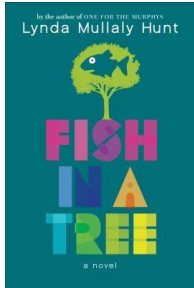


## 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE SUMMER READING LIST

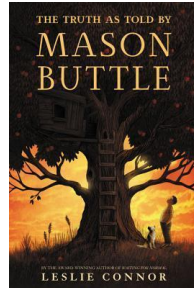
Please read at least one of these A.R. books that is at your current reading level. In the fall, you will take the Accelerated Reading test. The Lansing Public Library has copies of all of these novels.

Read more about these books on the Memorial LRC website (access through the Memorial page on the D158 website) or on [www.goodreads.com](http://www.goodreads.com) where you can also read reviews.

### PURPLE (LEXILE UP TO 550)



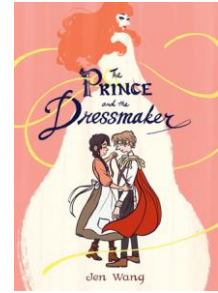
*Fish in a Tree*  
by Lynda Mullaly Hunt  
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*The Truth as Told by  
Mason Buttle*  
by Leslie Connor (310L)

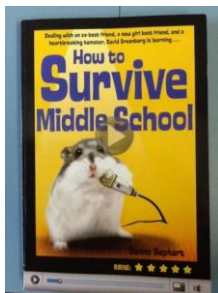


*All's Faire in Middle School*  
by Victoria Jamieson  
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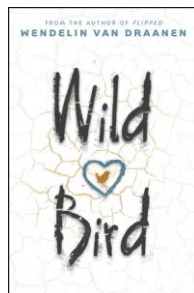


*The Prince and the  
Dressmaker*  
by Jen Wang (GN360L)

### LIGHT GREEN (LEXILE 560-690)



*How to Survive  
Middle School*  
by Donna Gephart  
(660L)



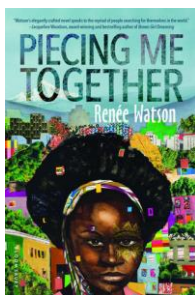
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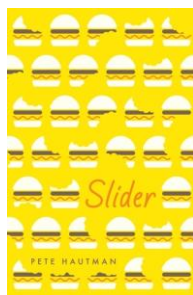
*The Blackthorn Key*  
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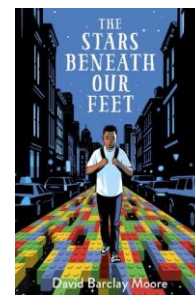
*The First Rule of Punk*  
by Celia Perez  
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*Piecing Me Together*  
by Renee Watson  
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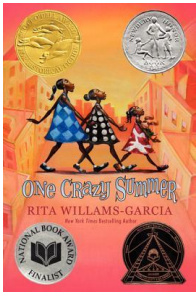


*Slider*  
by Pete Hautman  
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*The Stars Beneath Our Feet*  
by David Barclay Moore  
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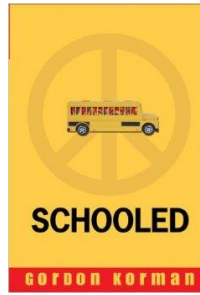
**BLUE (LEXILE 700-790)**



***One Crazy Summer***  
by Rita Williams-Garcia  
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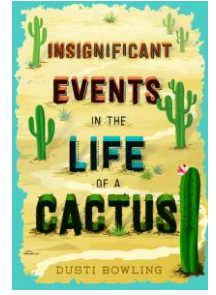
***Ungifted***  
by Gordon Korman  
(730L)



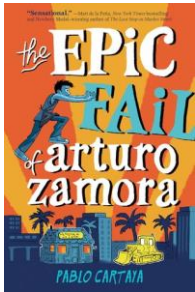
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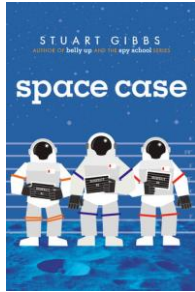
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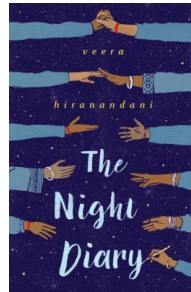
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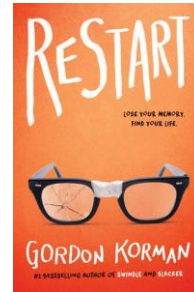
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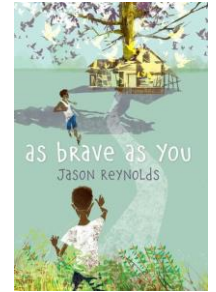
***Space Case***  
by Stuart Gibbs  
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***The Night Diary***  
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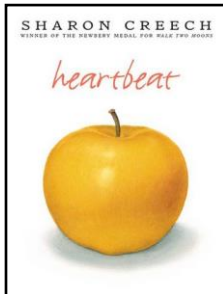


***Restart***  
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***As Brave as You***  
by Jason Reynolds  
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**RED (LEXILE 800-890)**



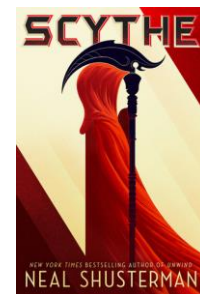
***Heartbeat***  
by Sharon Creech



***Serafina and the Black Cloak***  
by Robert Beatty  
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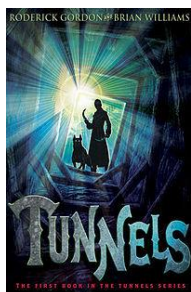


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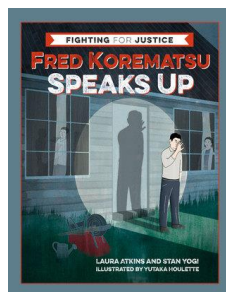


***Scythe***  
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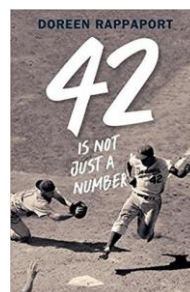
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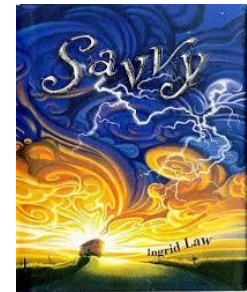
***Tunnels***  
by Roderick Gordon  
(990L)



***Fred Korematsu Speaks Up***  
by Laura Atkins & Stan Yogi  
(910L)



***42 Is Not Just a Number***  
by Doreen Rappaport  
(1010L)



***Savvy*** by Ingrid Law  
(1070L)