Bayside STEM Academy

Summer Reading Assignment
for Incoming 6th grade students

2011-2012

Your 6th grade Language Arts teachers would like you to choose any fiction chapter book of your choice to read over the Summer Intersession before you enter 6th grade. Books can be from any genre (historical fiction, realistic fiction, science fiction, etc), but must be a chapter book at your reading level. Be sure to choose a chapter book that is not too easy or too difficult for you to read.

As you read the book this summer, please complete at least five journal entries in which you do the following:

1. Summarize what you are reading (at least one paragraph)

2. Make connections, reactions, thoughts, insights to show you are thinking about what you have read (at least one paragraph)

**Each journal entry should be at least two paragraphs long so that you can complete the two steps explained above. Entries may be typed or handwritten.

This assignment will be collected during the first week of school, so please make sure it is completed BEFORE your sixth grade year begins.