

## Suggested Summer Reading List

Author		Title	Genre
Alexander	Kwami	Crossover	Fiction
Avi		Never Mind! A Twin Novel	Humorous Fiction
Bauer	Joan	Close to Famous (and others)	Fiction
Black	Holly	Doll Bones	Horror
Black	Holly	The Iron Trial	Fantasy
Clare	Cassandra	Mortal Instruments series	Fantasy
Deuker	Carl	Gym Candy & other books	Sports
Flake	Sharon	The Skin I'm In	Realistic Fiction
Gaiman	Neil	The Graveyard Book	Fantasy/Suspense
Hiassen	Carl	Hoot	Mystery
Hicks	Faith Erin	Friends with Boys	Graphic Novel
Hinds	Gareth	The Odyssey	Graphic Novel
Horowitz	Anthony	Alex Rider series	Suspense
Kibuishi	Kazu	Amulet series	Graphic Novel
Lewis	John	March: Book One	Graphic Novel
Lu	Marie	Legend	Fantasy
Lupica	Mike	Game Changers	Sports
MacHale	D.J.	Pendragon series	Fantasy
Mah	Adeline Yen	Chinese Cinderella	Historical Fiction
Myers	Walter Dean	Slam (and others)	Sports Fiction
Oppel	Kenneth	Silverwing and others in series	Fantasy
Patterson	James	Maximum Ride	Suspense
Riordan	Rick	The Percy Jackson series	Fantasy
Roth	Veronica	Divergent (Trilogy)	Fantasy
Shan	Darren	Cirque du Freak series	Fantasy
Sitomer	Alan	The Hoopster	Sports
Trueman	Terry	Stuck in Neutral	Suspense
Van Draanen	Wendelin	The Running Dream	Fiction
Vega	Denise	Click Here to Find Out How I Survived 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Realistic Fiction
Walden	Mark	H.I.V.E. series	Adventure
Yousafzai	Malala	I Am Malala	Nonfiction



### MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2016 SUMMER READING LIST For Students Entering Grade 7

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 five 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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2016 SUMMER READING LIST**

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