

SEVENTH GRADE HOMEREADING

This brochure lists titles of books that your seventh grader might enjoy. The titles have been selected by librarians of the Long Beach Public Library and include both fiction and non-fiction books. Some of the titles on the list may be familiar to you; you may remember them as favorites from your own childhood. Other titles are more recent and may introduce you to new authors and illustrators.

Please use this brochure as a resource for recommended book titles. Studies show that reading for pleasure helps children perform better in school and helps them continue learning outside the classroom throughout the year. And remember, Long Beach Public Library librarians are always available to help you select more books for your seventh grader or anyone else in your family.



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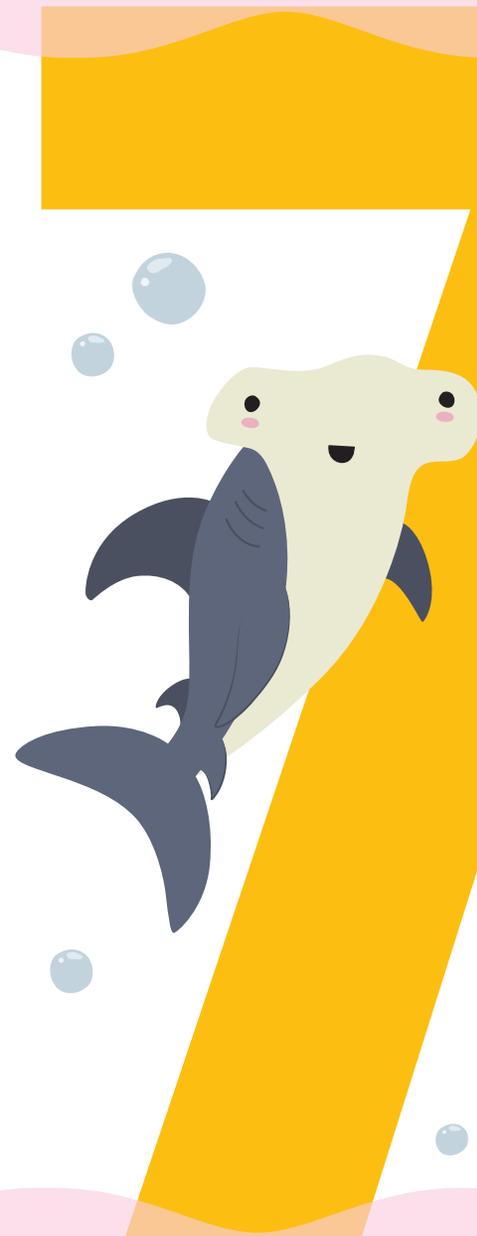
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HOMEREADING BOOKLIST



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FICTION

Fever, 1793

Anderson, Laurie Halse

The Scandalous Sisterhood of Prickwillow Place

Berry, Julie

The Boy at the Top of the Mountain

Boyne, John

Al Capone Does My Shirts (series)

Choldenko, Gennifer

The White Mountains (Tripods series)

Christopher, John

The Truth as Told by Mason Buttle

Connor, Leslie

Fire from the Rock

Draper, Sharon

Lily and Dunkin

Gephart, Donna

Goose Girl (Books of Bayern series)

Hale, Shannon

The Night Diary

Hiranandani, Veera

The Science of Breakable Things

Keller, Tae

Blackbird Fly

Kelly, Erin Entrada

Dreambender

Kidd, Ronald

The Unteachables

Korman, Gordon

Skulduggery Pleasant (series)

Landy, Derek

Under a Painted Sky

Lee, Stacey

The Miscalculations of Lightning Girl

McAnulty, Stacy

The Stars Beneath Our Feet

Moore, David Barclay

Mark of the Thief (series)

Nielsen, Jennifer

Frogkisser

Nix, Garth

Akata Witch (series)

Okorafor, Nnedi

Wolf Brother (Chronicles of Ancient Darkness series)

Paver, Michelle

The Seventh Most Important Thing

Pearsall, Shelley

The Boy in the Black Suit

Reynolds, Jason

Echo

Ryan, Pam Muñoz

Counting by 7s

Sloan, Holly Goldberg

Goodbye Stranger

Stead, Rebecca

The Screaming Staircase (Lockwood & Co. series)

Stroud, Jonathan

Nimona

Stevenson, Noelle

Navigating Early

Vanderpool, Clare

NONFICTION

Becoming Kareem: Growing Up On and Off the Court

Abdul-Jabbar, Kareem

Hitler Youth: Growing up in Hitler's Shadow

Bartoletti, Susan Campbell

Warriors Don't Cry: a Searing Memoir of the Battle to Integrate Little Rock's Central High

Beals, Melba

Drowned City: Hurricane Katrina & New Orleans

Brown, Don

Spooked! How a Radio Broadcast and the War of the Worlds Sparked the 1938 Invasion of America

Jarrow, Gail

This Land Is Our Land: a History of American Immigration

Osborne, Linda Barrett

Around the World

Phelan, Matt

Rad Women Worldwide: Artists and Athletes, Pirates and Punks, and Other Revolutionaries Who Shaped History

Schatz, Kate

Courage Has No Color - the True Story of the Triple Nickles: America's First Black Paratroopers

Stone, Tanya Lee

We are Displaced: My Journey and Stories From Refugee Girls Around the World

Yousafzai, Malala