

#### Pennsylvania Young Reader's Choice Award Program 2017-2018

#### Grades 6-8

Author Book

Abdul-Jabar, Kareem Sasquatch in the Paint

Bauer, Joan Soar

Chmakova, Svetlana Awkward

Choldenko, Gennifer Chasing Secrets

Collier, Peter Choosing Courage

Columbus, Chris House of Secrets

Hoose, Phillip The Boys Who Challenged Hitler

Jarrow, Gail Bubonic Panic:

When Plague Invaded America

Jones, Harmony

Girl vs. Boy Band: The Right

Track

Korman, Gordon Slacker

Pearsall, Shelley The Seventh Most

Important Thing

Ryan, Pam Munoz Echo

Thomson, Sarah L. Deadly Flowers:

A Ninja's Tale

Unsworth, Tania The One Safe Place

# Eagle View Middle School

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."

- Dr. Seuss

### Summer Reading

2017







#### **FAQs**



#### Requirements



All middle school students are strongly encouraged to read a chapter book during the summer which follows the minimum page requirement.

- Incoming 6th graders:150 pg. minimum
- •Incoming 7th graders: 175 pg. minimum
- •Incoming 8th graders: 200 pg. minimum
- •Students should choose a book they have never read before.
- Prior to returning to school in August, students should complete a "Summer Book Review." Students have been given a copy of this paper, but it is also located on the Eagle View webpage.

#### Why should I participate in the Summer Reading?

- Greater participation opportunities during "Celebrate Reading Day"
- Get an early start on PA Young Reader's Choice Program
- Increase vocabulary
- Improve writing skills
- Improve concentration and focus
- Learn more about other people and cultures
- Self-improvement in many other areas
- Participating students will earn a "ticket" for a lunch treat!

# When do I turn in my "Summer Book Review" and who will be collecting it?

Be prepared with your paper the first day of school. You will be handing it in to your language arts teacher.

## If I read more than one book, do I need to fill out a "Summer Book Review" for all of them?

No. Choose your favorite among the ones you read and complete a "Summer Book Review" for that book.



# How do I find a summer reading book?

- Visit your
   local public
   library
- View the recommended reading list located on the Eagle View webpage
- Visit one of the following websites for suggestions:

#### www.cbcbooks.org/reading\_lists/

(Children's Book Council)

 Reading list for children and teens

#### www.ala.org/yalsa

(yalsa—young adult library services association)

 Booklists available through the American Library Association