

Grades 6-8 Summer Reading List: Redeemer Lutheran School 2021-2022

RLS encourages students to create and maintain a life-long habit of reading. Summer can offer a great opportunity for families to enjoy wonderful books together. We want our students to have a fun and happy summer while pursuing books for enjoyment at the same time!

Please review the lists below. It includes a variety of interests and levels. Choose *at least 2 books* to read over the summer (preferably from this list...contact me if you have other titles selected). Post-reading activities/projects will be given at the start of the school year. Happy reading!

Please direct any questions/concerns to: ccarbone@redeemerschoolpensacola.org

Book Title	Author	Genre
<i><u>Elephant Run</u></i>	Roland Smith	Fiction
<i><u>Dragonwings</u></i>	Laurence Yep	Fiction
<i><u>Framed</u></i> (a series)	James Ponti	Fiction
<i><u>Ghost</u></i>	Jason Reynolds	Fiction
<i><u>Number the Stars</u></i>	Lois Lowry	Fiction
<i><u>Out of My Mind</u></i>	Sharon Draper	Fiction
<i><u>Shakespear Stealer</u></i>	Gary L. Blackwood	Fiction
<i><u>Soldier's Secret</u></i>	Shelia Solomon Klass	Fiction
<i><u>Terror at Battle Creek</u></i>	Watt Key	Fiction
<i><u>The Hypnotists</u></i>	Gordon Korman	Fiction
<i><u>The Mark of the Dragonfly</u></i>	Jaleigh Johnson	Fiction
<i><u>The Wednesday Wars</u></i>	Gary D. Schmidt	Fiction
<i><u>Tuck Everlasting</u></i>	Natalie Babbitt	Fiction
<i><u>Ungifted</u></i>	Gordon Korman	Fiction
<i><u>Schooled</u></i>	Gordon Korman	Fiction
<i><u>Moon Over Manifest</u></i>	Clare Vanderpool	Fiction
<i><u>The Indian in the Cupboard</u></i>	Lynne Reid Banks	Fiction
<i><u>Fever, 1793</u></i>	Laurie Halls Anderson	Fiction
<i><u>Counting by 7s</u></i>	Holly Goldberg Sloan	Fiction
<i><u>Julie of the Wolves</u></i>	Jean Craighead George	Fiction
<i><u>The Tales of Despereaux</u></i>	Kate DiCamillo	Fiction
<i><u>Drums, Girls, & Dangerous Pie</u></i>	Jordan Sonnenblick	Fiction

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<u>Freak the Mighty</u>	Rodman Phillbrick	Fiction
<u>The Tequila Worm</u>	Viola Canales	Fiction
<u>The Lions of Little Rock</u>	Kristin Levine	Fiction
<u>MiNRS (Series)</u>	Kevin Sylvester	Fiction
Any book from the Percy Jackson & the Olympians Series	Rick Riordan	Fiction
<u>Tangerine</u>	Edward Bloor	Fiction
<u>Before We Were Free</u>	Julia Alvarez	Fiction
<u>Hour of the Bees</u>	Lindsay Eagar	Fiction
Any book from C.S Lewis (<u>Chronicles of Narnia</u> Series)	C. S Lewis	Fiction
<u>Heart of a Lion</u>	Gilbert Morris	Fiction
<u>The Lord of the Flies</u>	William Golding	Fiction
<u>Among the Hidden</u> (and other related titles)	Margaret Peterson Haddix	Fiction
Any book from J. R. R. Tolkien	J.R.R. Tolkien	Fiction
<u>The Silent Boy</u>	Lois Lowry	Fiction
<u>The Alchemist</u>	Paulo Coelho	Fiction
<u>Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl</u>	Anne Frank	Nonfiction
<u>The Case for Christ</u>	Lee Strobel	Nonfiction
<u>Forgotten God</u>	Francis Chan	Nonfiction
<u>I am Malala</u>	Malala Yousafzai	Nonfiction
<u>Do Hard Things</u>	Alex & Brett Harris	Nonfiction
<u>Navy Seal Dogs</u>	Mike Ritland	Nonfiction
<u>Unbroken</u>	Laura Hillenbrand	Nonfiction
<u>The Eagle Huntress</u>	Aisholpan Nurgaiv	Nonfiction
<u>Rising Water: The Story of the Thai Cave Rescue</u>	Marc Aronson	Nonfiction
<u>The Complete Story of Sadako Sasaki: and the Thousand Paper Cranes</u>	Masahiro Sasaki and Sue DiCicco	Nonfiction

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Many of the suggested authors have many other wonderful books to read if you find one you really liked!

<u>Book Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Genre</u>
<u><i>The Mouse and the Motorcycle</i></u>	Beverly Cleary	Fiction
<u><i>The Secret School</i></u>	Avi	Fiction
<u><i>Shiloh</i></u>	Phyllis Rynolds Naylor	Fiction
<u><i>Tales of a 4th Grade Nothing</i></u>	Judy Blume	Fiction
<u><i>James and the Giant Peach</i></u>	Roald Dahl	Fiction
<u><i>The Julian Chapter, Pluto, Shingaling or Auggie and Me</i></u>	R.J. Palacio	Fiction
<u><i>Bud, Not Buddy</i></u>	Christopher Paul Curtis	Fiction
<u><i>My Side of the Mountain</i></u>	Jean Craighead George	Fiction
<u><i>Number the Stars</i></u>	Lois Lowry	Fiction
<u><i>Walk Two Moons</i></u>	Sharon Creech	Fiction
<u><i>The Borrowers</i></u>	Mary Norton	Fiction
<u><i>Brown Girl Dreaming</i></u>	Jacqueline Woodson	Fiction
<u><i>Inkheart Series</i></u>	Cornelia Funke	Fiction
<u>Any Percy Jackson Series books</u>	Rick Riordan	Fiction
<u>Any Middle School Series books</u>	James Patterson	Fiction
<u>Any book from the <i>I Survived Series</i></u>		Fiction
<u><i>From an Idea to.... Series</i></u>	Lowey Bundy Sichol	NonFiction
<u><i>Whoosh!: Lonnie Johnson's super-soaking stream of inventions</i></u>	Chris Barton	NonFiction
<u><i>The Boy Who Harnessed Wind</i></u>	William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer	NonFiction