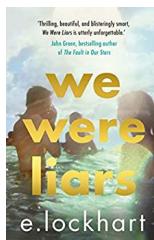
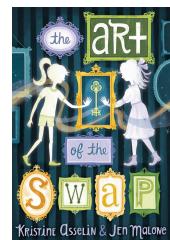
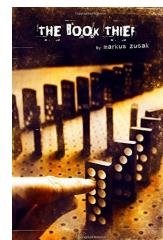
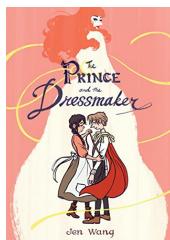


# 8th Grade

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## SUMMER READING LIST



### Fantasy & Sci-Fi

**The Last Cuentista**  
by Donna Barba Higuera

**All the Impossible Things**  
by Lindsay Lackey

**Warcross**  
by Marie Lu

**Egg & Spoon**  
by Gregory Maguire

**The Unwanteds**  
by Lisa McMann

**Miles Morales: Spiderman**  
by Jason Reynolds

### Graphic Novels

**The Graveyard Book**  
by Neil Gaiman

**The Girl from the Sea**  
by Molly Knox Ostertag

**The Prince and the Dressmaker**  
by Jen Wang

**Pumpkinheads**  
by Rainbow Rowell

### Historical Fiction

**The Boy Who Dared**  
by Susan Bartoletti

**The True Adventures of Nicolo Zen**  
by Nicholas Christopher

**The Light Between Us**  
by Andrew Fukuda

**Samurai Shortstop**  
by Alan Graz

**True North**  
by Kathryn Laskey

**The Door of No Return**  
by Sarah Mussi

**Bound**  
by Donna Jo Napoli

**Resistance**  
by Jennifer Nielsen

**Echo**  
by Pam Muñoz Ryan

**Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy**  
by Gary Schmidt

**I Must Betray You**  
by Ruta Sepetys

**X: A Novel**  
by Ilyasah Shabazz

**Paperboy**  
by Vince Vawter

**White Rose**  
by Kip Wilson

**The Book Thief**  
by Markus Zusak

### Local Author

**The Art of the Swap**  
by Kristine Carlson Asselin

**Falling for Wonder Boy**  
by Kristine Carlson Asselin

### Mystery & Thriller

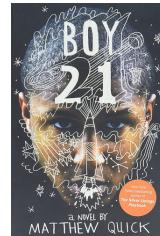
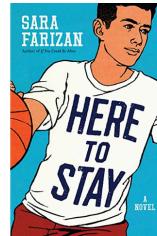
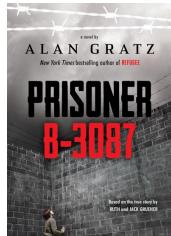
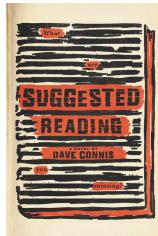
**Warrior Girl Unearthed**  
by Angeline Boulley

**We Were Liars**  
by E. Lockhart

**Two Can Keep a Secret**  
by Karen M. McManus

**My Flawless Life**  
by Yvonne Woon

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### The Girls I've Been

by Tess Sharpe

### Sadie

by Courtney Summers

## Realistic Fiction

### The Line Tender

by Kate Allen

### Suggested Reading

by Dave Connis

### The Chocolate War

by Robert Cormier

### Whale Talk

by Chris Crutcher

### Don't Ask Me Where

### I'm From

by Jennifer De Leon

### Turtles All the Way

### Down

by John Green

### Code of Honor

by Alan Gratz

### Prisoner B-3087

by Alan Gratz

### Allies

by Alan Gratz

### What About Will

by Ellen Hopkins

### The Namesake

by Jhumpa Lahiri

### Touching Spirit Bear

by Ben Mikaelson

### Where the Crawdads Sing

by Delia Owns

### How High the Moon

by Karyn Parsons

### The Not-So-Star-Spangled

### Life of Sunita Sen

by Mitali Perkins

### As Brave As You

by Jason Reynolds

### Look Both Ways

by Jason Reynolds

### Aristotle and Dante

### Discover the Secrets

### of the Universe

by Benjamin Alire Saenz

### Orbiting Jupiter

by Gary Schmidt

### The Pearl

by John Steinbeck

### Finding Perfect

by Elly Swartz

### This One Summer

by Mariko Tamaki

### Concrete Rose

by Angie Thomas

### The Hate U Give

by Angie Thomas

### On the Come Up

by Angie Thomas

## Romance

### Redwood and Ponytail

by K.A. Holt

### Give Me A Sign

by Anna Sortino

### A Very Large Expanse of Sea

by Tahereh Mafi

### The Summer of Broken Rules

by K.L. Walther

### Love & Gelato

by Jenna Evans Welch

## Sports Fiction

### Here to Stay

by Sara Farizan

### The Walk On

by John Feinstein

### Rez Ball

by Byron Graves

### Heat

by Mike Lupica

### Boost

by Catherine Mackel

### Dairy Queen

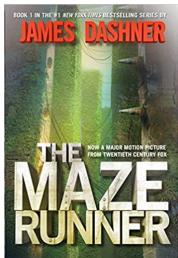
by Catherine Murdoch

### Boy 21

by Matthew Quick

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## Fiction Series



**The Maze Runner**  
by James Dashner

- 1 - The Maze Runner**
- 2 - The Scorch Trials**
- 3 - The Death Cure**
- Prequel 1 - The Kill Order**
- Prequel 2 - The Fever Code**

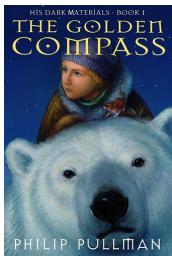
Dystopia, Sci-Fi



**One of Us Is Lying**  
by Karen M. McManus

- 1 - One of Us Is Lying**
- 2 - One of Us Is Next**
- 3 - One of Us Is Back**

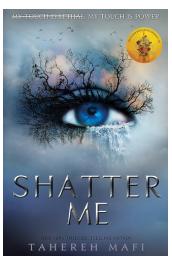
Mystery, Thriller



**His Dark Materials**  
by Philip Pullman

- 1 - The Golden Compass**
- 2 - The Subtle Knife**
- 3 - The Amber Spyglass**

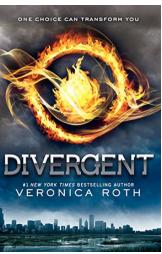
Fantasy



**Shatter Me**  
by Tahereh Mafi

- 1 - Shatter Me**
- 2 - Unravel Me**
- 3 - Ignite Me**
- 4 - Restore Me**
- 5 - Defy Me**
- 6 - Imagine Me**

Fantasy, Sci-Fi



**Divergent**  
by Veronica Roth

- 1 - Divergent**
- 2 - Insurgent**
- 3 - Allegiant**

Dystopia, Sci-Fi

## Non-Fiction

**Sugar Changed the World**  
by Marc Aronson

**Tasting the Sky: A Palestinian Childhood**  
by Ibtisam Bakarat

**Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow**  
by Susan Bartoletti

**March Forward, Girl**  
by Melba Pattillo Beals

**Courage to Soar: A Body in Motion, A Life in Balance**  
by Simone Biles

**Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different**  
by Karen Blumenthal

**Can't Stop Won't Stop**  
by Jeff Chang and Dave Cook

**Enchanted Air**  
by Margarita Engle

**The Woman All Spies Fear: Code Breaker Elizabeth Smith Friedman and Her Hidden Life**  
by Amy Butler Greenfield

**Unbroken (Young Adult Adaptation)**  
by Lauren Hillenbrand

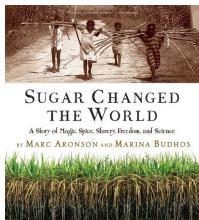
**American Murderer: The Parasite that Haunted the South**  
by Gail Jarrow

**Hana's Suitcase: A True Story**  
by Karen Levine

**The Greatest: Muhammad Ali**  
by Walter Dean Myers

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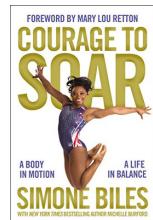
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A Story of Slug, Spice, Slavery, Freedom, and Science

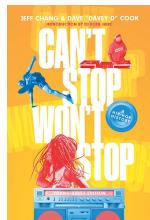
by MARC ARONSON and MARINA BUDHOS



### COURAGE TO SOAR

A BODY IN MOTION A LIFE IN BALANCE

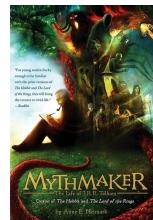
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### CAN'T STOP WON'T STOP

BY JEFF CHANG & DAVE 'DAVE D' COOK

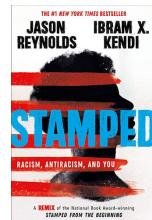
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### MYTHMAKER

Center of The Hobbit and The Lord of the Rings

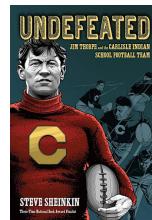
by JASON REYNOLDS



### STAMPED

RACISM, ANTI-RACISM, AND YOU

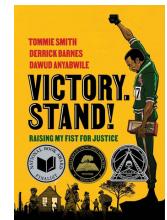
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### UNDEFEATED

JIM THORPE AND THE CARLISLE INDIAN SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

by STEVE SHEINKIN



### Victory. Stand!

RAISING MY FIST FOR JUSTICE

BY TOMMIE SMITH, DERRICK RAUNES, DAVID ANTAPKILIAN

### An American Plague

by Jim Murphy

### Myth Maker: J.R.R. Tolkien

by Anne Niemark

### Four Perfect Pebbles

by Lila Perl

### Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You

by Jason Reynolds

### Bomb: The Race to Build -and Steal- the World's Most Dangerous Weapon\*

by Steven Sheinkin

### The Port Chicago 50: Disaster, Mutiny, and the Fight for Civil Rights

by Steven Sheinkin

### Undefeated: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian School Football Team

by Steven Sheinkin

### Victory. Stand!: Raising My Fist for Justice\*

by Tommie Smith

### Just Mercy (Young Adult Adaptation)

by Bryan Stevenson

### Popular: Vintage Wisdom for a Modern Geek

by Maya Van Wagenen

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