



PKMS 2022-23 Summer Reading List:

Click the link above for more information about the books on the list.

Every Rising 6th, 7th, & 8th grade students should pick ONE book from this list to read & be prepared to discuss once school begins. Once schedules have been released, be on the look-out for a Google Form to complete with the name of the book you've read, your grade level, & your ELA teacher.

1. *All He Knew* by Helen Frost
2. *Alone* by Megan Freeman
3. *Amari and the Night Brothers* by B.B. Alston
4. *The Brave* by James Bird
5. *The Canyon's Edge* by Dusti Bowling
6. *City Spies* by James Ponti
7. *Cleo Porter and the Body Electric* by Jake Burt
8. *Closer to Nowhere* by Ellen Hopkins
9. *Dress Coded* by Carrie Firestone
10. *Fighting Words* by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
11. *Ground Zero* by Alan Gratz *Rising GT 7th Graders Please DO NOT read this -it will be an in-class book next year
12. *The In-Between* by Rebecca K.S. Ansari
13. *Measuring Up* by Lily Lamotte
14. *Santiago's Road Home* by Alexandra Diaz
15. *The Shape of Thunder* by Jasmine Warga
16. *Starfish* by Lisa Fipps
17. *The Stitches* by Lorien Lawrence
18. *Tune It Out* by Jamie Sumner
19. *Turtle Boy* by M. Evan Wolkenstain
20. *Twins* by Varian Johnson
21. **STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR ENGLISH I (Rising 8th Grade GT):** *The Iliad* by Gareth Hinds (Graphic Novel)