

8th Grade Summer Learning Engagements!

Language Arts:

Students will be expected to read a total of 500 minutes over the summer. Students can choose fiction or non-fiction texts in the form of a novel, biography, newspaper/magazine article or informational text.

Students will need to fill out the chart (see reverse) to be turned in when returning to school to Ms. Geraghty for a grade. If students read more than 500 minutes, they can earn extra credit.

Students can also earn Turtle Tokens for completing reading minutes.

- 500-400 = 75 Turtle Tokens
- 399-300 = 50 Turtle Tokens
- 299-200 = 25 Turtle Tokens
- 199-100 = 15 Turtle Tokens

Reading Log Rubric

Time Spent Reading	Score
500 minutes	200 points
450-499	180 points
400-449	170 points
350-399	160 points
300-349	150 points
250-299	140 points
200-249	130 points
150-199	120 points
100-149	100 points
0-99	0 points

COMMUNITY PROJECT PLAN

In preparation for the 8th Grade Collaborative Community Project, think critically and reflectively about what you are passionate about and may want to explore further. Create a list of at least four potential topics you would like to be the focus of Community Project with rationale of *why* there is a need for this project. Categorize your interests into Sustainable Development Goals (SDG). Some research may be needed! Please turn in to Ms. Geraghty.



<https://www.globalgoals.org/goals/>



All Assignments
Due August 12th!