## 8th grade Summer Reading

This summer, White Plains Middle School 8th grade will be participating in a Reading Challenge. Students will read books of their choosing. Students will earn rewards for their reading.

Read one fiction book and complete one activity from the choice board: Drink a soft drink in Reading class

Read one non-fiction book and complete one activity from the choice board: Eat a snack in Reading class

Read a graphic novel/comic book and complete one activity from the choice board: Use your device to listen to music in Reading class one day

Read a book of your choice and complete one activity from the choice board: Sit where you want during Reading class

Read 4 books and complete an activity from the choice board for each book:

Be entered to win either: -VR glasses

Or

-Mermaid Tail Blanket





## Choice Board

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Choose an important event from the book. Write a poem, song, or rap lyric about that event.	Write a good paragraph that begins this way: "A character in this book reminds me of me because"	Design a new cover for the book. Explain why you think your design is a good one for that book.	Choose an important event from the book. Make a diorama or scene. Write a paragraph to accompany the diorama.	Pretend you are a TV interviewer. Write an interview with a character from the book.
Choose a character from the book. Collect/draw 5 items that relate to that character in an important way. Explain why you chose each item.	Choose an event in the book. Write up the event as a newspaper article. Be sure to include: who, what, when, where, and why.	Write a good paragraph that begins this way: "I would most like to talk to I would ask"	Choose a part of the book that you think would make a good play. Rewrite that part of the book in script format.	Choose an important event in the book. Create a comic strip that conveys what happened.
Write a good paragraph that begins this way: "I want to read another book like this because"	Choose ten words or names that are important to the story. Make a word search puzzle with the words.	Write a letter to introduce yourself to a character in the book you read. Tell the character why you want to get to know him/her.	Write a good paragraph that begins this way: <i>"I</i> disliked this book because"	Make a timeline to show the sequence of at least ten events in the book.
Choose a paragraph from the book that you think is significant. Write that paragraph. Tell why it is important.	Write a TV commercial that will sell millions of copies of the book.	Write a letter to the author of the book. Tell why you liked the book. Ask two questions to help you better understand the book.	Choose three events in the book. Tell about the events by writing diary entries from one character's perspective.	Write a good paragraph that begins this way: <i>"The book made me think seriously</i> <i>about"</i>