

Reading List for students entering 7th grade

Selections and authors complement our literature book *Prentice Hall Literature: Penguin Edition, grade 7*

Alexander, Lloyd	<i>The Gawgon and the Boy</i>	Fiction (720L)
Byars, Betsy	<i>The Summer of the Swans</i>	Fiction (830L)
Christie, Agatha	<i>The Mousetrap and Other Plays</i>	Drama (N/A)
Dickens, Charles	<i>Oliver Twist</i>	Fiction (970L)
Dickens, Charles	<i>A Tale of Two Cities</i>	Fiction (1130L)
George, Jean Craighead	<i>My Side of the Mountain</i>	Fiction (810L)
Grove, Vicki	<i>Destiny</i>	Fiction (690L)
Hesse, Karen	<i>Letters from Rifka</i>	Fiction (660L)
Hobbs, Will	<i>Bearstone</i>	Fiction (780L)
Houston, Jeanne Wakatsuki and James D. Houston	<i>Farewell to Manzanar</i>	Nonfiction (1040L)
Kehret, Peg	<i>Don't Tell Anyone</i>	Fiction (670L)
Kipling, Rudyard	<i>The Jungle Book</i>	Fiction (1020L)
Low, Alice	<i>Greek Gods and Heroes</i>	Nonfiction Mythology (990L)
Pinkney, Jerry	<i>Aesop's Fables</i>	Fiction (760L)
Rylant, Cynthia	"Halfway Home" "Planting Things" "A Bad Road for Cats"	Fiction (870L) (short stories)
Sewell, Anna	<i>Black Beauty</i>	Fiction (650L)
Soto, Gary	"The No-Guitar Blues"	Fiction (760L)
Soto, Gary	"Ballet Folklorico" "Ode to Pomegranates" "Pepper Tree"	Poetry
Soto, Gary	<i>A Summer Life</i>	Nonfiction Essays (990L)
Steinbeck, John	<i>The Red Pony</i>	Fiction (810L)
Twain, Mark	<i>The Prince and the Pauper</i>	Fiction (840L)
Wells, H.G.	<i>The Time Machine</i>	Fiction (1070L)
Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Miracle's Boys</i>	Fiction (660L)
Yep, Laurence	<i>Child of the Owl</i>	Fiction (920L)
Yolen, Jane	<i>The Devil's Arithmetic</i>	Fiction (730L)
Zusak, Marcu	<i>The Book Thief</i>	

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