## Belmont Public Schools & Belmont Public Library

# **SUMMER READING SUGGESTIONS 2022**

GRADES

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.

These titles reflect only a fraction of the 30,000+ titles in our children's collection. Please contact our library staff in person or online for individualized recommendations for your child and family.

Be sure to sign up for the Library's Summer Reading Program starting in late June. The theme this year is Read Beyond the Beaten Path!



## **NEW & NOTEWORTHY**



Too Bright

The Sheep,

The Rooster,

and the Duck

2021 Newbury: Honor Book

Chilling, Suspense-Filled Ghost Story

Humorous •

Historical

Can This

Animal

Trio Save

The World?

to See

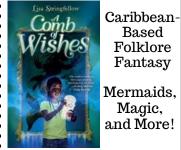


The Edge of the Ocean





A Comb



Based

Folklore

**Fantasy** 

Magic,

Graphic

Novel

Sequel

Can

Learning

Magic be

of Wishes



Honest June





Fun?! Witches of

**Brooklyn:** What the Hex?!

### **AUTHOR SPOTLIGHT!**

Kwame Alexander Katherine Applegate

Kimberly Brubaker Bradley

Roshani Chokshi

Kate DiCamillo

Stuart Gibbs

Erin Entrada Kelly

Gordon Korman

Grace Lin

Kate Messner

Linda Sue Park

Jason Reynolds

Rick Riordan

Tui Sutherland

Jacqueline Woodson

#### **REALISTIC & FUNNY FICTION**

Allen, Crystal: Magnificent Mya Tibbs^

Bruchac, Joseph: Rez Dogs

Buyea, Rob: Mr. Terupt^, Perfect Score^ Caprera, Rebecca: Worst Case Collin Cervantes, Angela: Lety Out Loud, others Clements, Andrew: Frindle & others

Connor, Leslie: Anybody Here Seen Frenchie?

Craft, Jerry: New Kid & Class Act Day, Christine: A Sea in Winter Dimopoulos, Elaine: Turn the Tide

Fipps, Lisa: Starfish

Gino, Alex: Melissa & others

Guerrero, Tanya: All You Knead is Love & others Hunt, Lynda Mullaly: Shouting at the Rain & others Khan, Hena: Amina's Voice, Amina's Song Korman, Gordon: Swindle^& others Libenson, Terri: Invisible Emmie^ Lupica, Mike: Heat & others

Marks, Janae: A Soft Place to Land & others

Miller, Kayla: Click<sup>^</sup>

Otheguy, Emma: Sofia Acosta Makes a Scene 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<sup>^</sup>

Yang, Kelly: New From Here & others

Yee, Lisa: Maizy Chen's Last Chance  $\operatorname{\mathcal{E}}$  others

## **FANTASY, SCIENCE FICTION, MYSTERY & ADVENTURE**

Alston, B.B.: Amari and the Night Brothers

Barnhill, Kelly: The Girl Who Drank the Moon & others

Braillier, Max: Last Kids on Earth<sup>^</sup> Brown, Peter: The Wild Robot<sup>^</sup> Case, Jonathan: Little Monarchs Clayton, Dhonielle: The Marvellers Colfer, Chris: The Land of Stories<sup>^</sup>

Dasgupta, Sayantani: Kiranmala and the Kingdom Beyond<sup>^</sup>

Eager, Edward: Half Magic & others

Grabenstein, Chris: Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's

Library<sup>8</sup> others

Hale, Shannon: Amethyst: Princess of GemWorld Hernanadez, Carlos: Sal & Gabi Break the Universe\*

Hicks, Deron: Lost Art Mysteries^

Ibbotson, Eva: Secret of Platform 13 & others

Johnson, Varian: The Parker Inheritance

Kibuishi, Kazu: Amulet<sup>^</sup>

L'Engle, Madeline: A Wrinkle in Time

Lee, Yoon Ha: Dragon Pearl

Lewis, C.S.: The Chronicles of Narnia<sup>^</sup> Maguire, Gregory: Cress Watercress

Mbalia, Kwame: Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky<sup>^</sup>

Milford, Kate: Greenglass House<sup>^</sup> Mull, Brandon: Fablehaven<sup>^</sup>

Murray, James S. & Carsen Smith: Area 51 Interns

Ponti, James: City Spies^

Prineas, Sarah: The Trouble in the Stars<sup>^</sup>

Randall, Julian: Pilar Ramirez and the Escape from Zafa

Wells, Marcia: Eddie Red Undercover<sup>^</sup>

Yogis, Jaimal: City of Dragons

#### **HISTORICAL FICTION**

Atkins, Jeannine: Hidden Powers: Lise Meitner's Call to Science

Avi: Loyalty & Others

Brown, Waka T: Dream, Annie, Dream Castellanos, Alexis: Isla to Island

Choldenko, Gennifer: Al Capone at Alcatraz^ Curtis, Christopher P.: Bud Not Buddy, others

Erdrich, Louise: Birchbark House<sup>^</sup> Gemeinhart, Dan: Some Kind of Courage

Gratz, Alan: Refugee & others

Hiranandani, Veera: The Night Diary Holm, Jennifer: Turtle in Paradise & others

Miller, Sarah: Miss Spitfire: Reaching Helen Keller

Paulsen, Gary: Northwind

Preus, Margi: Heart of a Samurai Ryan, Pam Muñoz: Echo & others

Tarshis, Lauren: I Survived<sup>^</sup> Torres, J: Stealing Home

Williams-Garcia, Rita: One Crazy Summer^

#### **NON-FICTION**

Crossley-Holland, Kevin: Across the Rainbow Bridge:

Stories of Norse Gods and Humans

Elliot, Victoria Grace: Yummy: A History of Desserts

Erre, Fabrice: Magical History Tours^

Kirkwood, Kathlyn: Ain't Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me 'Round

Lazar, Tara: Absurd Words

Soontornvat, Christina: All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave

Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team

Various Authors: Who Was?<sup>^</sup>, What Was?<sup>^</sup>, Where Is?<sup>^</sup>

Various: Science Comics<sup>^</sup>