Summer Reading Together

This summer, all 6th graders will read
Sal and Gabi Break the Universe by Carlos Hernandez

7th graders will read
March by John Lewis

8th graders will read
Science of Breakable Things by Tae Kelle

Fiction

Amina’s Voice .............................................. Khan
Ancestor Approved .................................. ed. by Smith
The Best At It ........................................... Pancholy
Black Boy Joy ........................................... ed. by Mbalia
As Brave As You ...................................... Reynolds
The Chance to Fly .................................... Stoker
Click’d ..................................................... Stone
Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora ...................... Cartaya
Fast Pitch ............................................... Stone
Finding Junie Kim ................................... Oh
From the Desk of Zoe Washington .......... Marks
Genesis Begins Again .............................. Williams
I Can Make This Promise ......................... Day
King and the Dragonflies ......................... Callender
The Last Last-Day-of-Summer ................. Giles
Lupe Wong Won’t Dance ......................... Higuera
Maizy Chen’s Last Chance ....................... Yee
The Many Meanings of Meilan .................. Wang
The Only Black Girls in Town ................. Colbert
Operation Sisterhood ................................ Rhuday-Perkovich
Other Words for Home ............................. Warga
Playing the Cards You’re Dealt .................. Johnson
The Season of Styx Malone ....................... Magoon
Stand Up, Yumi Chung .......................... Kim
Starfish .................................................. Fipps
Take Back the Block ............................... Giles
Thanks A Lot, Universe ........................... Lucas
Too Bright to See ..................................... Lukoff
Yusuf Azeem Is Not A Hero ....................... Faruqi

Science Fiction & Fantasy

Amari and the Night Brothers .................. Allston
Amira & Hamza: The War to Save the Worlds . Ahmed
The Insiders ........................................... Oshiro
The Last Cuentista ................................... Higuera
Paola Santiago and the River of Tears ........ Mejia
The Serpent’s Secret ............................... DasGupta
Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky (series) ... Mbiala

Mystery

City Spies (series) ................................. Ponti
Goldie Vance: The Hotel Whodunit .......... Rivera
The Parker Inheritance ......................... Johnson
Pepper’s Rules for Secret Sleuthing .......... McDonald
A Soft Place to Land .............................. Marks

Legends, Myths, and Poetry

Across the Rainbow Bridge: Stories of Norse Gods and Humans .... Crossley-Holland
Cool Salsa: Bilingual Poems on Growing Up Latino in the United States ....... ed. by Carlson
Dictionary for a Better World: Poems, Quotes, and Anecdotes .......... Latham & Waters
Dreams From Many Rivers: A Hispanic History of the United States Told in Poems ...... Engle
Legacy: Women Poets of the Harlem Renaissance .......... Grimes
Percy Jackson’s Greek Heroes .................. Riordan
The Sea-Ringed World: Sacred Stories of the Americas .................. Garcia Esperón
We Rise. We Resist. We Raise Our Voices... Hudson & Hudson
Woke: A Young Poet’s Call to Justice ............ Browne

Informational Books

All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys’ Soccer Team .......... Soontornvat
Courage Has No Color: The True Story of the Triple Nickels, America’s First Black Paratroopers .......... Stone
Destination Moon: The Remarkable and Improbable Voyage of Apollo 11 ........ Maurer
Fallout: Spies, Superbombs, and the Ultimate Cold War Showdown ................... Sheinkin
How to Change Everything (the Young Humans’ Guide) Klein Science Comics series .................................. various authors
Trapped: How the World Rescued 33 Miners from 2,000 Feet Below in the Chilean Desert .......... Aronson
Women Artists A to Z ................................ Labarge

Graphic Novels

Borders ................................................. King
The Legend of Auntie Po ........................ Yin Khor
Measuring Up ........................................ LaMotte
Miles Morales Shock Waves .................. Reynolds
New Kid and Class Act ......................... Craft
Rabbit Chase ........................................ LaPansée
Swim Team ........................................... Christmas

Biography & Autobiography

African Icons: Ten People Who Shaped History ...... Baptiste
Bee Fearless: Dream Like A Kid ................... Ulmer
Defiant: Growing Up in the Jim Crow South ........ Hudson
Life in Motion: An Unlikely Ballerina (Young Reader’s Edition) .......... Copeland
March Forward, Girl: From Young Warrior to Little Rock Nine .................................. Beals
Maya Lin: Thinking with Her Hands ............. Rubin
Nuestra América: 30 Inspiring Latinas/Latinos ... Vourvoulis
Ordinary Hazards ................................... Grimes
Reach for the Skai: How to Inspire, Empower, and Clapback ......................... Jackson
Someone Like Me: How One Undocumented Girl Fought for her American Dream .......... Arce
Speak Up, Speak Out!: The Extraordinary Life of “Fighting Shirley Chisholm” ....... Bolden
This Promise of Change .......................... Boyce