Our goal is to promote choice in reading and immerse students in texts that will engage them in thinking critically about the world. Teachers and librarians selected titles that represent a variety of voices, cultures, and perspectives. We recommend students read at least one book off this list or any other book that piques their curiosity. Students do not have a required assignment to complete over their book prior to school starting. However, they should be prepared to discuss their summer reading choices with classmates and teachers when school begins.

We encourage parents and students to read online book reviews to help make the best reading selections for your family. We highly encourage students and parents to read together!

The following online resources provide book summaries and reviews:

www.goodreads.com
www.commonsensemedia.org
www.txla.org
INCOMING 6TH GRADE HONORS ENGLISH AND HONORS DUAL LANGUAGE ENGLISH

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. "Look Both Ways" by Jason Reynolds
2. "Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus" by Dusti Bowling
3. "Peak" by Roland Smith
4. "Charlie Hernández & the League of Shadows" by Karina Miguel
5. "Brown Girl Dreaming" by Jacqueline Woodson
INCOMING 7TH AND 8TH GRADE HONORS ENGLISH
RECOMMENDATIONS
INCOMING 9TH AND 10TH GRADE HONORS ENGLISH RECOMMENDATIONS

- *Stepsister* by Jennifer Donnelly
- *Mythology* by Edith Hamilton
- *Scythe* by Neal Shusterman
- *It's Trevor Noah: Born a Crime* by Trevor Noah
- *Crossing Ebenezer Creek* by Tonya Bolden
INCOMING 11TH AND 12TH GRADE AP AND DUAL CREDIT ENGLISH

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