

# Hitch Elementary School

## Junior High Summer Reading List

Incoming 6th-8th grade students, please complete the following reading list this summer. See Ms.Crawford or Ms.Domine if you have any questions. Read at least one book from the nonfiction list and one book from the fiction list. If you'd like to challenge yourself, complete the tic-tac-toe board on the back OR read the entire list!

You will have to do a project about one of these books your first week back at school.

### Nonfiction List- read at least one

“Who Was Alexander Graham Bell?” by Bonnie Bader

“Four Perfect Pebbles: A True Story of the Holocaust” by Lila Perl

“Hidden Figures: Young Readers’ Edition” by Margot Lee Shetterly

### Fiction List- read at least one

“The Crossover” by Kwame Alexander

“Ungifted” by Gordon Korman

“Powerless” by Matthew Cody

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## Tic Tac Toe Box

Ask a friend or family member for a book recommendation & read that book.	Read a book that was set in Chicago or is about Chicago, then visit that neighborhood or location.	Write your own fiction or nonfiction book.
Read a book in your favorite genre.	Read at least one fiction & one nonfiction book from the Junior High Summer Reading List.	Read a book in your least favorite genre.
Read a book with a friend or family member & meet up to discuss the book.	Write an online review of a book you read this summer. (try <a href="http://goodreads.com">goodreads.com</a> or <a href="http://amazon.com">amazon.com</a> )	Visit a library or bookstore you've never been to and check out or purchase a new book.

If you complete a tic-tac-toe OR all of the boxes, bring your board in with proof of completion the first week of school for extra credit in Language Arts class!