



# Ocean of Possibilities



► MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER READING LIST 2022

## Dark Waters

- Dark Waters* - Arden, Katherine
- Across the Tracks: Remembering the Tulsa Race Massacre and Black Wall Street* - Ball, Alverne
- Ensnared in the Wolf's Lair: Inside the 1944 Plot to Kill Hitler and the Ghost Children of His Revenge* - Bausum, Ann
- Fever Year: The Killer Flu of 1918* - Brown, Don
- In the Shadow of the Fallen Towers* - Brown, Don
- Blood and Germs: The Civil War Battle Against Wounds and Disease* - Jarrow, Gail
- Ali Cross: Like Father, Like Son* - Patterson, James
- Long Distance* - Gardner, Whitney
- Of Salt and Shore* - Schaap, Annet



## Fantastic Voyage

- Seven Voyages: How China's Treasure Fleet Conquered the Sea* - Bergreen, Laurence
- Strong Voices: Fifteen American Speeches Worth Knowing* - Bolden, Tonya
- The Wild World Handbook: How Adventurers, Artists, Scientists and You Can Protect the Earth's Habitats* - Debbink, Andrea
- Unsettled* - Faruqi, Reem
- Stage Dreams* - Gillman, Melanie
- The Hill We Climb* - Gorman, Amanda
- The Deepest Breath* - Grehan, Meg
- Haunting the Deep* - Mather, Adriana
- Ana on the Edge* - Sass, A.J.

## Black-Eyed Susan Nominees Novels, Grades 6-9

- The Brave* - Bird, James
- Starfish* - Fipps, Lisa
- Hide and Seeker* - Hermon, Daka
- Ophie's Ghosts* - Ireland, Justina
- The 47 People You'll Meet in Middle School* - Mahoney, Kristin
- Glitch* - Martin, Laura
- Summer of Brave* - Parks, Amy Noelle
- Just Like That* - Schmidt, Gary D.
- Fallout: Spies, Superbombs, and the Ultimate Cold War Showdown* - Sheinkin, Steve
- The Shape of Thunder* - Warga, Jasmine

## Graphic Novels, Grades 6-9

- The Ghoul Next Door* - Bunn, Cullen
- Huda F Are You?* - Fahmy, Huda
- The Underfoot: The Mighty Deep* - Fisher, Ben and Whitten, Emily S.
- Living With Viola* - Fung, Rosena
- The Legend of Auntie Po* - Khor, Shing Yin
- Salt Magic* - Larson, Hope
- Shark Summer* - Marcks, Ira
- Ye* - Petreca, Guilherme
- Artie and the Wolf Moon* - Stephens, Olivia



All images are copyrighted

<http://www.hcpss.org/academics/library-media/>

Developed by Howard County Public School Library Media Specialists and Children's Instruction and Research Staff from the Howard County Library System

## Diving Into the Past

- Turtle in Paradise: The Graphic Novel* - Holm, Jennifer L.
- The Deadliest Diseases Then and Now* - Hopkinson, Deborah
- Red Stars: The Case of Viktor and Nadya's Notebooks* - Morosinotto, Davide
- Stolen Science: Thirteen Untold Stories of Scientists and Inventors Almost Written Out of History* - Schwartz, Ella
- Close Calls: How Eleven U.S. Presidents Escaped From the Brink of Death* - Spradlin, Michael P.
- The Good War* - Strasser, Todd
- Nuestra America: 30 Inspiring Latinas/Latinos Who Have Shaped the United States* - Vourvoulias, Sabrina

## Mermaids & Mystical Creatures

- To Kill a Kingdom* - Christo, Alexandra
- Witches of Brooklyn* - Escabasse, Sophie
- The Last Cuentista* - Higuera, Donna Barba
- Shuri: A Black Panther Novel: The Vanished* - Stone, Nic
- A Touch of Gold* - Sullivan, Annie
- Malamander* - Taylor, Thomas
- Instructions for Dancing* - Yoon, Nicola
- Fable* - Young, Adrienne
- Poor Unfortunate Soul: A Tale of the Sea Witch* - Valentino, Serena

## Treasure Island

- Into the Streets: A Young Person's Visual History of Protest in the United States* - Bieschke, Marke
- How I Survived: Four Nights on the Ice* - Ittusardjuat, Serapio
- Seafire* - Parker, Natalie C.
- Paradise on Fire* - Rhodes, Jewell Parker
- Daughter of the Deep* - Riordan, Rick
- The Impossible Climb* - Synnott, Mark
- Sunker's Deep* - Tanner, Lian

## Making Waves

- The Mighty Heart of Sunny St. James* - Blake, Ashley Herring
- Reckless, Glorious, Girl* - Hagan, Ellen
- Sunny Makes a Splash* - Holm, Jennifer L.
- Land of the Cranes* - Salazar, Aida
- My Jasper June* - Snyder, Laurel
- One Kid's Trash* - Sumner, Jamie
- Go With the Flow* - Williams, Lily

## Sink or Swim

- Rising Water: The Story of the Thai Cave Rescue* - Aronson, Marc
- The Phantom Twin* - Brown, Lisa
- Hurricane Child* - Callender, Kacen
- Rick* - Gino, Alex
- Ground Zero* - Gratz, Alan
- The Woman All Spies Fear: Codebreaker Elizebeth Smith Friedman and Her Hidden Life* - Greenfield, Amy Butler
- Samira Surfs* - Guidroz, Rukhsanna
- Unconventional Vehicles: Forty-Five of the Strangest Cars, Trains, Planes, Submersibles, Dirigibles, and Rockets Ever* - Hearst, Michael
- Girls Who Run the World: 31 CEOs Who Mean Business* - Kapp, Diana; illustrated by Karman, Bijou
- Finding Junie Kim* - Oh, Ellen
- The Girl From the Sea* - Ostertag, Molly

