

Suggested Summer Reading List

Author		Title	Genre
Abbott	Tony	Firegirl	Realistic Fiction
Buckley	James	Pele and other DK biographies	Nonfiction
Creech	Sharon	Chasing Redbird	Fiction
Danziger	Paula	The Cat Ate My Gymsuit (and others)	Realistic Fiction
DuPrau	Jeanne	Books of Ember series	Fantasy
Fleischman	Sid	Escape! The Story of the Great Houdini	Biography
Flanagan	John	Ranger's Apprentice series	Fantasy
Gaiman	Neil	The Graveyard Book	Ghost Story
Gantos	Jack	Heads or Tails	Humorous Fiction
Gutman	Dan	The Baseball Card Adventures	Fiction Sports
Haddix	Margaret P.	Shadow Children series	Fantasy
Hahn	Mary D.	All the Lovely Bad Ones: A Ghost Story	Ghost Stories
Harrison	Lisi	The Clique Summer Collection	Realistic Fiction
Hiaasen	Carl	Flush and other titles by author	Realistic Fiction
Hunter	Erin	Warriors series	Fantasy
Kinney	Jeff	Diary of a Wimpy Kid series	Realistic Fiction
Korman	Gordon	On the Run series	Adventure
L'Engle	Madeleine	A Wrinkle in Time	Fantasy
Levine	Gail C.	Ella Enchanted and other titles	Fantasy
Moore	Stephanie	Carmen Browne series	Realistic Fiction
Nimmo	Jenny	Charlie Bone series	Fantasy
Ogden	Charles	Edgar & Ellen series	Humorous Fiction
Paver	Michelle	Wolf Brother	Fantasy
Petersen	David	Mouse Guard: Fall 1152	Graphic Novel
Riordan	Rick	Percy Jackson and the Olympians series	Fantasy
Riordan	Rick	39 Clues series	Fantasy
Sachar	Louis	Wayside School series	Humor
Smith	Jeff	Bone series	Graphic Novel
Spinelli	Jerry	Crash (and others)	Realistic Fiction
Stead	Rebecca	When You Reach Me	Fiction
Tolkien	J.R.R.	The Hobbit	Fantasy

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MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2012 SUMMER READING LIST For Students Entering Grade 6

June 2012

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Malden Public Schools' 2012 summer reading list is your ticket to adventurous travels through books. We hope you and your family will read about other countries, cultures, and people all over the world.

Students are required to **read 3 books from the list or books of their own choosing**. Books can be read by students on their own or with a partner during the summer. Partners for reading out loud can be parents, guardians, brothers, sisters or other interested caregivers.

Students must list the 3 books they have read on the Reading Log and complete a Reading Response for any one book. Help your child complete the Reading Response by discussing books they have read or books that have been read to them.

We encourage you to visit the Malden Public Library regularly with your child. The library has copies of the summer reading books, offers fun children's activities for free, and runs a Summer Reading Program (beginning July 2) that provides special incentives to children who read two or more hours each week.

Extra forms will be available at the Malden Public Library and on the Malden Public Schools' website: www.malden.mec.edu. Students must return completed forms to their school in September.

Sincerely,

Dr. David DeRuosi, Jr.
Superintendent of Schools

Summer Reading Log

Keep a list of the books you read by yourself or that someone reads to you during the summer vacation.

Title	Author
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____
9. _____	_____
10. _____	_____

Student's Name: (print) _____ Grade in Sept _____

Student's Signature: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____

Bring your list to your new teacher in September

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