



6th Grade Required Reading:

[*New Kid*](#) by Jerry Craft

[*Posted*](#) by John David Anderson

[*Out of My Mind*](#) by Sharon Draper

If you'd like, you are welcome to also pick books from this list to read in addition to the required three books. These books are OPTIONAL:

- *Al Capone Does my Shirts* by Genniifer Choldenko
- *Ways to Make Sunshine* by Renee Watson
- *Stargirl* by Jerry Spinelli
- *From the Desk of Zoe Washington* by Janae Marks
- *Sal and Gabby Break the Universe* by Carlos Hernandez
- *Holes* by Louis Sachar
- *Front Desk* by Kelly Yang
- *Awkward* by Svetlana Chmakova
- *Hush* by Jacqueline Woodson
- *Ghost* by Jason Reynolds
- *Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen
- *Crenshaw* by Katherine Applegate
- *Odd and the Frost Giants* by Neil Gaiman
- *Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky* by Kwame Mbalia
- *My Side of the Mountain* by Jean Craighead George