**Holy Cross School
Summer Reading 2018-2019**

**Students Entering 1st Grade**

Please read any book from the “***Biscuit***” series by Alyssa Satin Capucilli **OR**

Any ***Dr. Seuss*** book

**Students Entering 2nd Grade**

Please read “***Flat Stanley, his Original Adventure***” by Jeff Brown

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**Students Entering 3rd Grade**

Please read “***Charlotte’s Webb***” by E. B. White

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**Students Entering 4th Grade**

Please read “***Summer According to Humphrey***” by Betty G. Birney. Please complete the book report form posted on the school website about this book.

*In addition to* the “Summer According to Humphrey” book please read an
*“****I Survived****” book* by Lauren Tarshis – There are 16 books in this series to choose from

**Assignments due the first day of school. Please print your report neatly.**

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**Students Entering 5th Grade**

Please read “***Way of the Warrior Kid: From Wimpy to Warrior the Navy SEAL Way: A Novel”*** by Jocko Willink
*\*An assignment will be given during school in September\**

Select **one** of the following books to read, and then complete the book commercial form and assignment. This project is due on Friday September 7, 2018!

***“Escape from Mr. Lemoncello’s Library”*** by Chris Grabenstein
***“Aim”*** by Joyce Moyer Hostetter
***“The War That Saved My Life”*** by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley

 **Assignments collected Friday September 7th**

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**Students Entering 6th Grade**

***“Wonder”*** by RJ Palacio

**Free Choice (Choose one of the following – NOT a book you’ve already read!)**

***“Bud Not Buddy”*** by Christopher Paul Curtis
***“Elijah of Buxton”*** by Christopher Paul Curtis
***“The Watson’s Go to Birmingham”*** by Christopher Paul Curtis
***“Al Capone Does My Shirts”*** by Gennifer Choldenko
***“Brown Girl Dreaming”*** by Jacqueline Woodson
***“Upside Down in the middle of Nowhere”*** by Julie T Lamana
***“Rules”*** by Cynthia Lord
***“Walk Two Moons”*** by Sharon Creech
***“Tuck Everlasting”*** by Natalie Babbitt

**Assignments**

* Complete the “My Book Report Form” (front) and “What Do You Think About It”” Questions (back)
* Answers should rephrase the question and be written as complete sentences.
* All writing should be done neatly in print or cursive (NO cross outs!)
* Use correct spelling, punctuation, and capitalization (this will be part of your grade)

**Assignments collected during the first week of school**

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**Students Entering 7th Grade**

***“Fever, 1793”*** by Laurie Halse Anderson

**Free Choice (Choose one of the following – NOT a book you’ve already read!)**

***“Freak the Mighty”*** by Rodman Philbrik
***“A Wrinkle in Time***” by Madeleine L’Engle
***“Heartbeat”*** by Sharon Creech
***“Gone Crazy in Alabama”*** by Rita Williams-Garcia
***“Pictures of Hollis Woods”*** by Patricia Reilly Giff
***“Harris and Me”*** by Gary Paulsen ***“Heat”*** by Mike Lupica
***“Stargirl”*** by Jerry Spinelli

**Assignments**

* Complete the “My Book Report Form” (front) and “What Do You Think About It”” Questions (back)
* Answers should rephrase the question and be written as complete sentences.
* All writing should be done neatly in print or cursive (NO cross outs!)
* Use correct spelling, punctuation, and capitalization (this will be part of your grade)

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**Students Entering 8th Grade**

***“Restart”*** by Gordon Korman

**Free Choice (Choose one of the following – NOT a book you’ve already read!)**

***“Jefferson’s Sons”*** by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley ***“Chains”*** by Laurie Halse Anderson ***“Across Five Aprils”*** by Irene Hunt ***“The River Between Us”*** by Richard Peck
***“The Diary of a Young Girl”*** by Anne Frank
***“The Upstairs Room”*** by Johanna Reiss
***“Projekt 1065”*** by Alan Gratz
***“The Wednesday Wars”*** by Gary D. Schmidt

**Assignments**

* Complete the “My Book Report Form” (front) and “What Do You Think About It”” Questions (back)
* Answers should rephrase the question and be written as complete sentences.
* All writing should be done neatly in print or cursive (NO cross outs!)
* Use correct spelling, punctuation, and capitalization (this will be part of your grade)

**Assignments collected during the first week of school**

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