



Dear Parents and Students,

Summertime is a great time to kick back and relax with a good book. Reading is an activity that can be done anywhere-- in the car, plane, rocking in a hammock, or sunning at the beach. Incoming seventh graders are required to read two books. They may select 1 book from the following list:

Under the Same Sky by Cynthia DeFelice
Notes from a Liar and Her Dog by Gennifer Choldenko
Lost in the Sun by Lisa Graff
Belly Up by Stuart Gibbs
Terror at Bottle Creek by Watt Key
Escaping the Giant Wave by Peg Kehret
Saint Louis Armstrong Beach by Brenda Woods

The second book is required as the "one school, one read" title:

Unplugged by Gordon Korman

These titles are readily available at your public library or book store. Once a book is read, your child is asked to complete the attached book report form either by writing directly on it or by typing it into a Google Docs. A copy of the form is available on the St. Rita School website that may be downloaded at home. Book reports will be collected on the first day of school and count as the first literature grade of the year.

Enjoy your summer, and happy reading!

Mrs. Rourke