Campbell Middle

Summer Reading 17 (Short Details)

FIC Tur

Sheila Turnage.

Three times lucky / Sheila Turnage. -- New York : : Dial Books for Young Readers,, 2012..

Washed ashore as a baby in tiny Tupelo Landing, North Carolina, Mo LoBeau, now eleven, and her best friend Dale turn detective when the amnesiac Colonel, owner of a café and co-parent of Mo with his cook, Miss Lana, seems implicated in a murder.

FIC Van

Clare Vanderpool.

Moon over Manifest / Clare Vanderpool. -- New York : : Delacorte Press,, c2010..

Twelve-year-old Abilene Tucker is the daughter of a drifter who, in the summer of 1936, sends her to stay with an old friend in Manifest, Kansas, where he grew up, and where she hopes to find out some things about his past.

FIC App

Katherine Applegate, and Patricia Castelao. The one and only Ivan / Katherine Applegate, and Patricia Castelao. -- New York : : Harper, c2012..

When Ivan, a gorilla who has lived for years in a down-and-out circus-themed mall, meets Ruby, a baby elephant that has been added to the mall, he decides that he must find her a better life.

FIC Pas

Stephan Pastis.

Timmy failure / Stephan Pastis. -- Somerville, MA : : Candlewick Press,, 2013..

FIC Mey

Marissa Meyer.

Cinder / Marissa Meyer. -- New York : : Feiwel and Friends,, 2012..

As plague ravages the overcrowded Earth, observed by a ruthless lunar people, Cinder, a gifted mechanic and cyborg, becomes involved with handsome Prince Kai and must uncover secrets about her past in order to protect the world in this futuristic take on the Cinderella story.

FIC DiC

Kate DiCamillo, and K. G Campbell. Flora & Ulysses / Kate DiCamillo, and K. G Campbell. -- Somerville, Mass. : : Candlewick Press, 2013..

Rescuing a squirrel after an accident involving a vacuum cleaner, comic-reading cynic Flora Belle Buckman is astonished when the squirrel, Ulysses, demonstrates astonishing powers of strength and flight after being revived.

FIC Law

Caroline Lawrence.

P. K. Pinkerton and the deadly desperados / Caroline Lawrence. -- New York :: G.P. Putnam's Sons,, c2011...

In 1862 Nevada Territory, after finding his foster parents murdered and scalped, twelve-year-old Pinky Pinkerton, son of a railroad detective and a Sioux Indian, inherits a valuable deed and must hide from dangerous Whittlin Walt and his gang of desperados.

FIC McC

Geraldine McCaughrean.

The glorious adventures of the Sunshine Queen / Geraldine McCaughrean. -- New York : : Harper,, c2010..

When a diphtheria outbreak forces twelve-year-old Cissy to leave her Oklahoma hometown in the 1890s, she and her two classmates embark on

a wild adventure down the Missouri River with a team of traveling actors who are living on a dilapidated paddle steamer.

FIC Wil

Rita Williams-Garcia.

One crazy summer / Rita Williams-Garcia. -- New York : Scholastic, 2010.

In the summer of 1968, after travelling from Brooklyn to Oakland, California, to spend a month with the mother they barely know, eleven-year-old Delphine and her two younger sisters arrive to a cold welcome as they discover that their mother, a dedicated poet and printer, is resentful of the intrusion of their visit and wants them to attend a nearby Black Panther summer camp.

741.5 Bel

Cece Bell.

El Deafo / Cece Bell. -- New York : : Amulet Books,, 2014..

The author recounts in graphic novel format her experiences with hearing loss at a young age, including using a bulky hearing aid, learning how to lip read, and determining her "superpower."

741.5 Rus

P. Craig Russell, Lovern Kindzierski, Todd Klein, and Neil Gaiman.

Coraline / P. Craig Russell, Lovern Kindzierski, Todd Klein, and Neil Gaiman. -- New York : : Harper Trophy,, 2008..

When Coraline steps through a door in her family's new house, she finds another house strangely similar to her own (only better). At first, things seem marvelous. The food is better than at home, and the toy box is filled with fluttering wind-up angels and dinosaur skulls that crawl and rattle their teeth. But there's another mother and another father, and they want her to stay and be their little girl. They want to change her and never let her go. Coraline will have to fight with all her wit and all the tools she can find if she is to save herself and return to her ordinary life.

741.5 Rus

P. Craig Russell, Kevin Nowlan, Tony Harris, Scott Hampton, Galen Showman, Jill Thompson, Stephen B Scott, and Neil Gaiman. The graveyard book / P. Craig Russell, Kevin Nowlan, Tony Harris, Scott Hampton, Galen Showman, Jill Thompson, Stephen B Scott, and Neil Gaiman. -- New York : : Harper, an imprint of HarperCollinsPublishers,, [2014].

Nobody Owens is a normal boy, except that he has been raised by ghosts and other denizens of the graveyard.

FIC Row

Rainbow Rowell.

Eleanor & Park / Rainbow Rowell. -- New York : : St. Martin's Griffin,, 2013.

"Set over the course of one school year in 1986, this is the story of two star-crossed misfits--smart enough to know that first love almost never lasts, but brave and desperate enough to try"--

FIC Woo

Jacqueline Woodson.

Brown girl dreaming / Jacqueline Woodson. -- New York :: Nancy Paulsen Books, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA),, 2014...

"Jacqueline Woodson, one of today's finest writers, tells the moving story of her childhood in mesmerizing verse. Raised in South Carolina and New York, Woodson always felt halfway home in each place. In vivid poems, she shares what it was like to grow up as an African American in the 1960s and 1970s, living with the remnants of Jim Crow and her growing awareness of the Civil Rights movement. Touching and powerful, each poem is both accessible and emotionally charged, each line a glimpse into a child's soul as she searches for her place in the world. Woodson's eloquent poetry also reflects the joy of finding her voice through writing stories, despite the fact that she struggled with reading as a child. Her love of stories inspired her and stayed with her, creating the first sparks of the gifted writer she was to become. Praise for Jacqueline Woodson: Ms. Woodson writes with a sure understanding of the thoughts of young people, offering a poetic, eloquent narrative that is not simply a story. but a mature exploration of grown-up issues and self-discovery."--The New York Times Book Review"--

FIC LaM

Una LaMarche.

Like no other / Una LaMarche. -- New York, New York :: Razorbill, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA),, [2014].

Though their relationship is strictly forbidden, Devorah and Jax arrange secret meetings and risk everything to be together. But how far can they possibly go? Just how much are they willing to give up?

FIC Ale Kwame Alexander. The crossover / Kwame Alexander. -- Boston ; : Houghton Mifflin Harcourt,, [2014]..

Fourteen-year-old twin basketball stars Josh and Jordan wrestle with highs and lows on and off the court as their father ignores his declining health.

FIC Gan

Jack Gantos.

Dead end in Norvelt / Jack Gantos. -- New York : : Square Fish,, 2013..

In the historic town of Norvelt, Pennsylvania, twelve-year-old Jack Gantos spends the summer of 1962 grounded for various offenses until he is assigned to help an elderly neighbor with a most unusual chore involving the newly dead, molten wax, twisted promises, Girl Scout cookies, underage driving, lessons from history, typewriting, and countless bloody noses.

FIC Mag

Kekla Magoon.

How it went down / Kekla Magoon. -- New York : : Henry Holt and Company,, 2014...

When sixteen-year-old Tariq Johnson is shot to death, his community is thrown into an uproar because Tariq was black and the shooter, Jack Franklin, is white, and in the aftermath everyone has something to say, but no two accounts of the events agree.

FIC Lea Lindsey Leavitt.

Going vintage / Lindsey Leavitt. -- New York : : Bloomsbury,, 2013..

When sixteen-year-old Mallory learns that her boyfriend, Jeremy, is cheating on her with his cyber "wife," she rebels against technology by following her grandmother's list of goals from 1962, with help from her younger sister, Ginnie.

FIC Sch

Laura Amy Schlitz.

The hired girl / Laura Amy Schlitz. -- Somerville, Massachusetts : Candlewick Press, 2015.

Fourteen-year-old Joan Skraggs, just like the heroines in her beloved novels, yearns for real life and true love. But what hope is there for adventure, beauty, or art on a hardscrabble farm in Pennsylvania where the work never ends? Over the summer of 1911, Joan pours her heart out into her diary as she seeks a new, better life for herself - because maybe, just maybe, a hired girl cleaning and cooking for six dollars a week can become what a farm girl could only dream of - a woman with a future.

FIC Cho

Gennifer Choldenko.

Chasing secrets / Gennifer Choldenko. -- New York : : Wendy Lamb Books, an imprint of Random House Children's Books, a division of Random House LLC,, c2015.

Thirteen-year-old Lizzie and her secret friend Noah, who is hiding in her house, plan to rescue Noah's father from the quarantined Chinatown, and save everyone they love from contracting the plague that is spreading in 1900 San Francisco.

FIC Ale

Sherman Alexie, and Ellen Forney.

The absolutely true diary of a part-time Indian / Sherman Alexie, and Ellen Forney. -- New York :: Scholastic,, c2007...

Budding cartoonist Junior leaves his troubled school on the Spokane Indian Reservation to attend an all-white farm town school where the only other Indian is the school mascot.

FIC Sig Scott Sigler.

Alive / Scott Sigler. -- New York : : Del Rey,, [2015?].

FIC Ave

Victoria Aveyard.

Red queen / Victoria Aveyard. -- New York, NY : : Scholastic,, 2015.

Mare Barrow's world is divided by blood -- those with common, Red blood serve the Silver-blooded elite, who are gifted with superhuman

abilities. Mare is a Red, scraping by as a thief in a poor, rural village, until a twist of fate throws her in front of the Silver court. Before the king, princes, and all the nobles, she discovers she has an ability of her own. To cover up this impossibility, the king forces her to play the role of a lost Silver princess and betroths her to one of his own sons. As Mare is drawn further into the Silver world, she risks everything and uses her new position to help the Scarlet Guard -- a growing Red rebellion -- even as her heart tugs her in an impossible direction. One wrong move can lead to her death, but in the dangerous game she plays, the only certainty is betrayal.

FIC Fed

Tim Federle.

Five, six, seven, Nate! / Tim Federle. -- New York : Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2014.

Now on Broadway as second understudy for E.T., Nate Foster keeps in close contact with his best friend, Libby, as he faces his nemesis, Jordan Rylance, and his own insecurities as the cast member with the least training and experience.

808.8 Guy

Jon Scieszka, and Gris Grimly.

Guys read / Jon Scieszka, and Gris Grimly. -- New York : Walden Pond Press, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers, 2015.

An imaginary friend who won't let go; a recluse bird-hunter who kidnaps girls; and a magician with sinister tricks. A collection of suspenseful stories from eleven masterful children's authors.

FIC Wol

Lauren Wolk.

Wolf Hollow / Lauren Wolk. -- New York, NY : : Dutton Children's Books, an imprint of Penguin Random House LLC,, [2016].

"Twelve-year-old Annabelle must learn to stand up for what's right in the face of a manipulative and violent new bully who targets people Annabelle cares about, including a homeless World War I veteran"--

FIC Bell

Alex Bell.

Frozen Charlotte / Alex Bell. -- New York : : Scholastic Press,, 2016..

The haunting starts even before Sophie arrives on the Isle of Skye to spend the summer with her cousins, but when she arrives she finds a house haunted by the ghost of a girl who attended school there a hundred years ago, as well as cousin Rebecca who died young and is never mentioned by her family--and she must somehow solve the mystery of the frozen Charlotte dolls before the whole family is destroyed.

FIC Ber

Julie Berry.

The passion of Dolssa / Julie Berry. -- New York, NY : : Viking,, 2016.

In mid-thirteenth century Provence, Dolssa de Stigata is a fervently religious girl who feels the call to preach, condemned by the Inquisition as an "unnatural woman," and hunted by the Dominican Friar Lucien who fears a resurgence of the Albigensian heresy; Botille is a matchmaker trying to protect her sisters from being branded as gypsies or witches--but when she finds the hunted Dolssa dying on a hillside, she feels compelled to protect her, a decision that may cost her everything

FIC Bar

Kelly Regan Barnhill.

The girl who drank the moon / Kelly Regan Barnhill. -- Chapel Hill, North Carolina : : Algonquin Young Readers,, 2016.

"An epic fantasy about a young girl raised by a witch, a swamp monster, and a Perfectly Tiny Dragon, who must unlock the powerful magic buried deep inside her. Every year, the people of the Protectorate leave a baby as an offering to the witch who lives in the forest. They hope this sacrifice will keep her from terrorizing their town. But the witch in the forest, Xan, is kind and gentle. She shares her home with a wise Swamp Monster named Glerk and a Perfectly Tiny Dragon, Fyrian. Xan rescues the abandoned children and delivers them to welcoming families on the other side of the forest, nourishing the babies with starlight on the journey. One year, Xan accidentally feeds a baby moonlight instead of starlight, filling the ordinary child with extraordinary magic. Xan decides she must raise this enmagicked girl, whom she calls Luna, as her own. To keep young Luna safe from her own unwieldy power, Xan locks her magic deep inside her. When Luna approaches her thirteenth birthday, her magic begins to emerge on schedule--but Xan is far away. Meanwhile, a young man from the Protectorate is determined to free his people by killing the witch. Soon, it is up to Luna to protect those who have protected her--even if it means the end of the loving, safe world she's always known"--

FIC Lin

Grace Lin.

Where the mountain meets the moon / Grace Lin. -- New York : : Little, Brown and Co.,, 2009...

Minli, an adventurous girl from a poor village, buys a magical goldfish, and then joins a dragon who cannot fly on a quest to find the Old Man of

the Moon in hopes of bringing life to Fruitless Mountain and freshness to Jade River.

FIC Hol

Jennifer L Holm.

Turtle in paradise / Jennifer L Holm. -- New York : : Random House,, c2010..

In 1935, when her mother gets a job housekeeping for a woman who does not like children, eleven-year-old Turtle is sent to stay with relatives she has never met in far away Key West, Florida.

FIC Bur

Ann E Burg.

Unbound / Ann E Burg. -- New York : : Scholastic Press,, 2016..

The day nine-year-old Grace is called to work in the kitchen in the Big House, everyone warns her to to keep her head down and her thoughts to herself, but the more she sees of the oppressive Master and his hateful wife, the more she hears a voice in her head questioning how white folks can own other people, sell them on the auction block, and separate families forever. When that voice escapes her without warning one day, her family must escape to Dismal Swamp to avoid being separated forever.

741.5 Nap

Donna Jo Napoli, and David Wiesner.

Fish Girl / Donna Jo Napoli, and David Wiesner. -- New York : : Clarion Books,, [2017].

Fish Girl, a young mermaid living in a boardwalk aquarium, has never interacted with anyone beyond the walls of her tank until a chance encounter with an ordinary girl, Livia. Their growing friendship inspires Fish Girl's longing for freedom, independence, and a life beyond the aquarium tank.

813.54 Pow

Patricia Hruby Powell, and Shadra Strickland.

Loving vs. Virginia / Patricia Hruby Powell, and Shadra Strickland. -- San Francisco : : Chronicle Books,, [2017].

In 1955, in Caroline County, Virginia, amidst segregation and prejudice, injustice and cruelty, two teenagers fell in love. Their life together broke the law. But their determination would change it. Richard and Mildred Loving were at the heart of a landmark Supreme Court case that legalized marriage between races.

FIC Flo

Tim Floreen.

Willful machines / Tim Floreen. -- New York : : Simon Pulse,, 2015..

In a near-future America, a sentient computer program named Charlotte has turned terrorist, but Lee Fisher, the closeted son of an ultraconservative President, is more concerned with keeping his Secret Service detail from finding out about his developing romance with Nico, the new guy at school, but when the spider-like robots that roam the school halls begin acting even stranger than usual, Lee realizes he is Charlotte's next target.

FIC Vol

Paul Volponi. Black and white / Paul Volponi. -- New York : : Viking,, 2005..

Two star high school basketball players, one black and one white, experience the justice system differently after committing a crime together and getting caught.

741.5 Hal Nathan Hale.

One trick pony / Nathan Hale. -- New York : : Amulet Books., [2017].

In a future where alien beings consume technology as a few humans try to preserve it, Strata, her brother, and a friend are separated from their caravan and, with a wonderful robotic horse, must fight their way back.

741.5 And

M. T Anderson, Andrea Offermann, and Chrétien.

Yvain / M. T Anderson, Andrea Offermann, and Chrétien. -- Somerville, Massachusetts :: Candlewick Press,, [2017].

In a stunning visual interpretation of a 12th-century epic poem by Chrétien de Troyes, readers are transported into a classic Arthurian romance

complete with errant knights, plundering giants, and fire-breathing dragons.

FIC Rio

Rick Riordan.

The dark prophecy / Rick Riordan. -- Los Angeles : : Disney-Hyperion,, [2017].

Zeus has punished his son Apollo---god of the sun, music, archery, poetry, and more---by casting him down to earth in the form of a gawky, acne-covered sixteen-year-old mortal named Lester.

FIC Ode

Scott O'Dell.

Island of the Blue Dolphins / Scott O'Dell. -- New York : Bantam Doubleday Dell Books for Young Readers, 1987, c1960.

Records the courage and self-reliance of an Indian girl who lived alone for eighteen years on an isolated island off the California coast when her tribe emigrated and she was left behind.

FIC Car

Lewis Carroll, and John Tenniel.

Alice's adventures in Wonderland / Lewis Carroll, and John Tenniel. -- New York : Aladdin Classics, 2000.

A little girl falls down a rabbit hole and discovers a world of nonsensical and amusing characters.

FIC Fit

F. Scott Fitzgerald.

The great Gatsby / F. Scott Fitzgerald. -- New York : Simon & Schuster, 1995, c1953.

Classical portrayal of love and violence during the Twenties.

FIC Bro

Charlotte Bronte.

Jane Eyre / Charlotte Bronte. -- Jacksonville, III.} : Perma-Bound Books, c1988.

A poor, orphaned governess meets and falls in love with a brooding, melancholy man given to rough outbursts of temper.

FIC Sai

Antoine de Saint-Exupry, and Richard Howard.

The little prince / Antoine de Saint-Exupry, and Richard Howard. -- San Diego : Harcourt, c2000.

An aviator whose plane is forced down in the Sahara Desert encounters a little prince from a small planet who relates his adventures in seeking the secret of what is important in life.

FIC Tol

J. R. R Tolkien.

The lord of the rings / J. R. R Tolkien. -- Boston : Houghton Mifflin, 2002?], c1994.

J. R. R. Tolkien's classic novel in which the hobbit Frodo and the Fellowship of the Ring undertake a great quest--to journey across Middle-earth and cast the One Ring, filled with the power of the Dark Lord Sauron, into the Cracks of Doom.

FIC Bau

L. Frank Baum.

The wizard of Oz / L. Frank Baum. -- New York : Aladdin Paperbacks, 1999.

After a cyclone transports her to the land of Oz, Dorothy must seek out the great wizard in order to return to Kansas.

FIC Lon

Jack London, and Philippe Munch.

The call of the wild / Jack London, and Philippe Munch. -- New York : Viking, 1996, c1994.

The adventures of an unusual dog, part St. Bernard, part Scotch shepherd, that is forcibly taken to the Klondike goldfields where he eventually becomes the leader of a wolf pack. Includes illustrations and extended captions providing background information on history, geography, social customs, animals, architecture, literature, and science pertinent to the story.

FIC Sac

Louis Sachar.

Holes / Louis Sachar. -- New York : Dell Yearling, 2000], c1998.

As further evidence of his family's bad fortune which they attribute to a curse on a distant relative, Stanley Yelnats is sent to a hellish correctional camp in the Texas desert where he finds his first real friend, a treasure, and a new sense of himself.

FIC Avi Avi.

Crispin / Avi. -- New York : Hyperion Paperbacks for Children, 2004, c2002.

Falsely accused of theft and murder, an orphaned peasant boy in fourteenth-century England flees his village and meets a larger-than-life juggler who holds a dangerous secret.

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