

RECOMMENDED TEXTS FOR INDEPENDENT READING

6th Grade English Unit 4

Fiction Texts with Aligned Themes and Topics

- *Look Both Ways: A Tale Told in Ten Blocks* by Jason Reynolds (750L)
- *Monster* by Walter Dean Myers (670L)
- *When I was the Greatest* by Jason Reynolds (740L)
- *Ghost Boys* by Jewell Parker Rhodes
- *Eleanor & Park* by rainbow rowell
- *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio
- *As Brave As You* by Jason Reynolds (750L)
- *Blended* by Sharon Draper (610L)
- *Other Words for Home* by Jasmine Warga
- *New Kid* by Jerry Craft (GN320L)
- *Genesis Begins Again* by Alica D. Williams (670L)
- *Song for a Whale* by Lynne Kelly (800L)
- *The Stars Beneath Our Feet* by David Barclay Moore (650L)
- *The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora* by Pablo Cartaya (750L)
- *The Season of Styx Malone* by Kekla Magoon (510L)

Additional Texts by the Author

- *That Was Then, This is Now* by SE Hinton
- *Rumble Fish* by SE Hinton