

Seventh Grade Summer Reading 2016

REQUIRED READING

Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli

REQUIRED READING (Social Studies)

The Breadwinner by Deborah Ellis

SUMMER SCRAPBOOK/JOURNAL

Using the summer scrapbook you began last year, add five new entries. If you do not have last year's scrapbook, choose a new 3-ring binder and decorate the cover to reflect your likes and interests.

- 1.** Write a lengthy letter to your seventh grade LA Lit teacher introducing yourself. Tell about your likes and dislikes. Explain any successes and challenges you have faced in LA Lit. What are your expectations for seventh grade?
- 2.** Write a letter to Jerry Spinelli. Express your likes and dislikes about ***Stargirl***.
- 3.** Write a descriptive paragraph about a person you met, a place you visited, or a character from a book you read this summer.
- 4.** Choose one current event to follow. Clip or print newspaper and magazine articles relating to it, and write down your reactions to the event.
- 5.** Draw a map of a place you visited.