



St. Jude the Apostle School

9150 Highland Road • Baton Rouge, LA 70810 • (225) 769-2344 • FAX: (225) 769-0671 • www.stjudebr.org



St. Jude the Apostle School Summer Reading 2025

7th Grade Literature

- (1) Read the novel ***Bloom*** by Kenneth Oppel. Both an Accelerated Reader quiz and an in-class written test will be taken on this novel during the first full week of school. For this novel, you will write your own title for each chapter. The title should reflect the plot of the given chapter. You will also write one question that YOU have about the novel at that point. **You will turn this in on the first day of class.** Please see the attached example for formatting.

- (2) Choose a second book from the list below. **Complete the attached notes page after you read the book.** You will take an AR test on this book. It will be a grade for the first nine weeks. **If a student took an AR test on the book during a previous school year, it will NOT count as summer reading for the 2025-2026 school year.**

7th Grade Literature Choice Book Options:
<i>Flipped</i> by Wendelin Van Draanen
<i>Loot: How to Steal a Fortune</i> by Jude Watson
<i>Projekt 1065</i> by Alan Gratz

Name

Literature

Date

Grade

Bloom by Kenneth Oppel

Prologue

Title: Looking for Dad

Question: How did Anaya get separated from her father?

Formatting information

Font: Times New Roman

Size: 12 pt font

Spacing: Double Spaced (except for your heading that should be single spaced)

Name: _____ Date: _____ Period: _____

Notes Page

Choice Novel Selection:

Who were the main characters in the novel? Describe their personalities.

What was the major problem in the novel? Who was involved? How was it resolved?

Where did the story take place?

Who told the story? A character from the novel or the author?

What were the five most significant plot details? Provide them in chronological order?

What is the theme? What lesson should you take away from this novel?