

Greenville Central School

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Dear 6th Grade Readers and Writers.

Congratulations! Your studies at Scott M. Ellis Elementary have successfully ended and you are ready for your next quest: navigating middle school.

To prepare for 6th grade, we ask that you read at least 20 minutes daily and record your thoughts on the attached response pages. Select books or magazines from the list below, the public library, bookstores, or read on your electronic device. You choose.

Record the books you've read on the Summer Reading Log. Use the attached pages as a place to record your thoughts and noticings about your reading. Write reflections, stories, poems, or journal entries about any reading that energizes you. If you read something spectacular that inspires you to change the course of your life, write about it. *We want to know!*

We encourage you to write creatively and about topics that inspire you. Use the pages attached and add additional pages as needed.

Bring your log, your responses, and any other writing with you on the first day of school; we are waiting to see what new books and adventures you've experienced.

Have a wonderful summer; see you in September.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Parvis and Mrs. Jones

Suggestions for 6th Grade Summer Reading 2023

Fiction Favorites

Hatchet by Gary Paulsen

The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate

Umbrella Summerby Lisa GraffChompby Carl HiaassenRaymie Nightingaleby Kate DiCamillo

Excellent Authors

Rick Riordan Percy Jackson series
Mary Downing Hahn All the Lovely Bad Ones

Raina Telgemeier Smile, Sisters, Guts, or Drama Jeff Kinney The Diary of a Wimpy Kid

Lauren Tarshis I Survived...

Notable Nonfiction

Magazines i.e. "Flipside" (Science), "Girl's Life", "Boy's Life", "Teen Ink" (written by teens, for teens)

Field and Stream

Frozen in Time, The Story of Salt, or The Cod's Tale all by Mark Kurlansky

Feel free to Google any title(s) above. Many have book trailers, plot descriptions, interactive websites, and voice or video recordings, that may spark your interest.

Summer Reading Log

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Did any characters you	read about inspire you? Please explo	ain your thinking.	
	Student Signature	Date	
	Parent/Guardian's Signature	Date	

Reading Responses Date:

Book Title:

Author:		
Pages read:	Number of minutes you read:	
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Creative or Informational Writing

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