



SAINT AUGUSTINE SCHOOL

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SUMMER 2009 READING LIST

Entering Grade 6

Incoming Sixth Graders are required to read "The Sacrifice" by Kathleen Benner Duple. This book will be the focus of academic activities during for the month of September for both Literature and Library classes.

Required reading

- The Sacrifice by Kathleen Benner Duple

Students must choose three additional books from the list below:

Newbury Award books

- The Winter Room by Gary Paulson
- Wrinkle in Time series by Madeleine L'Engle
- 21 Balloons by William Pene du Bois
- Hoot by Carl Hiaasen

Classics

- Tales of Greek Heroes by Roger Lancelyn Green
- Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie
- Swiss Family Robinson by Joann David Wyss

Biographies/science

- Up Close: Robert Kennedy by Marc Aronson
- Up Close: Rachel Carson by Marc Aronson
- Mark Twain and the River by Sterling North
- Thomas Edison by Sterling North
- Forensics by Richard Platt
- Biology by Dan Green
- Astronomy by Dan Green

Fantasy

- Percy Jackson series by Rick Riordan
- Children of the Lamp by P.B. Kerr
- Rangerø Apprentice series by John Flanagan
- Five Star series by Chris DøLacey
- Book of Time by Guillaume Prevost

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Fiction/mystery

- The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman
- The Doll in the Garden by Mary Downing Hahn
- Wait Till Helen Comes by Mary Downing Hahn
- Mystery Isle by Judith St. George
- Alex Rider series by Anthony Horowitz
- A Mango-Shaped Space by Wendy Moss
- Granny by Anthony Horowitz
- Peak by Roland Smith
- Pandora Gets Jealous by Carolyn Hennessey
- Princess Academy by Shannon Hale
- The Good Dog by Avi