

## *In Shade or Sun, Summer Reading Is Fun!*

If you are going to be in the sixth grade at St. Theresa School in the fall, you are required to read two books of your choosing this summer. Both books must be Newbery Award or Newbery Honor books. Books should be approved by your parents and be an appropriate length and reading level for your ability.

After reading each of the two books, please be sure to spend some time thinking about the main character in the book. Take some notes on index cards to help you remember the special character traits of the “protagonist” in the books. Be prepared to compare these characters when you come back to school at the end of August. Your index cards will be collected the first week of school.

**HAPPY READING!!**

We will be studying the following books in class this year, so if you have not already read them, PLEASE DO NOT read these books this summer: Crispin the Cross of Lead, Maroo of the Winter Caves, Hatchet, and The Bronze Bow.