

6th Grade Summer Reading

Please choose **one** of the following books to read for summer reading:

Ali Cross

James Patterson

City of Ember

Jeanne DuPrau

Fish in a Tree

Lynda Mullaly Hunt

Ghost

Jason Reynolds

The Apothecary

Maile Meloy

When finished with the book, complete the one-pager assignment (see attached template) to demonstrate an understanding of story elements and comprehension of the book. A one-pager combines drawings, images, and words to represent a literary work. This assignment is due Thursday, August 12.

Once school begins, students will participate in small group discussions and activities about their selected book and take an objective quiz to check understanding of the book and its story elements. The grades from group work, quiz, and one-pager will be averaged and count as a test grade.

6th Grade Summer Reading

The one-pager assignment should include the following :

- In the border, write the title and author of book. Any white space may be filled with key words, doodles, etc.
- In the upper left corner, draw a picture or provide an image of the main character(s). You may include names or character traits as well.
- In the upper right hand corner, draw a picture or use key words to describe the point of view (1st or 3rd person) of the book.
- In the middle, write an important quotation from the book and provide the page number(s) on which it appears.
- In the lower left corner, draw a picture, provide an image, or use key words to represent the setting (where and when the action takes place) of the book.
- In the lower right corner, draw a picture, provide an image, or use key words to illustrate a conflict (internal or external problem) that exists in the book.

The one-pager assignment will be graded based on the following criteria:

- All required elements are included.
- The project reflects the student's understanding of the book.
- The student's work is colorful and neat.

