

Henry County Middle Schools' Summer Reading List

***The books on the following list are appropriate for rising 6 – 8 grade students.

A Day No Pigs Would Die by Robert Newton Peck
A Long Way from Chicago by Richard Peck
Among the Hidden by Margaret Peterson Haddix
Another Season by Gene Stallings
A Wind in the Door by Madeleine L'Engle
Behind the Rebel Lines by Seymour Reit
Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis
Burning Up by Caroline Cooney
Caddie Woodlawn by Carol Brink
Cheaper by the Dozen by Ernestine Gilbreth
Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul
Crash by Jerry Spinelli
Danny the Champion of the World by Ronald Dahl
Dacey's Song by Cynthia Voight
Driver's Ed by Caroline Cooney
Fever 1793 by Laurie Anderson
Freak the Mighty by W.R. Philbreak
Great Gilly Hopkins by Katherine Paterson
Hatchet by Gary Paulsen
Jacob Have I Loved by Katherine Paterson
Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key by Jack Gantos
Knights of the Kitchen Table by Scieszka and Smith
Loch by Paul Zindel
Monster by Walter Dean Myers
New Moon Rising by Eugenia Price
Night of the Twisters by Ivy Ruckman
Poppy by Avi
Read for the Summit by Pat Summit
Redwall series by Brian Jacques
Roll of Thunder, Hear my Cry by Mildred D Taylor
Ryan White, My Own Story by Ryan White
Scribbler of Dreams by Mry Pearson
Snow Treasure by Marie McSwigan
The Cay by Theodore Taylor
The Color of My Words by Lynn Jose
The Light in the Forest by Conrad Richter
The Power of Un by Nancy Etchemendy
The Miracle Worker by William Gibson
The Ransom of Mercy Carter by Caroline Cooney
The Secret at Platform 13 by Eva Ibbotson
The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett
The Tales of Narnia by C.S. Lewis
The Watsons Go to Birmingham by Christopher Paul Curtis
The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin
Tuesdays with Morrie by Mitch Albom
Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech
Where the Lilies Bloom by Vera and Bill Cleaver
