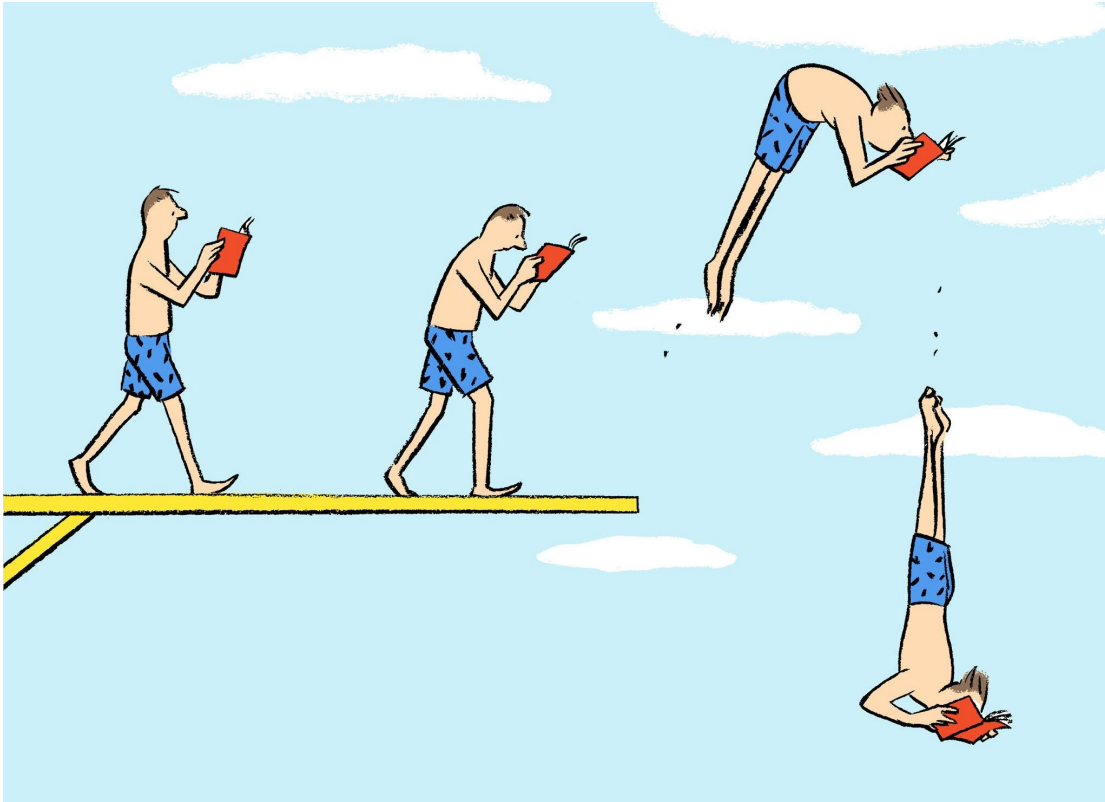


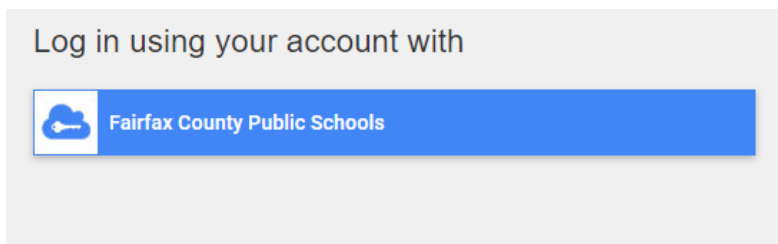
DIVE INTO SUMMER READING!

Rising 7th graders!



There is not a whole class single book required reading assignment for rising 7th graders this year. Instead, students are encouraged to read at least one book that connects to their identity.

- [SLIDESHOW](#) for book recommendations
- Get a head start on becoming a Virginia Reader or just use this list as a starting point for good books to read! [HERE](#) is the link to Virginia Readers' Choice - 2022-2023 book list. Want more info on Virginia Readers? Go to Virginia State Literary Association [HERE](#)
- [LINK](#) to Cooper's Library Destiny catalog. You will be converted to Cooper's catalog on July 1st (or so)
 - the catalog will give you access to books that are available in ebook format from MackinVIA (ebook provider for FCPS). Don't forget to log in using your FCPS username and password (in the top right corner of the page) to get the most out of the catalog!



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- While in [Destiny](#), take a look at the Collections.
 - Don't know what to read? There are Collections for Virginia Readers and Dystopian Fiction. There is a Social Justice Collection, as well – you just may find a book related to your identity. You will have to log in in the top right corner with your FCPS username and password to access Collections. (see above)
- [LINK](#) directly to MackinVia
 - On July 1st ish, you will be converted over to Cooper's catalog and ebooks.
- If you are interested in looking ahead to next year,
 - The first concepts that are taught are Identity/Community and The Unknown.
 - 7th grade English is moving to book clubs entirely in the fall so gone is a single book title being read by the entire class. The first set of book clubs for the fall might include:
 - *The Outsiders* by S.E. Hinton
 - *Fuzzy* by Paul Delinger and Tom Angleberger
 - *I Will Always Write Back* by Caitlin Alifirenka and Martin Ganda
 - *The 5th Wave* by Rick Yancey
 - *Five Feet Apart* by Mikki Daughtry, Rachel Lippincott, and Tobias Iaconis
 - Some additional titles that may be used in book clubs throughout next year include:
 - *Ghost Boys* by Jewell Parker Rhodes
 - *Harbor Me* by Jacqueline Woodson
 - *New Kid* by Jerry Craft
 - *Refugee* by Alan Gratz
 - *Look Both Ways* by Jason Reynolds

Happy Reading!