

St. Patrick Catholic School
6th-8th Grade Summer Reading 2019

⇒**Book #1**- Choose a fictional book to read in your AR reading range. You may check the AR level of a book using the AR Bookfinder on the school website library page. Write five paragraphs using the following criteria:

1st Paragraph- Explain the setting. Describe how the protagonist, main character, changed in the story. Briefly explain the conflict. (Minimum 5 sentences)

2nd Paragraph- Summarize what happens until the high point of the story, but do not give away the ending. Share enough details to encourage a reader to read the book.

3rd Paragraph- What is the theme, message the author wants you to receive, of the story? Give details from the story to support the theme you chose. (Minimum 5 sentences)

4th Paragraph- Write a paragraph giving your opinion of the book. Use these guidelines: Write about why you liked or disliked the book. Give specific details from the text to support your answer. (Minimum 5 sentences)

5th Paragraph- Explain whether you would recommend this book to students or not. Rate the book from 1-5 stars with five being a really good book. Share examples from the book to support your rating. Include a favorite quote from the book in this paragraph. (Minimum 5 sentences)

⇒**Book #2**- Choose a nonfiction or historical fiction book. Keep a journal for this book. Loose leaf paper is fine for the journal. For each chapter, write a paragraph summarizing what you read. You may want to read a book that will support your social studies for next year.

6th grade United States History 1860-2020

7th grade World Geography and Civics

8th grade Ancient Civilizations-Renaissance

“The more that you read, the more things you will know.

The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.” – Dr. Seuss

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