

## Summer Reading 2019

For students entering grade: 8

Teacher assigning summer reading: Mrs. Cindy Buss

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Work to be completed by and submitted on August 16, 2019

Title: *And Then There Were None*

Author: Agatha Christie

Assessment: After reading *And Then There Were None*, students will be asked to respond to a reflective question to be answered in class during the first week of school.

Accelerated Reader: Students may choose, but are not required, to take an accelerated reader test on *And Then There Were None*, if one is available, upon their return to school in August.

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Title: *Pictures of Hillis Woods*

Author: Patricia Reilly Giff

**Assignment:** Hollis Woods is an artist who uses her artistic vision to stress the importance of family. For this assignment, students will use their creativity to craft a collage which focuses on family. The collage should be created on a 16-inch by 20-inch canvas and employ a variety of mediums - buttons, chipboard, doilies, dried flowers, embroidery floss, fabric, felt, faux gems, fringe, game pieces, gift tags, greeting cards, hardware, lace, magazine pages, pipe cleaners, pom-poms, photographs, ribbon, sequins, stickers, wire wrapping paper, yarn, to name a few.

**Accelerated Reader:** Students will be required to take an accelerated reader test on *Pictures of Hollis Woods* **upon their return to school in August**. Students must wait until school has begun to take an accelerated reader test on this book. This accelerated test along with the collage and collage presentation will form the basis for the grade on this summer reading assignment. (Information about the collage presentation will be discussed in class the first week of school.)