

June 2018

Dear Incoming Seventh Graders,

In preparation for seventh grade, you are being asked to read at least three books this summer. Two books have already been picked for you; one is a book of your choosing.

Required texts:

***Nothing But the Truth*** by Avi. You will discuss this book in English class.

A book of your choosing from the US Teacher Recommended Book Choices:

*How to Disappear* by Sharon Huss Roat (with Ms. Caldwell)

*A Night to Remember* by Walter Lord (with Mr. Goodwin)

*War Horse* by Michael Morpurgo (with Mrs. Harrington)

*Salt to the Sea* by Ruta Sepetys (with Mr. Williamson)

**\*Open to incoming 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders only\*:**

*The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time* by Mark Haddon (with Mrs. Chamas)\*

A third book of your choice

Seventh graders will complete a “reading summary” for *Nothing But the Truth* and the free book choice. Nothing is required for your Teacher Recommended book. These forms are available online. Go to: <http://www.applewildlibrary.org>.

Please bring your written responses and books to your first English class next fall. Have a wonderful summer, and happy reading!

Sincerely,

Miss Caldwell  
English Department Chair