



Rising 7th Grade Summer Reading 2022

Each rising 7th-grade student will be required to read a book of choice and complete a task. Students can choose to purchase a paper copy or an ebook. If a paper copy is desired, the parents can purchase this for their child. If an audiobook is desired, it too can be purchased or checked out through the TFS Sora library or the Charlotte Mecklenburg Library, but it should not be used in isolation as the student needs to follow the text as well. The assignment is due the first day of classes, August 18, 2022.

Book of Choice Task: Introducing...

Getting to deeply know a character can be difficult. As you read your book of choice, pay attention to your main character. How would you describe him/her? Does the main character:

Have any fears?

Have any struggles?

Laugh a lot?

Enjoy a certain activity?

Have any triumphs?

Cry a lot?

Have a large family?

Have reliable friends?

Have dreams?

The questions are endless!

There are two parts to this task: the written component ([Google Doc](#) assigned through the Summer Reading Google Classroom Class) and the actual box filled with items (see below). Think about how you would introduce your character to the class. Complete the Google Doc and select at least 5 items that you could use to help explain what your character is like. Store all of the items in a container that represents the main character as well. Submit your document via Google Classroom and bring in your box on the first day of class.

Example: Harry Potter

Container: A box that represent a book of spells

ITEM	EXPLANATION
A small broomstick	Explain Quidditch - the game that the wizards play
A yellow pipe cleaner shaped like a lightning bolt	Explain how Harry got the scar
A wand	Explain the power of his wand and some of his spells
A stuffed animal of an owl	Represents Hedwig - Harry's pet. Talk about their relationship
A heart shaped item	To represent the sacrifice that Lily Potter made

Suggested Summer Reading Titles are on the following page.



2022 Middle School Novels Recommendation Links

Please note that these links contain *suggestions*. If your child has another book that he or she would like to read, and it is appropriate for his or her reading level and in content, please feel free to choose what you'd like.

[Suggested Books #1](#)

[Suggested Books #2](#)

[Suggested Books #3](#)