

Summer Reading FAQs

Project Due Date: Friday, August 31, 2018

1. When are summer reading projects due?

Summer reading projects for all grade levels are due Friday, August 31, 2018.

2. When will summer reading projects be graded?

Grades for the summer reading project will be posted by Friday, September 7, 2018. There will be two total informal grades: 1 for the project and 1 for the assessment (see #3).

3. Will there be an assessment on the summer reading project?

There will not be a formal assessment, but there will be a paideia seminar on the summer reading topics. The paideia process will consist of some in-class prep work, participation in the seminar, and a written response following the seminar.

4. How will we use the summer reading assignment?

Reading the 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens will serve as the foundation for the partial magnet launch in the 2018-2019 school year. In ELA classes, we will begin to teach some skills with excerpts from the text in the first few weeks of school.

5. What if my student is registered late?

Copies of the summer reading assignment will be located in the front office, on the summer reading website, and with the registrar. Students registered after August 10, 2018 will be exempt from the summer reading assignment.

6. What if my student is an ESL served student?

ESL students that are exempt (as determined by WIDA scores) will receive further instructions.

7. How can I supplement my student's summer reading?

CMS students will have access to Compass Learning (see the QHMS Summer Reading website) for both reading and math. Compass Learning activities are directly linked to your student's MAP scores allowing them to practice skills directly related to their needs.

Note: Should a situation arise where you are unable to obtain the required text, please contact Renee Meyrose (renee.meyrose@cms.k12.nc.us; 980.343.3620) to work out arrangements privately.