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Summer Reading 2021

Sharing common literature builds community and sparks discussion long after the books are tucked away. This year our summer reading selections reflect the extraordinary times in which we live and the interconnectedness of humans and the natural world.

Please feel free to participate in reading the “assigned” books, especially the ones for the high school / adult 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. They are also available in audio format. Please support independent bookstores by purchasing your copies from any independent bookseller. We highly recommend Nicola’s Books in Ann Arbor. We encourage students who are upper elementary and secondary programs to own a personal copy.

Happy Reading!

Early Childhood

Fiction Zoe Tucker *Greta and the Giants*

Non-Fiction Jill McDonald *Hello, World Rainforest*

Lower Elementary

Fiction Andrew Clements *Jake Drake, Know-It-All.*

Non-Fiction Emily Little *The Trojan Horse: How the Greeks Won the War*

Upper Elementary

Fiction Carl Hiaasen *Flush*

Non-Fiction Lucy Bell *You Can Change the World: The Kids’ Guide to a Better Planet*

Middle School

Fiction Neal Shusterman *Unwind*

Non-Fiction Rose Brock *Hope Nation*

High School and Adult

Fiction Kazuo Ishiguro *Never Let Me Go*

Non-Fiction Michael Pollan *Botany of Desire*

Highly Recommended for all Parents and Staff Members

Michaleen Doucleff *Hunt, Gather, Parent*