

6th Grade Summer Work

All students entering 6th grade should read Hatchet by Gary Paulsen. Please complete this just before school begins. It will be discussed during the first weeks of school. You will also choose a second novel to read over the summer. This novel should be appropriate for age and reading level. Please do not select a graphic novel.

Assignment: For both books, students should complete a notecard with the title, author, setting, main characters with a brief description, and a very short (2-3 sentences) summary of the book. The notecards will be taken for a grade.

Listed below are a few authors to consider, but you may choose any book you are interested in reading.

Rick Riordan

J.K. Rowling

Jerry Spinelli

Sharon Creech

Christopher Paul Curtis

Margaret Peterson Haddix

C.S. Lewis

Gordan Korman

Mike Lupika

R.J. Palacio

Kwame Alexander

Katherine Applegate

Frank Peretti

Avi

Carolyn Keene

Frank Dixon

E.L. Koningsburg

Gary Schmidt

Wilson Rawls

Biographies of sports figures, missionaries, business leaders, ect.

Non-fiction books of interest

Math

Being fluent in math facts (multiplication and division) is extremely important to be successful in math. A great way to practice is using flashcards. I highly suggest practicing these facts (0-12) at least three times a week. All students should be able to multiply two digit numbers by two digit numbers as well as solve long division problems, with and without remainders.