



## SUMMER READING

2009



### Memorial 6<sup>th</sup> Graders

Read two (2) of these books before September!

These books were selected for you by Memorial's current 6<sup>th</sup> graders as their favorites.

Start school ready to discuss your book with your new teacher.

Heartbeat by Sharon Creech

Roman Mysteries: Secrets of Vesuvius by Caroline Lawrence

My Life in Dog Years by Gary Paulsen

Sand Dollar Summer by Kimberly K. Jones

Inkheart by Cornelia Funke

Miracle on 49<sup>th</sup> Street by Mike Lupica

Rickshaw Girl by Mitali Perkins

The Neddiad by Daniel Manus Pinkwater

The Undersea Adventures of Capt'n Eli by Jay Piscopo

When is a Planet Not a Planet? The Story of Pluto by Elaine Scott

#### Lexile Rankings

4 <sup>th</sup> grade	620-910	7 <sup>th</sup> grade	880-1090
5 <sup>th</sup> grade	730-960	8 <sup>th</sup> grade	910-1140
6 <sup>th</sup> grade	800-1030	9 <sup>th</sup> grade	1030-1160

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