

Honors Summer Reading Directions

1. Read one book from the list attached. The second week of school you will take an AR assessment on the book and a handwritten assessment on how well you comprehended the book. The questions are not provided ahead of time and must be completed in the classroom.
2. Complete the attached Summer Boost IXL program. Each assignment must be completed to 90% or a grade of 0 will be recorded.

Incoming Sixth Grade Choices

Mystery

- *Sherlock Society* by James Ponti 4.9 9pts
- *Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation* by Stuart Gibbs 6.1 12pts
- *The Amelia Six* by Kristen Gray 4.2 7pts
- *Finally, Something Mysterious* by Doug Cornett 5.3 8pts
- *The Swallowtail Legacy (Book 1)* by Michael D. Beil no AR
- *The Best Worst Summer* by Elizabeth Eulberg 4.1 7pts
- *The Jules Verne Prophecy* by Larry Schwarz 5.2 10pts
- *National Archive Hunters 1: Capitol Chase* by Matthew Landis 4.3 8pts

Historical Fiction

- *Lost in the Empire City* by Avi 4.3 10pts
- *Heroes* by Alan Gratz 5.0 6pts
- *Lost Library* by Rebecca Stead 4.3 5pts
- *Nothing Else but Miracles* by Kate Albus 5.0 9pts

Nonfiction:

- *The Finest Hours: The True Story of a Heroic Sea Rescue* by Michael J. Tougias 7.5 6pts
- *Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team* by Christina Soontornvat 7.2 7pts
- *Reaching for the Moon: The Autobiography of NASA Mathematician Katherine Johnson* by Katherine Johnson 7.1 8pts
- *Five Epic Disasters (I Survived True Stories #1)* by Lauren Tarshis 6.3 2pts
- *Women in Sports: 50 Fearless Athletes Who Played to Win* by Rachel Ignotofsky 7.2 5pts
- *Lebron James vs. Michael Jordan: Who Would Win?* by Keith Elliot Greenberg 5.1 5pts

Incoming Seventh Grade Choices

Historical Fiction

- *Farewell Cuba, Mi Isla* by Alexandra Diaz 5.7 10pts
- *The Lost Year* by Katherine Marsh 4.8 11 pts
- *Esperanza Rising* by Pam Munoz Ryan 5.3 6pts
- *The Night Diary* by Veera Hiranandani 4.5 8pts
- *We Dream of Space* by Erin Entrada Kelly 4.6 7pts
- *The Door of No Return* by Kwame Alexander 5.9 4pts
- *Fever, 1773* by Laurie Halse Anderson 4.4 7pts
- *Chains* Laurie Halse Anderson 5.2 11pts
- *Forge* Laurie Halse Anderson 5.4 10pts
- *Ashes* Laurie Halse Anderson 5.6 11pts

Mystery

- *The Plot to Kill a Queen* by Deborah Hopkinson 5.3 6pts
- *The Inheritance Games* by Jennifer Lynn Barnes 4.7 13 pts
- *Mysteries of Trash and Treasure: The Secret Letters* by Margaret Peterson Haddix 5.2 11 pts
- *A Perfect Mistake* by Melanie Conklin 4.0 7pts
- *Free Throws, Friendships, and Other Things We Fouled Up* by Jenn Bishop 4.4 10pts

Incoming Eighth Grade Choices

Realistic Fiction

- *City Spies* by James Ponti 5.6 10pts
- *The Fort* by Gordon Korman 5.0 9pts
- *Duet* by Elise Broach 4.5 8pts
- *The Beat I Drum* by Dusti Bowling 4.0 7pts
- *The Crossover* by Kwame Alexander 4.3 2pts
- *I Love You So Mochi* by Sarah Kuhn 5.5 12pts
- *Give Me A Sign* by Anna Sortino 4.8 11pts

Historical Fiction

- *Will's Race for Home* by Jewell Parker Rhodes 3.6 4pts
- *The Lost Year* by Katherine Marsh 4.8 11 pts

Humor

- *Slider* by Pete Hautman 4.3 7pts

Fantasy

- *Divergent* by Veronica Roth 4.8 16pts
- *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins 5.3 15 pts
- *The Greengrass House* by Kate Milford 5.4 15pts
- *The First State of Being* by Erin Entrada Kelly 4.4 6pts

Sci-fi Time Travel/Spy

- *Glitch* by Laura Martin 6.3 13pts
- *Concealed* by Christina Diaz Gonzalez 4.4 10 pts

Nonfiction

- *Extra Life (Young Readers Adaptation): The Astonishing Story of How We Doubled Our Lifespan* by Steven Johnson
- *The Enigma Girls: How Ten Teenagers Broke Ciphers, Kept Secrets, and Helped Win World War II* by Candace Fleming 6.6 6pts