



ASCS MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER READING



Dear Middle School Parents,

As you know, fostering a love of reading at a young age has so many benefits. With reading being the biggest indicator of academic success, we must foster that love and continue to encourage our students to read. At All Saints Catholic School, we want to do all that we can to foster that love of reading. This summer students will have the opportunity to build their knowledge and faith through the wonderful world of books!

On-Level students will choose one book to read from the provided list.

Honors students must choose two books from the attached list. The starred books are only the recommended Honors books. Honors students may choose *any* two books from the attached list and complete the project on one. A student may select a book from the grade level above.

As incoming Middle School Students, there will be 2 parts to our summer required reading program. They are as follows:

- Students will take AR test(s) over their book(s) when they return to school in the fall, so book(s) should be *annotated* with 3 main points at the end of every chapter. Students are also highly encouraged to make note of the themes, settings, and conflicts throughout the novel. Annotations may be done directly on book or with sticky notes at the end of each chapter.
- Students will be required to choose *one* book to complete a plot diagram and the One Pager project over. A sample One Pager is attached for reference purposes only. The One Pager will be due on the first full day of class, August 14th. Students will also be required to write an in-class essay over their summer reading during the first week of school.

My hope is that this summer requirement will encourage your child to continue to read over the summer. I am looking forward to seeing you in the fall! Have a wonderful summer vacation!

Mrs. Allen

ASCS Middle School Summer Reading List

6th Grade Book Choices:

Walk Two Moons by Creech S.

Fever, 1793 by Anderson, L.H.

*The Hobbit by Tolkien J.R.R.

Charlotte's Web by White, E.B.

*Gifted Hands by Carson, Ben

Someone Named Eva by Wolf, J.

Echo by Ryan, Pam

7th Grade Book Choices:

Chains by Anderson, L.H.

A Little Princess by Burnett, F.H.

Black Beauty by Sewell, A.

*Gifted Hands by Carson, Ben

*The Hobbit by Tolkien J.R.R.

*A Man for Others by Treece,
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8th Grade Book Choices:

*A Man for Others by Treece, P.

*Gifted Hands by Carson, Ben

*Emma by Austen, J.

*The Three Musketeers by Dumas, A.

The Only Thing to Fear by Richmond, C. T.

Animal Farm by Orwell, G.

Wolf Hollow by Wolk, L.

*Suggested for Honors Reading