Each grade level will read one common book over the summer. The common book that everyone reads will be our jumping off point as we begin in August. The use of a common read gives us a shared experience upon which we can build as we start the year.

6th Grade Required Read:
This year all 6th graders will need to read *The Outsiders*, by S.E. Hinton.

7th Grade Required Read:
This year all 7th graders will need to read *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*, by Mark Twain.

8th Grade Required Read:
This year all 8th graders will need to read *Animal Farm*, by George Orwell.

If you would like to read more over the summer, the following is a list of the upcoming Reading Bowl books. We’d love to have you read and then compete for a spot on Brookstone’s Middle School team!


