

Middle School Reading List

Everything is Possible

Title	Author	Mindset
<i>Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History</i>	Vashti Harrison	Everything is Possible
<i>I am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban</i>	Malala Yousafzai and Christina Lamb	Everything is Possible
<i>Wonder</i>	R. J. Palacio	Everything is Possible
<i>Wish</i>	Barbara O'Connor	Everything is Possible
<i>The Diary of Anne Frank</i>	Frances Goodrich	Everything is Possible
<i>Throw Like a Girl: How to Dream Big and Believe in Yourself</i>	Jennie Finch	Everything is Possible
<i>The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind</i>	William Kamkwamba	Everything is Possible
<i>The Value of Believing in Yourself</i>	Spencer Johnson	Everything is Possible
<i>The Power of Positive Thinking</i>	Norman Vincent Peale	Everything is Possible

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Passion First

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<i>What Color is Your Parachute? For Teens: Discovering Yourself, Defining Your Future</i>	Richard N Bolles and Carol Christen	Passion First
<i>The Success Principles for Teens: How to get From Where You are to Where You Want to Be</i>	Jack Canfield and Kent Healy	Passion First
<i>Now, Discover Your Strengths</i>	Marcus Buckingham and Donald O. Clifton	Passion First
<i>Walk Two Moons</i>	Sharon Creech	Passion First
<i>Fish in a Tree</i>	Lynda Mullaly Hunt	Passion First
<i>Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different</i>	Karen Blumenthal	Passion First
<i>The Alchemist</i>	Paulo Coelho	Passion First
<i>Courage to Soar: A Body in Motion, A Life in Balance</i>	Simone Biles	Passion First
<i>Quiet Power: The Secret Strengths of Introverts</i>	Susan Cain, Gregory Mone, and Erica Moroz	Passion First

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We are Connected

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<i>The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian</i>	Sherman Alexie	We are Connected
<i>Bud, Not Buddy</i>	Christopher Paul Curtis	We are Connected
<i>Half a World Away</i>	Cynthia Kadohata	We are Connected
<i>Raymie Nightingale</i>	Kate DiCamillo	We are Connected
<i>A Handful of Stars</i>	Cynthia Lord	We are Connected
<i>Black Pioneers of Science and Invention</i>	Louis Haber	We are Connected
<i>The Freedom Writers Diary: How a Teacher and 150 Teens Used Writing to Change Themselves and the World Around Them</i>	The Freedom Writers with Erin Gruwell	We are Connected
<i>Girl Rising: Changing the World One Girl at a Time</i>	Tanya Lee Stone	We are Connected
<i>The Bluest Eye</i>	Toni Morrison	We are Connected

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100% Accountable

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<i>Divergent</i>	Veronica Roth	100% Accountable
<i>Counting by 7s</i>	Holly Goldberg Sloan	100% Accountable
<i>The Outsiders</i>	S. E. Hinton	100% Accountable
<i>The Best Man</i>	Reichard Peck	100% Accountable
<i>Wolf Hollow</i>	Lauren Wolk	100% Accountable
<i>Persepolis: The Story of Childhood</i>	Marjane Satrapi	100% Accountable
<i>Boy: Tales of Childhood</i>	Roald Dahl	100% Accountable
<i>The Truth about Forever</i>	Sarah Dessen	100% Accountable
<i>Do Hard Things: A Teenage Rebellion Against Low Expectations</i>	Alex and Brett Harris	100% Accountable

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Attitude of Gratitude

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<i>Armstrong & Charlie</i>	Steven B. Frank	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>Attitude is Everything: 10 Life-Changing Steps to Turning Attitude into Action</i>	Keith Harrell	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>Ghost</i>	Jason Reynolds	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>Sticks and Stones</i>	Abby Cooper	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>I Will Always Write Back: How One Letter Changed Two Lives</i>	Martin Ganda	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>Soul Surfer: A True Story of Faith, Family, and Fighting to Get Back on the Board</i>	Bethany Hamilton	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>Pay It Forward</i>	Catherine Ryan Hyde	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>It's Kind of a Funny Story</i>	Ned Vizzini	Attitude of Gratitude
<i>The Mindful Teen: Powerful Skills to Help You Handle Stress One Moment at a Time</i>	Dzung X. Vo	Attitude of Gratitude

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Live to Give

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<i>The Go-Giver: A Little Story about a Powerful Business Idea</i>	Bob Burg and John David Mann	Live to Give
<i>The Giver</i>	Lois Lowry	Live to Give
<i>The Hundred Dresses</i>	Eleanor Estes	Live to Give
<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	Harper Lee	Live to Give
<i>Rules</i>	Cynthia Lord	Live to Give
<i>The Glass Castle</i>	Jeannette Walls	Live to Give
<i>All the Bright Places</i>	Jennifer Niven	Live to Give
<i>Maybe One Day</i>	Melissa Kantor	Live to Give
<i>Be a Changemaker: How to Start Something that Matters</i>	Laurie Ann Thompson	Live to Give

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The Time is Now

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<i>Patina</i>	Jason Reynolds	The Time is Now
<i>The Richest Man in Babylon: The Success Secrets of the Ancients</i>	George S. Clason	The Time is Now
<i>The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens</i>	Sean Covey	The Time is Now
<i>The Breadwinner</i>	Deborah Ellis	The Time is Now
<i>The Paperboy</i>	Vince Vawter	The Time is Now
<i>Tuesdays with Morrie</i>	Mitch Albom	The Time is Now
<i>The Last Lecture</i>	Randy Pausch	The Time is Now
<i>The 6 Most Important Decisions You'll Ever Make: A Guide for Teens</i>	Sean Covey	The Time is Now
<i>Unbroken (The Young Adult Adaptation)</i>	Laura Hillenbrand	The Time is Now

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