Rising into 8th Grade Summer Reading List

Joining the Summer Reading Program at your local public library is strongly recommended. Children should read books of interest and ability level.

One mandatory novel- Scar Island by Dan Gemeinhart

Plus attached assignment and reading log

Name
7th Grade going into 8th grade Summer Reading Assignment
Please read Scar Island by Dan Gemeinhart
Part A- Please identify and define at least 10 words throughout the novel that you are not familiar with. Define them in the space provided. This can and should be done as you read the novel. Do not type definitions! Must be hand written on this paper. 1
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Space for additional vocab words (optional)

and grammar.
Dear Dan Gemeinhart,
Sincerely,

Write a meaningful letter to the author of *Scar Island* in the space provided below. You are required to introduce yourself and give some info about yourself, ask the author at least three questions, and tell the author how the book affected you. The letter should be well thought out and checked for spelling

Part B

Summer Reading Record

Please print and return on the first day of school

Book Title	Author	# of Pages	Start Date	End Date	Parent Signature

- Students will read one mandatory and are encouraged to keep a reading log of books read this summer
- A project will be completed on summer reading in the first month of school, at the teacher's discretion.
- Student will complete all reading before the first day back to school and hand in book list

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• PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THE FORM BELOW ************************************	******
Student's Name	Grade
I understand that my child assignment before the first day of school in September	will complete the above reading and
Parent's Signature	Date