

Tupelo Middle School

7th Grade Summer Reading

All incoming 7th grade students will have required summer reading for their English class at Tupelo Middle School. Please see the list below to determine which books your child should read and be familiar with before he/she returns to school in August. All students will have an assignment that must be completed during the first week of school regarding his/her summer reading.

Advanced ELA required reading

- Freak the Mighty - Rodman Philbrick - 1000 lexile

AND

Choose ONE of the following as a second book to read:

- The Lottery Rose - Irene Hunt - 1070 lexile
- Nothing but the Truth - Avi - NP

General ELA required reading

- Freak the Mighty - Rodman Philbrick - 1000 lexile

OR

- Dark Water Rising - Marian Hale - 970 lexile

Note: Placement in advanced ELA will be determined by the requirements set forth in the course description, which is provided to all students/parents at the time subject selection forms are completed.