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Teacher: _____



We're POSITIVE About Reading!



, Rising 4th – 6th Graders

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| <p>Realistic or Historical Fiction – The characters demonstrate that Other People Matter</p>  | <p>Mystery or Historical Fiction Perspective - find a book that helps you to look at the world in a different way.</p> | <p>Nonfiction - One of the characters, doesn't give up or shows perseverance.</p>  |
| <p>Fantasy or Traditional Literature - Kindness towards others is evident in this book.</p>   | <p>Free Choice Genre Open Mindedness- the character discovers that first impressions aren't always right.</p> | <p>Free Choice Genre Teamwork - find a book where the characters must work together to accomplish their goal.</p> |
| <p>Poetry – Gratitude is the big idea or theme in some of the poems in this book.</p>  | | |

Book Titles and Author

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Parent Signature: _____

Choose and read a just right book from each category (genre). You may choose *any* book in the genre you'd like. When you are finished, color in the square and write the title and author on the lines provided. Return to your classroom teacher by **Tuesday, September 3, 2019.**

We encourage you to read as many novels (on your reading level) as you can!

Parents: Research demonstrates that summer reading can prevent the reading achievement losses that often occur during the break. *Journal of Education for Students Placed at Risk* (April, 2008).

Looking for some books that might exhibit P2 traits?

The following authors have books that include many of these P2 traits! (Grades 4-6)

Kate Klise
Gordon Korman
R. J. Palacio
Lois Lowry
Brian Selznick
Dan Gutman
Nikki Grimes
Chris Colfer
Katherine Applegate

Kate Messner
Andrew Clements
Patricia Giff
Richard Peck
Gary Paulson
Meg Medina
Lauren Myracle
Margaret Haddix



Have fun reading!

