

Sixth Grade Summer Reading

Reading over the summer is an important part of making sure you are exercising your brains and keeping your curiosity piqued in preparation for the upcoming school year.

While we hope you will choose many good books to read over the summer break, all 6th graders are required to read the following book prior to the beginning of school:

Seedfolks by Paul Fleischman

In addition to Seedfolks, please choose one other book by one of the authors we will be reading in 6th grade: Katherine Paterson, Lawrence Yep, Paul Fleischman, or Lois Lowry.

Please do **not** read these titles, as we will be reading these together over the course of the school year: Dragonwings, Master Puppeteer, and The Giver.

Seedfolks will be discussed at the beginning of the school year. It will be the basis of much of the humanities curriculum first quarter. It is suggested for you to take notes for each chapter, to include character descriptions, main ideas, your favorite quotes, opinions, connections, or questions.

Later in the school year you will do an author study based on the author you chose to read over the summer.