

BOOK SUGGESTIONS For Incoming 7th Graders

These are just suggestions, not required. Those marked with an * may be borrowed in either eBook or digital audiobook format from the NAMS 24/7/365 Virtual Library.

Seventh Grade teachers and students recommend:

FICTION

- [Newbery Award Winners](#)- There have been some AMAZING books the last few years!
- *Ghost* by Jason Reynolds
- *Listen, Slowly* by Thanhha Lai
- *Booked* by Kwame Alexander *
- *Gertie's Leap to Greatness* by Kate Beasley
- *Middle School Is Worse Than Meatloaf* by Jennifer L. Holm
- *Raymie Nightingale* by Kate DiCamillo *
- *The Seventh Wish* by Kate Messner

NONFICTION

- *Some Writer: The Story of E.B. White* by Melissa Sweet
- *Women in Science: 50 Fearless Pioneers Who Changed the World* by Rachel Ignotofsky
- *We Will Not Be Silent: The White Rose Student Resistance Movement That Defied Adolf Hitler* by Russell Freedman
- *Trapped: How the World Rescued 33 Miners from 2,000 Feet Below the Chilean Desert* by Marc Aronson
- *How They Choked: Failures, Flops, and Flaws of the Awfully Famous* by Georgia Bragg
- *How Angel Peterson Got His Name; and Other Outrageous Tales about Extreme Sports* by Gary Paulsen

SERIES:

- *Harry Potter series* by J.K. Rowling
- *Amulet series* by Kazu Kibuishi
- *Maximum Ride series* by James Patterson
- *Divergent series* by Veronica Roth
- *The Maze Runner series* by James Dashner *
- *Middle School series* by James Patterson

AUTHORS:

Avi *	Karen Hesse *	Patrick Ness *
Blue Balliett *	S.E. Hinton	Rodman Philbrick *
Sharon Creech	Anthony Horowitz *	Rick Riordan (series)*
Suzanne Collins *	Jeff Kinney *	Jon Scieszka
Gennifer Choldenko *	Trenton Lee Stewart *	Jerry Spinelli *
Laurie Halse Anderson	Mike Lupica *	Rebecca Stead *
		Raina Telgemeier
		Scott Westerfeld
		Jacqueline Woodson *