

**Chocksett Middle School  
Summer Reading Suggested Book List 2019 - Entering Grade 6**

***Students entering grade six at Chocksett Middle School in September will be required to read at least ONE book this summer. The titles on this list are only suggested ones, as I would like students to have options. Below is a suggested list of books and authors that highlight the themes used during the school year. In June, students will be given a handout to be completed as they read the book.***

Themes: Growing Up, Captivating Characters, Overcoming Adversity, and Our World.

*Where the Red Fern Grows* by Wilson Rawls

*Peter Pan* by J.M. Barrie

*Peter and the Starcatchers* by Dave Barry, Ridley Pearson, and Greg Call

*Peter and the Shadow Thieves* by Dave Barry, Ridley Pearson, and Greg Call

*James and the Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl

*Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* by Roald Dahl

*Matilda* by Roald Dahl

*Anne of Green Gables* by Lucy Laud Montgomery

*White Fang* by Jack London

*A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle

*The Percy Jackson Series* by Rick Riordan

*The Heroes of Olympus Series* by Rick Riordan

*The Kane Chronicles Series* by Rick Riordan

*The Land of Stories Series* by Chris Colfer

*The Unwanteds Series* by Lisa McMann

*The Kingdom Keepers Series* by Ridley Pearson

*Ranger's Apprentice Series* by John Flanagan

*Emily Windsnap* (series) Liz Kessler

*Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen

*Esperanza Rising* by Paula Muñoz Ryan

*The Wednesday Wars* by Gary D. Schmidt

*Code Talker* by Joseph Bruchac

*Lily's Crossing* by Patricia Reilly Giff

*Maniac McGee* by Jerry Spinelli

*Little Women* by Louisa May Alcott

*Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse

*The Watsons go to Birmingham* by Christopher Paul Curtis

*Blizzard of Glass: Halifax Explosion of 1917* by Sally M. Walker.

*Walk Two Moons* by Sharon Creech

*Pictures of Hollis Woods* by Patricia Reilly Giff

*Million Dollar Throw* by Mike Lupica

*Hoot* by Carl Hiasen

*Wonder* by R.J. Palacio

*Rules* by Cynthia Lord

*Because of Mr. Terrupt* by Rob Buyea

*Bystander* by James Preller

Suggested Authors:

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Rick Riordan

Roald Dahl

Ray Bradbury

Carl Hiasen

Mike Lupica

J.K. Rowling