



The Village Middle School 5th Grade Summer Reading 2024



Happy summer, everyone! Ascending 5th graders are required to read at least three books during the summer break.

Required Book 1 - ALL STUDENTS will read this book

- *City of Ember* by Jeanne DuPrau
 - Please read the chapter book, not the graphic novel.

Required Book 2 - Students choose ONE of the following books

- *Restart* by Gordon Korman
- *Aru Shah and the End of Time* by Roshani Chokshi
- *Grenade* by Alan Gratz

Required Book 3 - Student CHOICE

- Read at least one additional novel or nonfiction book of your choice that is at least 150 pages* (See suggested reading lists below for suggestions)
- You should be prepared to complete a project about this book during the first week of school.

*For electronic versions of books, an Amazon.com search for the printed version of the same title will show the number of pages in the "Product Details" section for the Amazon listing.

Suggested Reading lists:

American Library Association

<http://www.ala.org/alsc/awardsgrants/notalists/ncb>

Texas Library Association

<http://www.txla.org/TBA-nominees>

Houston Area Independent Schools Library Network

http://haisln.org/uploads/3/5/4/4/35445769/grade_5_2018_final.pdf