



CANTERBURY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Summer Reading 2023

Grade 5

Required: *Becoming Naomi Leon* by Pam Munoz Ryan

In addition, select at least one of the following:

The Secret Garden
by Frances Hodgson Burnett

The Incredible Journey
by Sheila Burnford

Finding Langston
by Lesa Cline-Ransome

Ruby Holler by Sharon Creech

Inkheart by Cornelia Funke

Ella Enchanted
by Gail Carson Levine

The Boy on the Wooden Box: How the Impossible... Schindler's List by Leon Leyson

The Year of the Dog
by Grace Lin

Baseball in April and Other Stories by Gary Soto

The Cay
by Theodore Taylor

Grade 6

Required: *Maniac Magee*
by Jerry Spinelli

In addition, select at least one of the following:

Path to the Stars: My Journey from Girl Scouts to Rocket Scientist by Sylvia Acevedo

The Thing about Jellyfish
by Ali Benjamin

The Last Musketeer
by Stuart Gibbs

The Night Diary
by Veera Hiranandani

Hello Universe
by Erin Entrada Kelly

The Season of Styx Malone
by Kekla Magoon

The Candymakers
by Wendy Mass

Bomb: The Race to Build - and Steal - the World's Most Dangerous Weapon
by Steve Sheinkin

The Secret Keepers
by Trenton Lee Stewart

Nevermoor: The Trials of Morrigan Crow
by Jessica Townsend

Grade 7

Required: *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor

In addition, select at least one of the following:

Fever 1793
by Laurie Halse Anderson

Johnny Tremain
by Esther Hoskins Forbes

You are also encouraged to read any of the following:

The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora
by Pablo Cartaya

Pick Your Poison
by Lauren Child

Girl in the Blue Coat
by Monica Hesse

Restart by Gordon Korman

Rules by Cynthia Lord

They Dance in the Sky: Native American Star Myths
by Jean Guard Monroe, et al.

The Agony of Alice
by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

The False Prince
by Jennifer A. Nielsen

When My Name Was Keoko
by Linda Sue Park

Beyond the Bright Sea
by Lauren Wolk

Grade 8

Required: *Long Way Down* by Jason Reynolds

In addition, select at least one of the following:

Red Queen by Victoria Aveyard

Tell the Wolves I'm Home
by Carol Rifka Brunt

Ender's Game
by Orson Scott Card

Ready Player One
by Ernest Cline

Out of My Mind
by Sharon M. Draper

We Were Liars
by E. Lockhart

Eleanor & Park
by Rainbow Rowell

Bone Gap by Laura Ruby

Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli

The Book Thief
by Markus Zusak