

MPS Staff Summer Reading

Books I have enjoyed this summer:
Fire fly lane, Summer of '69, Where the Crawdads sing
The Cruellest Month, Fake Like Me, An American Marriage, Culturally Responsive Teaching and the Brain
Unbroken, White Fragility, Educated
This summer, I began my PhD program in educational leadership so all of my books have been scholarly. My favorite at the moment is No Citizen Left Behind by Levinson.
Where the Crawdads Sing - Delia Owens We Band of Angels: The Angels of Bataan - Elizabeth Norman Elin Hilderbrand: Winter Street Series
Good Omens; Life in a Jar; Trials of Apollo series
Crazy Rich Asians, The 100 Year old man who climbed out the window and disappeared, a beautiful mind a beautiful life
The nightingale All the light we cannot see Ready player one The power
The Pale King by Dave Wallace and Anthony Bourdain's Kitchen Confidential
Where the Crawdads Sing
Radium Girls; Americanah; The Joy Luck Club; House of Mirth; My Antonia; Bob Dylan in Performance . . . Not a book, but everyday we read the Funnies in The Globe!
Junior B. Jones is Not a Crook
Designing a Better World Starts at School by Rosan Bosch
Educated by Tara Westover, Middlemarch by George Eliot, and Washington Black by Esi Edugyan
Silver Sparrow
Where the Crawdads Sing, Catherine Hepburn Biography, the Proposal
Anne of Green Gables Educated Out of My Mind The Outsiders
The Great Alone
My Antonia, Americanah
Let the Great World Spin- Colm McCullum, The Great Believers- Rebecca Makkai , Erebus- Michael Palin
Gilded Summers By Donna Russo Morin
Work Hard. Be Nice. by Jay Mathews
The Accident, The Woman I Was Before, The Waiting Room, One S'More Summer & In Our Blood
The Nightingale All the Light We Cannot See The Flight of the Sparrow
Middlemarch by George Eliot (Mary Anne Evans)
Where the Crawdads Sing and A Prayer for Owen Meany
Daphne du Maurier's "Rebecca," Joseph Heller's "Catch 22," and Greenblat's "The Rise and Fall of Adam and Eve"
The Curse of Oak Island Wolves at the Door Target
Where The Crawdads Sing, Educated, Goldfinch
Out of my mind by Sharon Draper
Educated, This is how it always is, The Last Mrs. Parrish, Before we were yours, The Secret Orphan
Where the Crawdads Sing, Summer of 69, The Child, The Women in the Window, Girl on the Train
Becoming by Obama, Ghost, by Reynolds, Dracula by Stoker, Educated by Westover, and The Book of Night Women by Marlon James
To Kill a Mockingbird, The Handmaids Tale, Harry Potter and the Cursed Child
Daisy Jones & The Six
Bellgravia for fun and Bettee Than Carrots Or Sticks for work
Winter Garden by Kristin Hannah and Auggie and Me by RJ Palacio have been my favorites so far
A Gentleman in Moscow, Redemption, We Were the Lucky Ones
The Huntress, Work Hard Be Nice, Educated
Less by Andrew Sean Greer, Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens, Lilac Girls by Martha Hall Kelly and Little Hot Dogs by Mary Giuliani
The Girl I Used to Be by Mary Torjussen, Gone Without a Trace by Mary Torjussen, Nineteen Minutes by Jodi Picoult, Fish in a Tree by Lynda Mullaly Hunt, Booked by Kwame Alexander, Front Desk by Kelly Yang
Capturing the Spark: Inspired Teaching, Thriving Schools by David B. Cohen, The Skillful Teacher: Building Your Teaching Skills by Jon Saphier & Robert Gower, The Courage to Teach: Exploring the Inner Landscape of a Teacher
* Curious George * Silver Sparrow *The Care and Feeding of Ravenously Hungry Girls
Educated a memoir by Tara Westover
Summer of '69 Allie and Bea The Marsh King's Daughter The Woman I Was Before Daisy Jones and the Six I Am Watching You The Silent Ones Last Summer Never Tell
Manchild in the Promised Land by Claude Brown
Go Ahead in the Rain by Hanif Abdurraqib
He Said She Said by Kwame Alexander
"Better Than Carrots Or Sticks: Restorative Practices for Positive Classroom Management," "The Caves of Steel"
Hamilton
Lilac Girls
What Alice Forgot

An Invisible Thread by Laura Schroff and Alex Tresniowski
Author: Elin Hilderbrand
Summer People By Elin Hilderbrand, Blue Bistro By Elin Hilderbrand, Out of My Mind By Sharon Draper
The New Girl by Daniel Silva, Tears We Cannot Stop by Michael Eric Dyson, Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens
Where The Crawdads Sing, Educated, This Is How It Always Is, There There, Fish In A Tree, Out of My Mind, The Prince and the Dressmaker
French: Kamo, l'agence Babel by Daniel Pennac - Chagin d'école by Daniel Pennac - Les oubliés du dimanche by Valérie Perrin - English: A man called Ove by Fredrik Backman - The Lions of Little Rock by Kristine Levine
Five Presidents, Summer of 69
Since We Fell, by Dennis Lehane
Becoming by Michelle Obama
Fewer Things Better by Angela Watson
Nest by Ester Ehrlich Everything Everything by Yoon Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets Healthy at Home by Dr. Low Dog
This Is How it Always Is
Target Alex Cross; The Lazarus Vendetta; A Picture of Dorian Gray; The Death of Ivan Ilyich
The Hamilton Affair
The Girl is Murder/The Girl is Trouble, Kathryn Miller Haines L.A. Confidential, James Ellroy A Wind in the Door, Madeleine L'Engle The Rise and Fall of Adam and Eve, Stephen Greenblatt Righteous, an IQ novel, Joe Ide The Simple Art of Murder, Raymond Chandler The Patriot Game, George V. Higgins Bull, David Elliott The Tenth Wish, Dave Zeltserman
Next year in Havana, when all is said, braving the wilderness
Boston Girl by Anita Diamant, Woman of God by James Patterson, Plainsong by Kent Haruf, The Mind Tree by Tito Mukhopadhyay, I Owe You One by Sophie Kinsella
Becoming by Michelle Obama, The Lost Girls of Paris by Pam Jenoff
Educated, The Alice Network
Love by Toni Morrison (RIP) and Washington Black by Esi Edugyan
Summer of 69
Where the Crawdads Sing
Before We Were Yours