

ROCKLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS
JOHN W. ROGERS MIDDLE SCHOOL
SUMMER READING 2021
ENTERING GRADE 6



Select **one book** from the list below. Complete the question sheet about the book.

Genres	Possible books
Realistic Fiction	<i>Front Desk</i> by Kelly Yang <i>Firegirl</i> by Tony Abbott <i>Because of Mr. Terupt</i> by Rob Buyea <i>The Fourteenth Goldfish</i> by Jennifer Holm
Historical Fiction/ Nonfiction	<i>Beyond the Bright Sea</i> by Lauren Wolk <i>A Night Divided</i> by Jennifer Nielsen <i>Lifeboat 12</i> by Susan Hood <i>The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind</i> by William Kamkwamba <i>Lost in the Pacific, 1942</i> by Tod Olson
Mystery	<i>The Parker Inheritance</i> by Varian Johnson <i>Masterminds</i> by Gordon Korman <i>The London Eye Mystery</i> by Siobhan Dowd <i>The Secret Lake</i> by Karen Inglis
Fantasy/ Science Fiction	<i>The Wild Robot</i> by Peter Brown <i>The Girl Who Drank the Moon</i> by Kelly Regan Barnhill <i>The First Last Day</i> by Dorian Cirrone <i>Spy School</i> by Stuart Gibbs

ENTERING GRADE 6: Requirement

Title of book _____

Author _____

PART 1: Answer the questions below about your **Book #2 selection**. These responses will count as a homework grade for Term 1. Attach additional paper if needed.

1. Identify the main character in the story. Describe what the character is like at the beginning of the story and explain how the character changes. What causes this change? Write a paragraph of at least 5 sentences.

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2. Select a memorable passage of **no more than three sentences**. Fill in the chart below.

<p>Copy word for word the short passage you think is worth remembering. Page _____</p>	<p>Explain why you have chosen this passage from the book. Write at least 3 sentences.</p>
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Choice 1: Create a Google Presentation

- Choice 2:** Were you unhappy with the way the book ended? **Write an alternate (different) ending** for the book. (1-2 pages of writing)

- ### Choice 3: Book Report in a Bag

- Decorate the front of a shopping bag with the title, author, and scene from the book.
- Choose 5 items that represent something from the book. Be prepared to share and explain why you selected these items.
- Write a paragraph to explaining why each piece was important to the novel
- Complete sentences, proper grammar, spelling, capitalization, punctuation