

Lower Junior – 7th Grade
2026 Summer Reading Assignment

Dear Parents:

Summer reading is an essential component of your child's education. Consequently, each student must read two books over the summer.

Each student must read the following book. They will be tested on it upon getting back to school.

Spinelli, J. – Stargirl

Each student must also choose **one** book from the following list and write a two-page book report. Include the characters, a brief synopsis of the plot, and note what you liked and did not like about the book, and whether the ending was sufficient.

Frank, Anne- Diary of a Young Girl
Green, Bette- Summer of My German Soldier
Lowry, L. - Gathering Blue
Myers, W.D. - Monster
Neufeld, J. - Lisa Bright and Dark
Saroyan, W. – The Human Comedy
Voight, C. – Homecoming
Knowles, J. - A Separate Piece

Please discuss and share your child's reading. If your child is experiencing difficulty with summer reading, please read with them. This will allow you to spend time with your child. If you would like suggestions for additional reading, do not hesitate to ask your library for help.

Enjoy your reading, and have a terrific summer!

Sincerely,
Ms. Julianna Hopwood

