

## CGLA 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Reading

Required book for 8th grade:

***Fever 1793*** by Laurie Halse Anderson

**Prompt: Write a narrative essay from Mattie's perspective include a description of the conditions in which she lived, her response, and what YOU would do differently if you were Mattie during 1793. Your response must be TWO pages, including dialogue.**

Suggested choice books:

Classic Historical Fiction:

***Little Women*** by Louisa May Alcott

Realistic Fiction:

***The Skin I'm In*** by Sharon Flake

***A Mango Shaped Space*** by Wendy Mass

Historical Fiction:

***The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman*** by Ernest J Gaines

***The River Between Us*** by Richard Peck

Fantasy/Science Fiction:

***Fairest*** by Gail Carson Levine

Complete the writing activity for your **required** book. You must have **this response** completed **before** the start of school. For your choice books, fill out your READO card and a reading log for each book.