

# ST. PETER CENTRAL CATHOLIC

Summer Reading List, 2021  
for students Entering Grade 6

All students must read the following required book:

**Hatchet**

by Gary Paulsen

All students must also choose ONE additional book from the following:

**Posted**

by John David Anderson

**Travel Team**

by Mike Lupica

**The River**

by Gary Paulsen

**Skelling**

by David Almond

**Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes**

by Eleanor Coerr

**Blended**

by Sharon Draper

**Frindle**

by Andrew Clements

For this project, you can choose either a scientist or a mathematician. So we have a wide variety of scientists and mathematicians to explore in the fall, try to choose a person who has the same first or last initial as you! Below is a list of examples you can choose from. Feel free to research and find a name that is not on the list.

- Isaac Newton
- Galileo
- Alfred North Whitehead
- Blaise Pascal
- Archimedes
- John von Neumann
- Sophie Germain
- Ada Lovelace
- Euclid
- Ptolemy
- Katherine Johnson
- Mae Jemison
- Hypatia
- Jane Goodall
- Albert Einstein
- Marie Curie
- Charles Darwin
- Nicolaus Copernicus
- Nikola Tesla
- Alexander Graham Bell
- Alfred Nobel
- Rene Descartes
- Fibonacci
- Hero of Alexandria
- Florence Nightingale
- Fun Chung

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### Famous Scientist Project

There are two steps to this project.

1. You are to research a famous scientist. Once you have the information, you are to type a paragraph using the information you found. (70 points)
2. You will construct a biography bottle for that person. (30 points)

Who are you researching? (5 points)

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What year was this person born? (5 points)

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What year did this person die? (5 points)

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Where was this person born? (5 points)

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Why was this person famous? (10 points)

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What is something important that this person accomplished? (10 points)

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What was a challenge that this person had to overcome? (10 points)

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How did this person overcome the challenge they had to face? (10 points)

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What is a fun fact about this person? (10 points)

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Example of biography bottle:

