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## **Ponce de Leon Middle School**

SUMMER READING 2021

May 20, 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians:

As this school year ends and we prepare for summer vacations, we would like to remind you that according to the M-DCPS Comprehensive Reading Plan, students are required to read during the summer. Students are asked to maintain a daily reading schedule.

All students are required to read **two books** and complete an activity for each book. They are required to save all their work on Office 365, via One Drive. As the school year starts, the Language Arts Teacher will provide information on how to submit the work through Teams.

- You will select **two** eBooks from an array of genres through our different free platforms. (Different types of literature (biographies, fiction, nonfiction); different formats (graphic novels, traditional print); different genres (historical fiction, poetry, mystery, science fiction) ;
- Make sure **the book you select is on your grade level.**

To select your books, go to:

<http://read.dadeschools.net/>

**In addition ESOL students Level 1 and 2 will keep a Reading Log:**



- Keep a reading log or journal on the books you have read and make a list of words you have learned. Write the new word, write a definition using your own words, and draw a picture or a symbol, which reminds you what the word means. [Summer Reading Log 6-12.docx](#)

6-12  
Grade

M-DCPS presents

# SUMMER READING 2021



**Free access to eBooks and audiobooks for all interest levels for grades 6 - 12.**



## PONCE DE LEON MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY

Ponce de Leon Middle School promotes personal integrity in all areas of life including the learning process. The goal of Ponce Middle School's Academic Honesty Policy is to ensure that teachers, students, and parents understand and practice values and skills that result in an academically honest environment.

As part of Approaches to Learning, students learn the value of thoughtful investigation, of giving others credit for their work, and of synthesizing information so that it becomes part of the students' body of knowledge, rather than an empty exercise in copying others' creations. Students also learn to recognize when collaboration is appropriate and when it is not appropriate.

### **AT PONCE:**

**"We act with integrity and honesty, with a strong sense of fairness and justice, and with respect for the dignity and rights of people everywhere. We take responsibility for our actions and their consequences."**



**PONCE DE LEON MIDDLE SCHOOL  
READING ACHIEVEMENT LOG**

**My Summer Reading Log**

**Use this log to track your summer reading.**

**Please circle the grade that you will be in 2021-2022 :** 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup>

Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**What are the books' genre?**

Fiction \_\_\_\_\_ Nonfiction \_\_\_\_\_

**Summarize the text.** If you read **fiction**, include details about the main character, setting, and major plot events. If you read **nonfiction**, include content vocabulary, facts and information relevant to the topic, and details and/or evidence the author used to support the main points of the text.