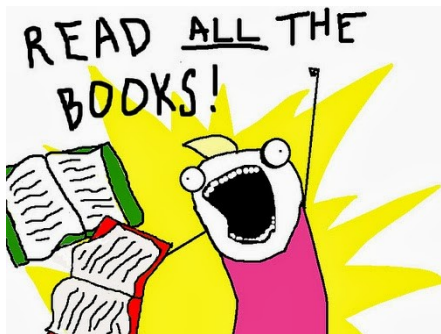


Things to remember:

- Please bring your book summaries on the first day of school.
- Don't wait until the last minute to start reading. Rushed work is never excellent! It also takes the joy out of reading.
- Make sure you use neat handwriting or type your work.
- Be prepared to share what you have written with the class.
- Visit the library often!



Summer Reading



Mintz Christian Academy
Required Summer Reading
Rising Sixth Graders

RISING SIXTH GRADERS

Summer reading:

- 1) *Maniac Magee* (J. Spinelli)
- 2) *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* (E.L. Konigsburg)
- 3) Required book from list suggestion
- 4) Extra credit optional book from list

For each of your three or four books that you read this summer, please include the following information:

- ⇒ Title of Book
- ⇒ Author of Book
- ⇒ Number of Pages
- ⇒ Give the name of the main character and tell something about that person.
- ⇒ In your own words, tell about the book.
- ⇒ Summaries should be no more than half a page long.

Choose one optional book from this list *

- *Bud, not Buddy*
- *Hatchet*
- *My Side of the Mountain*
- *Old Yeller*
- *Rules*
- *The Yearling*
- *The Incredible Journey*

* If you want to read more than one optional book (and fill out a form), you can get extra credit. However, only one optional book (in addition to *Maniac Magee* and *The Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*) is required. In other words, you are required to read three books this summer, but you may read more for extra credit.

