

Suggested Summer Reading List

Author		Title	Genre
Buckley	James	Pele and other DK biographies	Nonfiction
DuPrau	Jeanne	Books of Ember series	Fantasy
Dahl	Roald	The BFG and other books	Fantasy
Fleischman	Sid	Escape! The Story of the Great Houdini	Biography
Flanagan	John	Ranger's Apprentice series	Fantasy
Funke	Comelia	Inkheart trilogy	Fantasy
Gaiman	Neil	Coraline	Fantasy
Gantos	Jack	Heads or Tails (and others)	Humorous Fiction
Goldblatt	Mark	Twerp	Fiction
Lupica	Mike	Travel Team and other books	Sports Fiction
Haddix	Margaret P.	Shadow Children series	Fantasy
Hahn	Mary D.	All the Lovely Bad Ones	Ghost Story
Harrison	Lisi	The Clique Summer Collection	Realistic Fiction
Hiaasen	Carl	Flush (and others)	Realistic Fiction
Korman	Gordon	On the Run series	Adventure
L'Engle	Madeleine	A Wrinkle in Time	Fantasy
Levine	Gail C.	Ella Enchanted (and others)	Fantasy
Lewis	C.S.	The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe	Fantasy
McMann	Lisa	The Unwanteds series	Fantasy
Nielson	Jennifer	The False Prince (Ascendance Trilogy)	Fantasy
Ogden	Charles	Edgar & Ellen series	Humorous Fiction
Palacio	R.J.	Wonder	Fiction
Paver	Michelle	Wolf Brother series	Fantasy
Petersen	David	Mouse Guard: Fall 1152	Graphic Novel
Riordan	Rick	The 39 Clues series	Fiction
Smith	Jeff	Bone series	Graphic Novel
Smith	Roland	I, Q. series	Fiction
Spinelli	Jerry	Wringer (and others)	Realistic Fiction
Stead	Rebecca	Liar and Spy	Fiction
Tolkien	J.R.R.	The Hobbit	Fantasy



MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2016 SUMMER READING LIST For Students Entering Grade 6

June 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Malden Public Schools' 2016 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 at least 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. We recommend reading 30 minutes every day. 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 activities for free, and runs a Summer Reading Program (beginning June 27) that provides special incentives to tweens and teens who read 5 hours or more a week.

Extra forms will be available at the Malden Public Library and on the Malden Public Schools' website: <http://maldenps.org/academics/summer-reading>. 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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