

St. Paul's Catholic School Summer Reading
7th Grade

All students entering the seventh grade must read two books from the top category and one grade-appropriate biography of their choice (more than 100 pages and not an abridged picture book). I have included biography/memoir recommendations, but students are not limited to this list.

Students are encouraged to take notes on their books over the summer, as they will be permitted to use them on summer reading assessments/projects during the first full week of school.

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Pick two:

- *Refugee* by Alan Grantz (strongly recommended)
- *The Unteachables* by Gordon Korman
- *Okay for Now* by Gary Shmidt
- *All Quiet on the Western Front* by Erich Maria Remarque
- *Red Badge of Courage* by Stephen Crane*

-and-

one grade-appropriate biography of their choice

Recommendations:

- *Revolution is not a Dinner Party* by Ying Chang Compestine
- *Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl* by Anne Frank
- *Courage to Soar: A Body in Motion, A Life in Balance* by Simone Biles
- *The Boys Who Challenged Hitler: Knud Pedersen and the Churchill Club* by Philip Hoose
- *Chasing Space* by Leland Melvin

* This book is shorter than the others, but please know that it is a more difficult read.