What to read…

Everyone has different ideas of what constitutes a “good book.” This summer we’d like you to read what you’d like, with attention to the reading level (grade 8) and/or lexile level (805 and above). This is not to say that you won’t read a little above or a little below this suggestion, but we’d like to see you stretch yourself while also enjoying a good book. PLEASE DO NOT READ A BOOK THAT YOU READ FOR 7TH OR 6TH GRADE (Freak the Mighty, Bud, Not Buddy, etc.)

What NOT to read. . .

There are some literature that we’d rather you NOT read because you may be encountering them in the 8th grade this year: The Giver, Tangerine, The Book Thief, Gathering Blue, Much Ado About Nothing, Farewell to Manzanar, The Diary of Anne Frank.