

# Summer Assignments

## Summer Reading Assignments

### Students entering grade 8

1. Read *Save Me a Seat* by Sarah Weeks and complete the questions below.
2. Read *Night* by Elie Wiesel and be prepared for discussion in history class. (no questions)

### Students entering grades 6 and 7

1. Read *Save Me a Seat* by Sarah Weeks and complete the questions below.
2. Read a book of your choice and complete the questions below.

Please respond to the following questions to the best of your ability. Answer these questions for *Save Me a Seat* and your book of choice. Please type (double space, Times New Roman, 12 pt.) or use your neatest cursive writing.

Name

Book Title/Author

1. Do the characters seem real and believable? Can you relate to their predicament? Why? Why not? Use text evidence to support your answer.
2. Do the characters remind you of someone you know? How?
3. What do you think happened to the main character after the story ended?
4. Did this book make you laugh? Cry? Cringe? Smile? Cheer? Explain and use text evidence to support your answer.
5. Do you like the ending of this book? Why or why not? Do you think there is more to tell? What do you think might happen next?
6. Do you think the title fits the book? Why or why not?
7. Make either a text to self, text to text, or a text to world connection. (pick one)
  - Text to self: explain how some aspect of the book connects to you and your life
  - Text to text: explain how the book reminds you of another book, poem or song
  - Text to world: explain how the book reminds you of world events, past or present
8. Was there a particularly striking event in the novel? Explain.
9. What did you enjoy about this book? Be specific.

10. How does this book relate to our Catholic faith? Explain.

**Bonus**

Extra books I read this summer (NO REPORT NEEDED)

Please list title and author.

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Parent signature required \_\_\_\_\_