Chesapeake Public Schools
Suggested Summer Reading List

**Primary Summer Titles 2020**

At the Aquarium with Dear Dragon by Marla Conn
At the Beach with Dear Dragon by Marla Conn
Jabari Jumps by Gaia Cornwall
Love Hair by Matthew Cherry
Beautiful Hands by Kathryn Otoshi
The Big Umbrella by Amy Bates
DOLL-E-1.0 by Shanda McCloskey
The Very Impatient Caterpillar by Ross Burach
You Loves Ewe by CeCe Bell
The Big Bunny by Rowboat Watkins
The Good Egg by Jory John
The Bad Seed by Jory John
Made By Maxine by Ruth Spiro
When Grandma Give You a Lemon Tree by Jamie Deenihan
The Series: STEM in the Summer Olympics by Jenny VanVoorst

**Intermediate Summer Titles 2020**

Killer Whale vs Great White Shark by Jerry Pallotta
Whale vs. Great Squid by Jerry Pallotta
Tarantula vs Scorpion by Jerry Pallotta
Guts by Raina Teig
I Survived Series by Lauren Tarshis
Wings of Five By Aitziber Lopez
Confessions From the Principal’s Kid by Robin Mellom
Babysitters Club Graphic Novels by Ann Martin
Ranger In Time by Kate Messner
Interactive History Adventures by Elizabeth Raum
A Boy Called Bat by Elana Aronld
The Series: Science Comics by Falynn Koch

**2020 Battle of the Books Titles**

**Middle Summer Titles for 2020**

**Fiction**
The Stars Beneath Our Feet by David Barclay Moore
Lucky Broken Girl by Ruth Behar
One for the Murphys by Lynda Mullaly Hunt
Booked by Kwame Alexander
Hidden by Helen Frost
The Thing about Jellyfish by Ali Benjamin
Save Me a Seat by Sarah Weeks and Grita Varabrajn
Forget Me by K.A. Harrington
Wish by Barbara O’Connor
Lily and Dunkin by Donna Geprhart
The Unteachables by Korman
Blended by Sharon Draper
As Brave As You by Jason Reynolds
Lemons by Melissa Savage
Marcus Vega Doesn’t Speak Spanish by Pablo Cartaya
Amal Unbound by Aisha Saeed
Class Action by Steven B. Frank
Orbiting Jupiter by Gary Schmidt
The Crossover by Kwame Alexander

**Nonfiction**

They Called Us Enemy by George Takei
The Playbook by Kwame Alexander
Bulu, African Wonder Dog by Dick Houston
Chasing Lincoln’s Killer by James Swanson
The Red Bandana (Young Readers Adaptation) by Tom Rinaldi
The President Has Been Shot: the Assassination of John F. Kennedy by James Swanson

**High Summer Titles 2020**

**Fiction**

500 Words or Less by Juleah del Rosario
The Leveller by Julia Durango
The Name of the Star by Maureen Johnson
Catfishing on the Catnet by Naomi Kritzer
A Blade So Black by L.L. McKinney
Pride by Ibi Zoboi
Thirteen Doorways Wolves Behind them All by Laura Ruby
The Fixer by Jennifer Barnes
Dear Martin by Nic Stone
Scythe (series) by Neil Shusterman
Endangered by Lamar Giles
23 Minutes by Vivian Vande Velde
The Alice Network by Kate Quinn
Kiss Me in New York by Catherine Rider
Who Am I without Him by Sharon Flake
Guts by Raina Telgemeier (graphic novel)
Hey Kiddo by Jarett Krosoczka (graphic novel)
New Kid (graphic novel)

Nonfiction

The 57 Bus by Dashka Slater
Yummy by G Neri (graphic novel)
Hawking by Jim Ottavion (graphic novel)