



**SHADY SIDE**  
ACADEMY

Middle School  
Summer Reading  
2018

**FORM I (7<sup>th</sup> Grade) Summer Reading List**

Directions: The Outsiders is required reading for all Form I students. Choose three additional titles from at least two different genres on the list. We would love it if you read even more than four books from the list.

**All-Form Book**

Hinton, S.E.                      The Outsiders

**Hot Off the Press! New Books**

Alexander, Kawame            Rebound  
Gratz, Alan                      Refugee  
Wolk, Lauren                  Beyond the Bright Sea

**Classics**

Bradbury, Ray                 Martian Chronicles  
Lewis, C.S.                     The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe  
London, Jack                 The Call of the Wild  
Spere, Elizabeth George     The Witch of Blackbird Pond  
Steinbeck, John               The Pearl

**Fantasy**

Chainani, Soman              The School for Good & Evil or its sequels  
Kagawa, Julie                 The Iron King or its sequels  
Nielsen, Jennifer A.         Mark of the Thief or its sequel  
Peet, Mal                        Keeper  
Rudden, Dave                 Knights of the Borrowed Dark or sequel  
Sanderson, Brandon         The Rithmatist  
Sands, Kevin                 The Blackthorn Key or any in the series

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### **Science Fiction**

Card, Orson Scott	<u>Ender's Game</u> or its sequels
Charbonneau, Joelle	<u>The Testing</u> or its sequels
Condie, Ally	<u>Matched</u> or its sequels
Holyoke, Polly	<u>The Neptune Project</u> or sequel
Pfeffer, Susan Beth	<u>Life as We Knew It</u> or its sequels
Westerfield, Scott	<u>Uglies</u> or its sequels

### **General Fiction**

Gidwitz, Adam	<u>The Inquisitor's tale</u>
Herrera, Robin	<u>Hope is a Ferris Wheel</u>
Korman, Gordon	<u>Pop</u>
Mass, Wendy	<u>Every Soul a Star</u>
Reynolds, Jason	<u>Ghost</u> or its sequels
Smith, Roland	<u>Peak</u>
Sonnenblick, Jordan	<u>Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pie</u> or sequel
Stead, Rebecca	<u>Goodbye Stranger</u>
Woodson, Jacqueline	<u>Feathers</u>

### **Historical Fiction**

Blackwood, Gary	<u>Curiosity</u>
Dumas, Fioozeh	<u>It Ain't So Awful, Falafel</u>
Nielsen, Jennifer	<u>A Night Divided</u>
Ryan, Pam Muñoz	<u>Esperanza Rising</u>
Senzai, N. H.	<u>Shooting Kabul</u> or its sequel
Smith, Sherri	<u>Flygirl</u>
Tingle, Tim	<u>How I Became A Ghost – A Choctaw Trail of Tears Story</u>

### **Mystery/Adventure**

Christie, Agatha	<u>And Then There Were None</u>
Doyle, Arthur Conan	<u>The Hound of the Baskervilles</u>
Feinstein, John	<u>Rush for the Gold</u>
Gavin, Rohan	<u>Knightley &amp; Son</u>
Haines, Kathryn Miller	<u>The Girl is Murder</u> or its sequel
Hobbs, Will	<u>Ghost Canoe</u>
Wolk, Lauren	<u>Wolf Hollow</u>

## Nonfiction/Memoir

Grandin, Temple	<u>Calling All Minds</u>
Hopkinson, Deborah	<u>Titanic: Voices from the Disaster</u>
Jiang, Ji-Li	<u>Red Scarf Girl</u>
Leyson, Leon	<u>The Boy on the Wooden Box</u>
Sheinkin, Steve	<u>The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of Adventure, Heroism and Treachery</u>
Sheinkin, Steve	<u>Undefeated: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian School Football Team</u>