

**VICTORY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY
SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

**Students entering grades 3-6
2018-19 School Year**

Mini Project on two (2) books:

You must choose a DIFFERENT project for each choice book.

1.

Keep a journal from the perspective of one of the characters in the book. Include at least 8-10 entries. Entries should give specific details about what is happening to the character and how they are feeling.

2.

Interview a character from the book.

You will create 10 questions you would ask this character. You will also give responses to each question as if you were the character.

***** PLEASE REMEMBER*****

YOU MUST ALSO SUBMIT A TYPED OR HANDWRITTEN (NEATLY) SUMMARY OF THE BOOK WHEN YOU HAND THE PROJECT IN!

Be creative!!! You can add artwork and color to make your projects more detailed and interesting.

You will be graded based on your:

Understanding of each book's plot, character, and main ideas.

Use of proper grammar and writing mechanics.

Organization and Clarity Creativity and Imagination.

Neatness.

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BOOK SUGGESTIONS FOR GRADE FIVE GOING INTO GRADE SIX: 6

Prepared in cooperation with HHH community librarians. These lists may be supplemented.

Easy Reads

Barrow, Randi
Byars, Betsy
Creech, Sharon
DiCamillo, Kate
Giff, Patricia Reilly
Hesse, Karen
Konigsburg, E.L.
Lord, Bette
Lowry, Lois
Sachar, Louis
Speare, Elizabeth George

Saving Zasha
The Pinballs
Love That Dog
Because of Winn-Dixie
Pictures of Hollis Woods
The Music of the Dolphins
The View from Saturday
In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson
Number the Stars
Holes
The Sign of the Beaver

Perfect Picks

Avi
Balliett, Blue
Bloor, Edward
Bridges, Ruby
Byars, Betsy
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Choldenko, Gennifer
Coville, Bruce
Cushman, Karen
Feinstein, John
Funke, Cornelia
George, Jean Craighead
Geroge, Jean Craighead
Giff, Patricia Reilly
Hiaasen, Carl
Lasky, Kathryn
Lupica, Mike
Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds
O'Dell, Scott
Paterson, Katherine
Spinelli, Jerry
Van Draanen, Wendelin

Night Journeys
Chasing Vermeer
Tangerine
Through My Eyes
The Pinballs
The Summer of the Swans
Al Capone Does My Shirts
Song of the Wanderer
The Ballad of Lucy Whipple
Last Shot: A Final Four Mystery
Inkheart
Julie of the Wolves
My Side of the Mountain
Lily's Crossing
Flush
The Night Journey
Heat
Shiloh
Island of the Blue Dolphins
The Great Gilly Hopkins
Maniac Magee
Sammy Keyes series

Challenging Reads

Anderson, Laurie Halse
Burnford, Sheila
Clements, Andrew
Creech, Sharon
Curtis, Christopher Paul
Farmer, Nancy
Kadohata, Cynthia
Lewis, C.S.
Lowry, Lois
Schmidt, Gary

Fever 1793
The Incredible Journey
Things Not Seen
Walk Two Moons
Elijah of Buxton
The Sea of Trolls
Kira-Kira
The Chronicles of Narnia series
Gathering Blue
The Wednesday War



