

St. Monica School
Grades 7/8 Summer Reading 2018

Welcome to the St. Monica School 2018 Summer Reading Program for grades 7 and 8. I hope you find it fun and interesting. You will read 2 books from your grade level and complete Activity 1 on one book, and Activity 2 on the other book. Both will be graded as a TEST and must be neat, complete and directions followed. Both assignments are due September 14, 2018.

Grade 7

Title

Assassin
Catherine, Called Birdy
Fever 1793
Holes
Fish in a Tree
Mockingbird
The Crossing
The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
The Raft
The Son
Ungifted

Author

Anna Meyers
Karen Cushman
Anderson, Laura Halse
Louis Sachar
Linda Mulally Hunt
Erskine, Kathryn
Gary Paulsen
Avi
S.A. Bodeen
Lois Lowry
Gordon Korman

Grade 8

Title

A Girl Named Disaster
A View from Saturday
Auggie and Me: Three Wonder Stories
Bless Me, Ultima
Crossing to Paradise
I Know What You Did Last Summer
Let the Circle Be Unbroken
No Summit Out of Sight
Revolution
Sojourner Truth: Ain't I a Woman?
That was Then, This is Now
The Crossover

Author

Nancy Farmer
E.L. Konigsburg
R.J. Palacio
Anaya Rudolfo
Kevin Crossley Holland
Lois Duncan
Mildred Taylor
Jordan Romero
Deborah Wiles
Paul Fleishman
Hinton, S.E
Kwame Alexander

Directions:

Activity 1 Rubric: Write an additional Chapter. It could be a new ending, or another chapter in the book. This will be counted as a TEST GRADE.

Proper heading	10
Typed	5
12 point font	5
One typed page, double space	60 pts
Punctuation, spelling, grammar	20
Total:	100 pts

Activity 2 Rubric – Brochure: Studying setting. – TEST GRADE!

- Look at brochures to get an idea on what they look like
- Fold 8 x 11 paper in thirds (landscape, not portrait)
- Research the setting of your novel. (Time and Place)
- If it is fictional, create landmarks, places to visit, local sites. If not, use research but embellish if you wish!
- Be creative!
- All sides of the brochure should be colored!
- Include Book Title on the brochure, your name and grade.

Rubric: Creativity (colorful and shows original thought) – 60, research – 20, Neat and complete – 20. Total: 100