



8TH GRADE LANGUAGE ARTS SUMMER READING

Students will be required to read *The Killer Angels: A Novel of the Civil War* by Michael Shaara and one other book from the recommended reading list. The book should be something you have not read yet!

Required: *The Killer Angels: A Novel of the Civil War* by Michael Shaara

Recommended:

The Help by Kathryn Stockett

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy by Douglas Adams

The Chosen by Chaim Potok

Unbroken by Laura Hillenbrand

The Adventures of Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain

Ender's Game by Orson Scott Card

Monster by Walter Dean Myers

Flowers for Algernon by Daniel Keyes

*Students may also choose to read any non-fiction book that is age appropriate instead of the fiction listed above.

**Students do not need to complete an entire series. You may choose any book from the series to fulfill your requirements.

For Social Studies, incoming 8th graders complete a comprehensive assignment based on research. No Reading List is Assigned.