Perfect** (Parental Discussion Recommended)
- Greene, Bette. **Summer of My German Soldier**
- Horowitz, Anthony. **Stormbreaker**
- Lowry, Lois. **Gathering Blue** (Sequel to **The Giver**)
- Tolkien, J.R.R. **The Hobbit**
- Wiesel, Elie. **Night**
- Yolán, Jane. **The Devil's Arithmetic**