Grade 6

SUMMER READING
6th Grade Summer Reading List

Requirements: 6th grade students are assigned one book from this list.

Choosing: Descriptions of each book and links to some book trailers are on carver.org. These resources should help in making a wise selection. Students, make sure you are making your selection with a parent or guardian to ensure your book is a good fit for you.

Assessment: Students have participated in the process of generating this list of six titles. In the fall, students will help determine the one most beloved 6th grade summer reading book through their summer reading assessment.

We hope your summer reading book will be part of a wonderful summer!
When thirteen-year-olds Jonah and Chip, who are both adopted, learn they were discovered on a plane that appeared out of nowhere, full of babies with no adults on board, they realize that they have uncovered a mystery involving time travel and two opposing forces, each trying to repair the fabric of time.
Ada has never left her one room apartment -- Her mother is too humiliated by Ada’s twisted foot to let her be seen outside. So when her little brother Jamie is shipped out of London to escape the war, Ada doesn’t waste a minute. She sneaks out to join him.

Ada’s adventure to escape her cruel mother begins!
Told in two voices, Jules, whose father is restoring an abandoned house, and a girl who lived there a century before begin to communicate and slowly, the girl's tragic story is revealed.
Baseball is pretty much 13-year-old Fran's life. At least, since her mother's death a year ago, her love of baseball has kept her grounded. But then there’s her new coach … he’s not too happy that he has a girl on his team.
Jeremy's summer takes an unexpected turn when a mysterious wooden box arrives in the mail. According to the writing on the box, it holds the meaning of life! Jeremy is supposed to open it on his thirteenth birthday. The problem is, the keys are missing, and the box is made so that only the keys will open it without destroying what's inside.
When Ivan, a gorilla who has lived for years in a down-and-out circus-themed mall, meets Ruby, a baby elephant that has been added to the mall, he decides that he must find her a better life.