



2025 Summer Reading

for Incoming 7th & 8th Graders



Dear Incoming 7th and 8th graders,

Heritage Middle School is happy to share with you an exciting list of books for this year's summer reading assignment. We want you to find something you will love, so we are offering a diverse selection, with different topics and sub-genres of fiction.

You are expected to read **TWO** full-length books that are appropriate for your reading level. You **MUST** choose at least **ONE** book from our list of recommended fiction. The other is a free choice (any genre, including non-fiction), which means you can choose from our list or not. In September, be prepared to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of your books. A complete list of our recommended books is available on Destiny Discover through the Heritage Media Center Website.

Looking ahead to the 2025-26 school year, we anticipate celebrating the 250th birthday of the United States. Our district is planning to incorporate meaningful study of our country's milestone into our curriculum for next year. If you'd like to get a head start on celebrating, we have included some titles that represent diverse American experiences on our summer reading list.

We look forward to discussing your summer reads in the fall.
Have a great break!

