

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL SCHOOL**  
**Fifth Grade Entering Sixth Grade**

**REQUIRED READING – *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate**

**Upon return to school, students should be prepared to complete a classroom activity that correlates with the required summer reading.**

Also read and complete the activity for **one** of the books below. Choose according to the first letter of your **LAST** name:

Read at least one of the books from the list (Reading Olympic Elementary List 2022) below. Each student is required to complete a **Summer Reading Book Report** about this book. Open the link on the Summer Reading page, *Summer Reading Book Report Grade 5-8*, and print it out. Complete and bring to report to school with you on the first day.

**For Students whose Last Names begin with A - L**

<b>TITLE</b>	<b>AUTHOR</b>
Separate is Never Equal	Duncan Tonatiuh
Serafina and the Black Cloak	Robert Beatty
Shoot-Out	Mike Lupica
Stargazing	Jen Wang
Sunny Side Up	Jennifer & Matt Holm
The Tale of Despereaux	Kate DiCamillo

**For Students whose Last Names begin with M – Z**

<b>TITLE</b>	<b>AUTHOR</b>
The Hero Two Doors Down	Sharon Robinson
The Lightning Thief	Rick Riordan
The Report Card	Andrew Clements
The Watson Go to Birmingham	Christopher Paul Curtis
Three Times Lucky	Sheila Turnage
When You Trap a Tiger	Tae Keller

**ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA  
SUGGESTED SUMMER READING LIST**

***The Best Man* by Richard Peck**

***A Handful of Stars* by Cynthia Lord**

***How We Got to the Moon: The People, Technology, and Daring Feats of Science Behind***

***Humanity's Greatest Adventure* by John Rocco**

***Indian No More* by Charlene Willing McManis and Traci Sorell**

***Isabel Feeney, Star Reporter* by Beth Fantaskey**

***Louisiana's Way Home* by Kate Dicamillo**

***Merci Suarez Changes Gears* by Meg Medina**

***The Night Diary* by Veera Hiranandani**

***Pay Attention, Carter Jones* by Grey D. Schmidt**

***Talking Leaves* by Joseph Bruchac**