

## **Incoming 6th Grade Summer Reading Assignment**

### **RKKBH K-8 Center**

Dear Rising 6th Graders,

I am so excited to begin your 6<sup>th</sup> grade journey with you this fall. To properly prepare for 6<sup>th</sup> grade, you need to keep up with your independent reading this summer and complete the assigned worksheets.

For this summer, your goal is to read **ONE** book of your choice and responsible for writing **ONE** reader response entry. **The novel selected must be on 6<sup>th</sup> grade level and needs to be parent approved.** This assignment will be collected during the first week of school; you should have your reader response (assignment) ready to be turned in digitally or printed. They will be graded.

**\*\*\*You also must complete 3 Worksheets prior to entering the 6<sup>th</sup> grade Worksheets include the following: Verb Tenses, Latin Root - Vis, and Suffix - Ives**

### **Options for Reader Response:**

You may choose a novel of your choice that is on 7<sup>th</sup> grade level and approved by your parent. After reading the novel, **complete at least three** of the following **activities**:

Activities:

1. Write a summary of your book in the most compelling way you can on paper the size of a business card.
2. Using email or other means of corresponding, write to another person (friend or parent) about this book as you read it, creating a written conversation about the book.
3. Write an editorial column stating your position regarding the reasons and evidence the author has provided on the facts, ideas, concepts and/or events presented in the book.
4. Create a multi-colored cover for the book. It must be original and unlike any other cover for the book. Include typical "book jacket" information (e.g. title, author, etc.).
5. Write a paragraph about the title of the book. Is it appropriate? Why, or why not? If you feel it is not appropriate, create an alternate title, and explain why your title is better.
6. Look through magazines for words and pictures that describe your book. Cut them out and use them to create a bookmark or collage.