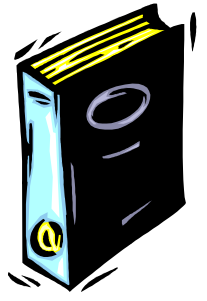




# Welcome to Reading



*"The whole world opened up to me when I learned to read"*

*Mary McLeod Bethune*

## Grade 6 Study Skills -Literacy

All sixth grade students take study skills. This class meets two times per week for half of the year. The program is based on the Landmark Study Skill Program. The class also develops reading skills through read alouds, articles and "Time For Kids".

Organization Skills - Notebook Skills - Main Idea Skills - Note-Taking Skills

*"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you go"*

*Dr. Suess*

## Grade 7 Reading Grade 8 Reading LITERACY

All grade seven students take Reading. This class meets 2 times per week for half of the year. This class will focus on Literacy (reading, writing, listening and speaking), and will include the reading of nonfiction, current events and short stories.

*"It's not true that we have only one life to live; if we can read, we can live as many more lives and as many kinds of lives as we wish."*

*S.I.Hayakawa*

## Grade 8 Reading

Class meets two times per week for half of the year. Through direct instruction and guided reading, vocabulary and comprehension will connect through the literature.

Short stories are read and discussed in class. The elements of a short story will be reviewed and applied to the readings There will be a focus on Literacy.

Special Project: Some Grade 8 students will work with grade 1 students, they share books and special projects.

