

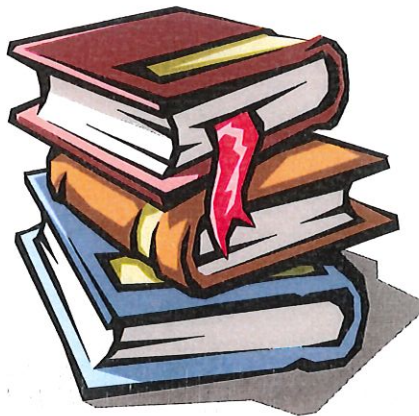
## 6th Grade Required Summer Reading

Students entering the sixth grade are **required** to read one of the following books, and one non-fiction book of their choice. For the first time, AR will be open in the summer to take tests on the two books that you read. This is required as your “reading log” to show that you have read the books. Do not worry about any goal over the summer. These tests **will not** count toward your first trimester goals. If you are unable to take these tests, then you will complete a supplementary assignment when you return to school.

- **Counting By 7's**, by Holly Goldberg Sloan: Positive role models abound in this heartwarming story that shows how grief feels but is ultimately a celebration of the indomitable human spirit.
- **When You Reach Me**, by Rebecca Stead: Won the 2010 Newbery Medal, and offers an exciting, twisty plot that plays with the time-space continuum.
- **One Crazy Summer**, by Rita Williams-Garcia: This Newbery Honor Book is a gem. The writing is poetic and simple, and the characters are unforgettable.
- **Out of My Mind**, by Sharon M. Draper: Heartwarming story about kids dealing with disabilities.
  - **The False Prince**, by Jennifer Nielson: Revolves around a plot to put forth an impostor to the throne to save the kingdom of Carthya.
  - **The Book of Threes**, by Lloyd Alexander: A youth impatient to escape his sheltered, uneventful life becomes embroiled in a conflict between the forces of good and evil.

I suggest that you preview the content of these books by going to **commonsense media.com**. Type in the title and it will give you a basic preview of the story and feedback from parents and teachers.

HAPPY READING



# 2020-2021 Middle School Supply List – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

**A planner is provided for your child.**

**Each student must bring the following community supplies to be provided to the homeroom teacher:**

- One pack (10 count) standard ink, blue or black stick pens (non-click)
- One pack of highlighters
- Two boxes of tissues
- One pack of Crayola markers
- One pack of colored pencils
- Two boxes #2 pencils (12 count – pre-sharpened preferred)
- One pack of wide-ruled notebook paper
- One soft pouch pencil case to put your supplies in (no Ziploc bag, no metal or hard plastic pencil cases)
- Accordion-style folder to hold papers/folders from all subject areas
- NO liquid white-out, no white-out pens

## **History**

One composition notebook

Two 2-pocket folders (red), with prongs

## **Language Arts**

One 3 subject spiral notebook

One Composition style notebook

One 2-pocket folder (any color)

## **Religion**

One 1-subject spiral notebook

One 2-pocket folder (green), no prongs

## **Science**

One 1-inch 3 ring binder with pockets

One package tab dividers for binder (5 or more)

Two composition notebooks (for science fair- needed in August)

Two dry erase markers

*You will be informed later in the school year of additional Science Fair supplies needed*

## **Math**

One 3-subject spiral notebook

One two-pocket folder with prongs

TI-30 Calculator

Eraser

## **Art**

One Spiral Bound Sketch Pad (9 x 12)

## **Computers/Media**

One pack of 12-count #2 pencils

## **Spanish**

One spiral notebook

One 2 pocket folder

**\*\*Bring notebook with the notes, textbook and workbook from previous year's Spanish class**