



Meadow Montessori School

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Summer Reading 2017

Sharing common literature builds community and sparks discussion long after the books are tucked away. This year our summer reading list is centered (for the most part) on celebrating cultural differences, as we seek to embrace what binds us together as human beings.

Please feel free to participate in reading the “assigned” books for adults, as well as the ones t your child’s level. We welcome your engagement and conversation when school reconvenes in the fall.

The books are available to borrow from school or the Monroe County Library. We encourage students who are upper elementary and older to purchase a personal copy from Book Nook or another independent bookseller.

Happy Reading!

Infant/Toddler

Fiction *Everywhere Babies* Susan Meyers

Preschool

Fiction *Yoko* Rosemary Wells
Non-fiction *Step Right Up: How Doc and Jim Key Taught the World About Kindness*
Donna Janell Bowman

Lower Elementary

Fiction *The Hundred Dresses* Eleanor Estes
Non-fiction *Cleopatra* Diane Stanley and Peter Vennema

Upper Elementary

Fiction *Maniac Magee* Jerry Spinelli
Non-fiction *A Life Like Mine* DK / UNICEF

Middle School

Fiction *Inside Out and Back Again* Thanhha Lai
Non-fiction *China in Ten Words* Yu Hua

High School

Fiction *Snow Falling on Cedars* David Guterson
Non-fiction *A Problem from Hell* Samantha Power

Adult

Nonfiction *Grit: The Power of Passion and Perseverance*
Angel Duckworth