

# MTPS Summer Reading List for Rising 7-8

## WAMS Suggested Summer Reading

<b><i>The Great Greene Heist</i></b> Varian Johnson	<b><i>Legend</i></b> Marie Lu
<b><i>Winger</i></b> Andrew Smith	<b><i>Not a Drop to Drink</i></b> Mindy McGinnis
<b><i>Swagger</i></b> Carl Deuker	<b><i>Shackleton: Antarctic Odyssey</i></b> Nick Bertozzi
<b><i>The Testing</i></b> Joelle Charbonneau	<b><i>The Girl Who Was Supposed to Die</i></b> April Henry
<b><i>The Clockwork Scarab</i></b> Colleen Gleason	<b><i>This is What Happy Looks Like</i></b> Jennifer E. Smith
<b><i>Invasion</i></b> Walter Dean Myers	<b><i>The Eye of Minds</i></b> James Dashner
<b><i>Geeks, Girls and Secret Identities</i></b> Mike Jung	<b><i>Monster on the Hill</i></b> Rob Harrell
<b><i>Ghost Knight</i></b> Cornelia Funke	<b><i>Out of the Pocket</i></b> Bill Konigsberg
<b><i>Bruised</i></b> Sarah Skilton	<b><i>In the Shadow of Blackbirds</i></b> Cat Winters
<b><i>The Nightmare Affair</i></b> Mindee Arnett	<b><i>Far Far Away</i></b> Tom McNeal
<b><i>Tankborn</i></b> Karen Sandlers	<b><i>Soccerland</i></b> Beth Choat
<b><i>There Will Be Bears</i></b> Ryan Gebhart	<b><i>Pointe</i></b> Brandy Colbert
<b><i>Witness</i></b> Karen Hesse	<b><i>Steelheart</i></b> Brandon Sanderson
<b><i>These Broken Stars</i></b> Amie Kaufman	<b><i>Another Little Piece</i></b> Kate Karyus Quinn
<b><i>Ash</i></b> Malinda Lo	<b><i>Noggin</i></b> John Corey Whaley
<b><i>Rose Under Fire</i></b> Elizabeth Wein	<b><i>Ball Don't Lie</i></b> Matt de la Pena
<b><i>Game (Jasper Dent Series Book II)</i></b> Barry Lyga	<b><i>The Promise of Amazing</i></b> Robin Constantine
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<b><i>The Nazi Hunters: How a Team of Spies and Survivors Captured the World's Most Notorious Nazi</i></b>	<b><i>Nothing Can Possibly Go Wrong</i></b> Prudence Hicks & Faith Erin Hicks

<b>Blended</b> Neal Bascom	<b>Dry</b> Shusterman
<b>After the Shot Drops</b> Ribay	<b>The Season of Styx Malone</b> Magoon
<b>The Librarian of Auschwitz</b> Lasky	<b>Merci Suarez Changes Gear</b> Medina
<b>The Sun is Also a Star</b> Yoon	<b>Every Day</b> Levithan
<b>Swing</b> Alexander	<b>King of Scars</b> Bardugo
<b>Restart</b> Korman	<b>Two Can Keep a Secret</b> McManus
<b>Monument 14 Series</b> Laybourne	<b>The Book Thief</b> Zusak
<b>Between Shades of Gray</b> Sepetya	<b>Neanderthal Opens the Door to the Universe</b> Norton
<b>On the Come Up</b> Thomas	<b>The Fall of Crazy House</b> Patterson
<b>Refugee</b> Gratz	<b>All's Fair in Middle School</b> Jamieson (graphic novel)
<b>Crush</b> Chnakova (graphic novel)	<b>Hey Kiddo</b> Patterson (graphic novel)

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### Note to parents and guardians:

Please understand that the Young Adult umbrella covers a wide age range (12-18 years) and may deal with bullying, racism, addiction, sexuality and gender identification issues, and violence. Only titles that we believed to be appropriate for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>-grade students were included. However, we still suggest that you preview any titles your student requests to read to be sure it is, in fact, content with which you are comfortable as well.

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