

Belmont Public Schools & Belmont Public Library SUMMER READING SUGGESTIONS 2021

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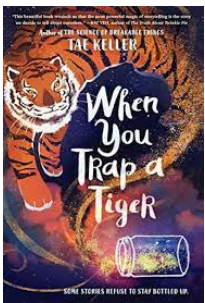
The Summer Reading Lists are a joint project of the Belmont Public Schools and the Belmont Public Library. They are designed to encourage students in Belmont to make reading a habit, raising both their interest in and level of reading.

These books and works from authors are available to view in print and as e-books and e-audio books that can be borrowed free of charge from the Belmont Public Library's collections in Libby and in Hoopla.

Be sure to sign up for the Library's Summer Reading Program starting in late June. The theme this year is Tails and Tales!

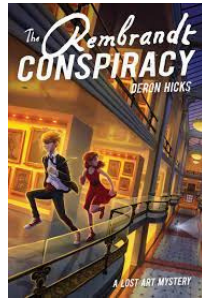


NEW & NOTEWORTHY



2020 Newbury Award Winner
Inspired By Korean Folklore

When You Trap A Tiger



Sequel to The Van Gogh Deception
Can They Stop an Art Theft in Time?

The Rembrandt Conspiracy



Fantasy Graphic Novel
Can One Secret Save a Whole City?

City of Secrets



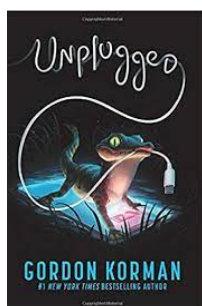
#Own Voices Novel
Blended Family
Midwinter Road Trip

The Sea in Winter



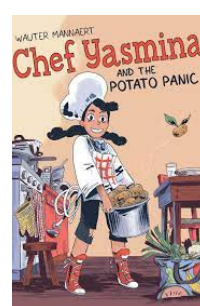
Historical Fiction
Brother & Sister Escape from North Korea

Brother's Keeper



Multiple POVs
Campers Must Stop a Criminal Together

Unplugged



Silly, Action-Packed Graphic Novel
One Chef + Addictive Potatoes = A Necessary Cure

Chef Yasmina and the Potato Panic



#Own Voices Novel
Similar to Percy Jackson

Amari and the Night Brothers

REALISTIC & FUNNY FICTION

^ = series

Alexander, Kwame: *Crossover*^, *Booked*, & others
Applegate, Katherine: *The One and Only Ivan* & others
Allen, Crystal: *Magnificent Mya Tibbs*^
Buyea, Rob: *Mr. Terupt*^ *Perfect Score*^
Cervantes, Angela: *Lety Out Loud*, others
Clements, Andrew: *Frindle* & others
Craft, Jerry: *New Kid*, *Class Act*
DiCamillo, Kate: *Raymie Nightingale* & others
Faruqi, Saadia & Laura Shovan: *A Place at the Table*
Gino, Alex: *George* & others
Gratz, Alan: *Ban This Book* & others
Hunt, Lynda Mullaly: *Shouting at the Rain* & others
Johnson, Cathy G.: *The Breakaways*

Khan, Hena: *Amina's Voice*, *Amina's Song*
Korman, Gordon: *Swindle*^ & others
Libenson, Terri: *Invisible Emmie*^
Lin, Grace: *The Year of the Dog* & others
Lupica, Mike: *Heat* & others
Marks, Janae: *From the Desk of Zoe Washington*
Miller, Kayla: *Click*^
Medina, Meg: *Merci Suárez Changes Gears*^
Reynolds, Jason: *Track*^ & others
Sachar, Louis: *Wayside School*^ & others
Schmidt, Gary: *Pay Attention*, *Carter Jones* & others
Shang, Wendy Wan-Long: *The Great Wall of Lucy Wu*
Tan, Susan: *Cilla Lee Jenkins*^

FANTASY, SCIENCE FICTION, MYSTERY, & ADVENTURE

Baillet, Blue: *Chasing Vermeer*^
Braillier, Max: *Last Kids on Earth*^
Brown, Peter: *The Wild Robot*^
Carter, Ally: *Winterborne Home for Vengeance* & *Valor*^
Chokshi, Roshani: *Aru Shah*^
Colfer, Chris: *The Land of Stories*^
Dasgupta, Sayantani: *Kiranmala and the Kingdom Beyond*^
Eager, Edward: *Half Magic* & others
Gibbs, Stuart: *Spy School*^ *Fun Jungle*^ & others
Grabenstein, Chris: *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library*^ & others
Hernandez, Carlos: *Sal & Gabi Break the Universe**
Hicks, Deron: *Lost Art Mysteries*^
Hunter, Erin: *Warriors*^
Ibbotson, Eva: *Secret of Platform 13* & others

Johnson, Varian: *The Parker Inheritance*
Kibuishi, Kazu: *Amulet*^
King, A.S.: *Me and Marvin Gardens*
Lee, Yoon Ha: *Dragon Pearl*
L'Engle, Madeline: *Wrinkle in Time*^ & others
Lewis, C.S.: *The Chronicles of Narnia*^
Lin, Grace: *Where the Mountain Meets the Moon*^
Mbalia, Kwame: *Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky*^
Milford, Kate: *Greenglass House*^
Mull, Brandon: *Fablehaven*^
Ponti, James: *City Spies*^
Riordan, Rick: *Percy Jackson & the Olympians*^ & others
Rowling, J.K.: *Harry Potter*^
Stewart, Trenton Lee: *The Mysterious Benedict Society*^
Sutherland, Tui: *Wings of Fire*^ & others
Wells, Marcia: *Eddie Red Undercover*^

HISTORICAL FICTION

Bradley, Kimberly B.: *The War That Saved My Life*^,
Jefferson's Sons
Choldenko, Gennifer: *Al Capone at Alcatraz*^
Curtis, Christopher P.: *Bud Not Buddy*, others
Erdrich, Louise: *Birchbark House*^
Gemeihart, Dan: *Some Kind of Courage*
Hiranandani, Veera: *The Night Diary*
Holm, Jennifer: *Turtle in Paradise* & others

Kelly, Erin E.: *We Dream of Space*, others
Miller, Sarah: *Miss Spitfire: Reaching Helen Keller*
Park, Linda Sue: *Prairie Lotus*, *Keeping Score*, others
Preus, Margi: *Heart of a Samurai*
Ryan, Pam Muñoz: *Echo* & others
Tarshis, Lauren: *I Survived*^
Williams-Garcia, Rita: *One Crazy Summer*^
Woodson, Jacqueline: *Brown Girl Dreaming*

NON-FICTION

Corrigan, Sophie: *The NOT Bad Animals*
De Laurentiis Johnston, Julia: *Her Epic Adventure: 25 Daring Women Who Inspire a Life Less Ordinary*
Lowry, Lois: *Over the Horizon*
Messner, Kate: *History Smashers*^

Soontornvat, Christina: *All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team*
Various Authors: *Who Was?*^, *What Was?*^, *Where Is?*^
Various: *Science Comics*^
Zachman, Kim: *There's No Ham in Hamburgers*