

McCleskey 6th Grade ELA Summer Viewing Assignment

Dear Rising 6th Grade Dragons,

This year in 6th grade we will be focusing on the topic of “change”. Instead of assigning a summer reading book, we have decided to ask students to choose a movie to watch with their family and think about how the characters in the film change. Choose a movie from the list below and, as you watch the movie, list 3 characters on the attached graphic organizer. Then fill in the graphic organizer with information about the character. Bring your completed worksheet to school on the first day. Your first writing assignment will be based on this viewing and you will be able to use your notes to help you with your assignment. Have fun and enjoy the movie! While this is the assignment for the summer, we still encourage you to enjoy a good book or two of your choosing. We look forward to meeting you in August.

Have a great summer,

McCleskey 6th Grade ELA Teachers

Below are the movies we would like you to choose from. Please be aware that some of the movies have a PG rating, so parents and guardians need to approve the movie beforehand.

Groundhog Day	Ice Age Continental Drift	Encanto
Hidden Figures	The Sound of Music	Akeelah and the Bee
The Wizard of Oz	Emperor’s New Groove	Apollo 13
Over the Moon	Bambi	Inside Out
How to Train Your Dragon	Brave	Coco
Raya and the Last Dragon	Rio	The Princess and the Frog

Name: _____

Movie Title: _____

Character Name and Description	What was the character's personality like at the beginning of the movie? What details from the movie show this character trait?	What was the character's personality like at the end of the movie? What details from the movie show this character trait?	What was an obstacle or challenge the character had to overcome in the movie?