

**Riverside Middle School Summer Reading List**  
**Reading Selections for Summer of 2006**

**Incoming 6th Grade**

1. Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie Tolan
2. Catherine, Called Birdy by Karen Cushman
3. The Slave Dancer by Paula Fox
4. Dave at Night by Gail Carson Levine
5. Hoot by Carl Hiaasen
6. Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul
7. The Devil's Arithmetic by Jane Yolen
8. The House on Mango Street by S. Cisneros
9. Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson
10. Goose Chase by Patricia Kindle

**Incoming 7th Grade**

1. Hole in My Life by Jack Gantos
2. A Mango Shaped Space by Wendy Mass
3. Ruby Electric by Theresa Nelson
4. The Misfits by James Howe
5. Robinson Crusoe by Daniel Defoe
6. Crispin by Avi
7. Homeless Bird by Gloria Whelan
8. Inkheart by Cornelia Funke
9. Destination Unexpected: Short Stories by Don Gallo
10. The Grey King by Susan Cooper

**Incoming 8th Grade**

1. Olive's Ocean by Kevin Henkes
2. Inventing Elliot by Graham Gardner
3. So B It by Sarah Weeks
4. Kira – Kira by Cynthia Keidohata
5. The Number Devil: A Math Adventure by Hans Magnus Enzenburger
6. Nothing But the Truth by Avi
7. Tuesdays With Morrie by Mitch Albom
8. The Prince and the Pauper by Mark Twain
9. Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli
10. 13 Stories That Capture the Agony and the Ecstasy of Being 13 by James Howe