

6th Grade Required: A total of three books must be read.

1. **My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George (810L)** We will be discussing this book upon returning to school. You will also have a test on this book!

2. ***CHOICE BOOK NON-FICTION***: an account or representation of a subject as fact. It may be about history, science, a hobby, autobiography, biography, or any other book that is of interest to you. It **MUST** be nonfiction and at least 100 pages in length.
 - A. Prepare a **Google Slide presentation** that includes the
 - Title and author,
 - Setting,
 - Characters and character analysis,
 - Plot,
 - Your opinion of the book, and support your opinion with specific details from the book.

Your presentation should be well-designed, organized, and interesting. Make sure you include the book in your presentation. Use contrasting colors for slide background and text to make the text readable. You can use almost any combination of colors that look good together. Your presentation should be no longer than 10 minutes. You should be prepared to present on the first day of school!

OR

B. Prepare a **video** that includes the same information as listed above. (Use a recording device that can be plugged into a computer.) Your video should be informative, interesting, and entertaining. Make sure you include the book in your presentation. You can give your report in an interview form (someone asks you questions about your book) or you can give your report as an ACS Book Reviewer. Your video should be no longer than 10 minutes. You should be prepared to present on the first day of school!

3. One of the following:

Banner in the Sky by James Ramsey Ullman (610L)

Wonder by R.J Palacio (790 L)

James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl (790 L)

No Talking by Andrew Clements (820 L)

Matilda by Roald Dahl (840 L)

Becoming Naómi Leon by Pam Muñoz Ryan (830L)

Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O'Dell (1000L)

Hatchet, Gary Paulsen (1020 L)