



Sayreville Middle School ~ Summer Reading Program

The following is an overview of the **REQUIRED** summer reading program for incoming grades 7th-9th:

Entering 6th & 7th - Students are to read at least one book from the assigned list of choices, complete the 6th-7th grade log which they received in class, and return it to their Language Arts teacher in September. The reading log will count as 5% of the students' first marking period grade. See the district website for a list of suggested list of title from which they must choose titles for 6th-7th grade.

Entering 8th - Students are to read at least one book from the assigned list of choices, complete the 8th grade journal which they received in class, and return it to their Language Arts teacher in September. The reading log will count as 5% of the students' first marking period grade. See the district website for a list of suggested titles from which they must choose for 8th grade.

Entering 9th- Students are to read at least two books from the assigned list of choices and complete logs, which they received in class, for both books. Open ended questions will also be administered in class in September. Logs and open ended responses will be worth 5% of the students' 1st marking period grade. Honors and AP students have additional assignments, which they received in class in June.

***How to get your summer reading books:**

- Some books will be available at the Sayreville Public Library.
- You may also purchase books at any local bookstore. Suggested stores: Borders in Freehold, or Barnes & Noble in East Brunswick.
- Inexpensive, used copies can be purchased from www.amazon.com.
- The classic titles are available for free at www.planetebooks.com.

***How to get assignments and lists of titles:**

Copies of all materials will be available on the **district website under "Summer Reading Program."**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cathy Reilly, Language Arts Supervisor, at 732-525-5251 x2402 or cathy.reilly@sayrevillek12.net.

Happy Summer Reading!

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