

Battle of the Books



During the 2019-2020 school year, students from grades 3-6 at North Point Elementary will have the opportunity to participate in Battle of the Books, a voluntary reading incentive program that encourages careful reading of quality books in a variety of genres. Students read specific books throughout the year and compete as teams in quiz-show style battles in the spring.

BOB is a national program (<http://www.battleofthebooks.org/>) in which the Alpine School District actively participates. The district encourages its schools to participate as well, including inviting winning 5th/6th grade teams to represent their schools at a district championship each year.

You can get a head start this summer by reading some of the books. It is possible that the list might change slightly by August, so start with the books you're most excited to read. Keep in mind, because you will be a member of a team, you will not need to read all the books yourself. Happy reading!

5th/6th Grade Reading List

The Girl Who Drank the Moon	Barnhill, Kelly
Ruby Holler	Creech, Sharon
Bud, Not Buddy	Curtis, Christopher Paul
City of Ember: The First Book of Ember	DuPrau, Jeanne
Fortunately, the Milk	Gaiman, Neil
Found (The Missing Book 1)	Haddix, Margaret
Ida B...and Her Plans to Maximize Fun, Avoid Disaster,	Hannigan, Katherine
Regarding the Fountain: A Tale, in Letters, of Liars and Leaks	Klise, Kate
Worth	LaFaye, A.
Savvy	Law, Ingrid
Rules	Lord, Cynthia
Snow Treasure	McSwigan, Marie
War Horse	Morpurgo, Michael
The False Prince	Nielsen, Jennifer
Lincoln's Last Days: The Shocking Assassination That Changed	O'Reilly, Bill
Bridge to Terabithia	Paterson, Katherine
Summer of the Monkeys	Rawls, Wilson
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	Rowling, J.K.
Night of the Twisters	Ruckman, Ivy
Dealing with Dragons: The Enchanted Forrest Chronicles, Book 1	Wrede, Patricia C.

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