



The mission of Our Lady of Grace is to provide a Catholic foundation for God’s children through religious and academic education where excellence is expected, discipline is understood, family is valued and social awareness is strengthened.

Middle School Summer Reading

Our Lady of Grace Catholic School

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You will choose 2 different novels to read this summer. This novel must be at an appropriate reading level for your incoming grade (6th, 7th, or 8th). We would certainly love to see you push yourself by selecting a more challenging novel, however, you can choose to remain within your grade level. In other words, there should be no *Big Nate* or *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*.



Summer Reading Project Choices

Directions:

Pick one activity per book from the “Choice Chart” to complete. Remember you are to read 2 books of your choice that are leveled at your incoming grade level. You will submit your projects at the start of school. Good Luck! ☺

<p>Sing It Loud Find a song or a poem that relates to the theme of your book. Explain the similarities.</p>	<p>Travel Brochure Make a travel brochure inviting tourists to visit the setting of the book. What types of activities would there be for them to attend?</p>	<p>Comic Strips Make a comic strip of your story.</p>	<p>Wanted Make a “Wanted” poster for one of the characters or objects in your book. Include the following: (a) a drawing or cut out picture of the character or object (b) a physical description of the character or object (c) the character’s or object’s misdeeds (or deeds) (d) other information about the character or object which is important (e) the reward offered for the capture of the character or object</p>
<p>Collage Make a collage that represents major characters and events in the book you read. Use pictures and words cut from magazines or printed in your collage.</p>	<p>Draw It Out Complete a series of 5 drawings that show five of the major events in the plot of the book you read. Write captions for each drawing so that the illustrations can be understood by someone who did not read the book.</p>	<p>Author Talk Do some research on the hometown of your book’s author. You may be able to find descriptions of his or her home, school, favorite hangouts, etc. What else is of interest in the town? Imagine that you are conducting a tour of the town.</p>	<p>Deep Thinking Complete each of these 8 ideas in a slideshow based on the book you read: (a) This book made me wish that... (b) realize that... (c) decide that... (d) wonder about... (e) see that... (f) believe that... (g) feel that... (h) hope that...</p>