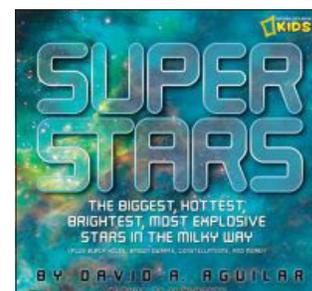
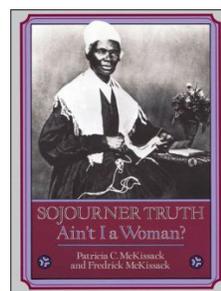
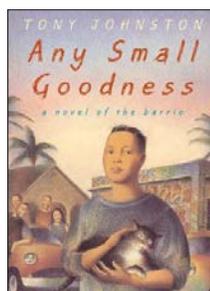
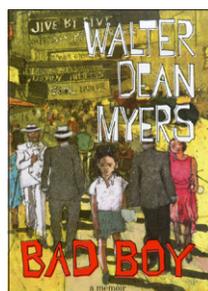
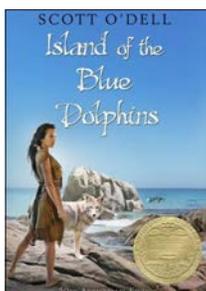
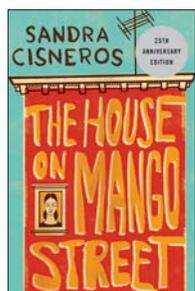




# 6th – 8th Suggested Common Core Summer Reading List

## 6th grade reading list



### LITERATURE

*The House on Mango Street*, Sandra Cisneros LEXILE: 800-890

*Island of the Blue Dolphins*, Scott O'Dell LEXILE: 1000

*Bad Boy: A Memoir*, Walter Dean Myers LEXILE: 970

*Any Small Goodness: A Novel of the Barrio*,  
Johnston Tony LEXILE: 600

*Begging for Change*, Sharon Flake LEXILE: 1060

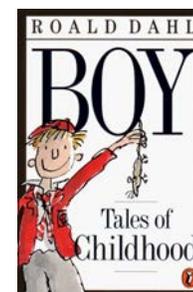
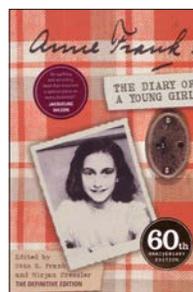
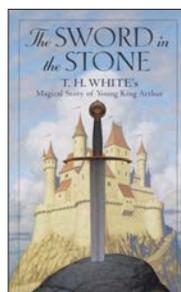
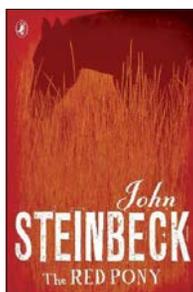
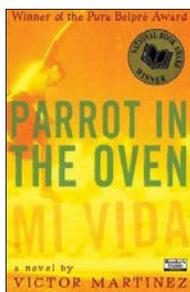
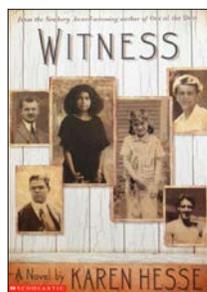
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*Before Columbus*, Charles C. Mann LEXILE: 1080

*Sojourner Truth: Ain't I a Woman?*, Pat McKissack LEXILE: 960

*Superstars*, David Aguilar LEXILE: 1160

## 7th grade reading list



### LITERATURE

*Witness*, Karen Hesse

*Parrot in the Oven: Mi Vida*, Victor Martinez LEXILE: 1000

*White Lilacs*, Carolyn Meyer LEXILE: 990

*The Red Pony*, John Steinbeck LEXILE: 810

*The Sword in the Stone*, T.H. White LEXILE: 1120

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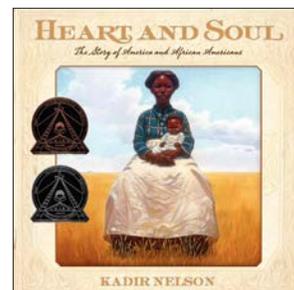
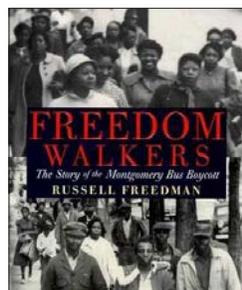
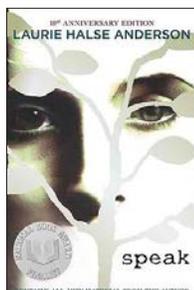
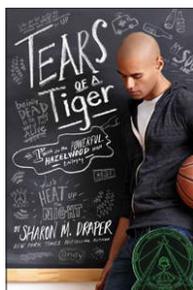
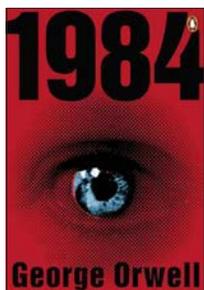
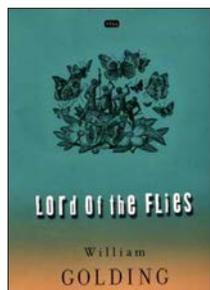
*Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl*, Anne Frank LEXILE: 1080

*Farewell to Manzanar*, Jeanne Houston and James D. Houston  
LEXILE: 1040

*Boy: Tales of Childhood*, Roald Dahl LEXILE: 1090

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### 8th grade reading list



#### LITERATURE

*Lord of the Flies*, William Golding LEXILE: 770

*1984*, George Orwell LEXILE: 950

*The Graveyard Book*, Neil Gaiman LEXILE: 820

*Tears of a Tiger*, Sharon Draper LEXILE: 700

*Speak*, Laurie Halse Anderson LEXILE: 690

#### NONFICTION

*The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens*, Sean Covey LEXILE: 870

*Freedom Walkers: The Story of the Montgomery Bus Boycott*,  
Freedman Russell LEXILE: 1110

*Heart and Soul: The Story of America and African Americans*,  
Kadir Nelson LEXILE: 1050