



## SUMMER READING GRADE 8

**Students,**

**You must read two novels of your choice with at least 150 pages in length and complete the attached graphic organizer. Be prepared to share what you learned about one of your novels with your class.**

**Enjoy**

**your**

**reads!**

**DUE THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL.**

**The students are not required to choose from this list. The following are some helpful suggestions:**

**A Dog's Purpose by Bruce W. Cameron**

**The Book Thief by Marcus Zusak**

**The Hunger Games (or any books in the series) by Suzanne Collins**

**Enders Game by Orson Scott Card**

**The Seven Habits of Highly Effective Teens by Sean Covey**

**Three Cups of Tea by Greg Mortenson**

**Harriet Tubman - Conductor on the Underground Railway by Ann Petry**

**Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain**

**Great Expectations by Charles Dickens**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Summer Reading Graphic Organizer – Grade 8**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Author \_\_\_\_\_

Main character and description: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other characters and brief  
descriptions \_\_\_\_\_

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Setting (time and place): \_\_\_\_\_

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Brief Summary: \_\_\_\_\_

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Main Problem: \_\_\_\_\_

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Resolution: \_\_\_\_\_

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Theme for fiction - for nonfiction describe what you learned \_\_\_\_\_

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Symbols: \_\_\_\_\_

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