

Suggested Summer Reading for Incoming Eighth Graders

Classics

A Tale of Two Cities By Charles Dickens (870)

Lord of the Flies by William Golding (770)

Fiction

Milkweed By Jerry Spinelli (510)

Touching Spirit Bear by Ben Mikaelson (730)

Suzy and Leah By Jane Yolen

The Maze Runner by James Dasher (770)

Monster by Walter Dean Myers (670)

Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson (990)

Stick and Whittle By Sid Hite (880)

The High Graders By Louis L'Amour (910)

Fever 1793 By Laurie Halse Anderson (580)

Non-fiction

Diary of a Young Girl By Anne Frank (1020)

Freedom Riders: John Lewis and Jim Zwerg on the Front Lines of the Civil Rights Movement
By Ann Bausum (1090)

Helen Keller: Rebellious Spirit by Lauren Lawlor (1040)