

SUMMER READING FOR SMCS 6th - 8th GRADES 2021

This summer you will be reading a book by author *Jason Reynolds* titled “As Brave As You”. The book is available at most bookstores, Amazon, and the public library. An audio version of the book (read by Jason Reynolds himself), is available at <https://www.jasonwritesbooks.com/books>

After reading the book “As Brave As You”, select **TWO (2)** of the options from the Choice Board below to complete as your summer assignment.



AS BRAVE AS YOU CHOICE BOARD

Choose three character traits to describe Genie. Make sure to use text evidence to support the traits you have chosen. Consider his thoughts, feelings, actions, and his words.	Make a list of five questions for which you've always wondered the answer. Then, research the answer to the questions. Create a poster showing the information you have learned.	Compose an acrostic poem using the word, “Bravery”.
Illustrate the setting differences in <i>As Brave as You</i> . Fold a paper in half. On one side, illustrate Brooklyn. On the other, draw scenes from Virginia. Capture the details from the text in your drawings.	Create a Quote Quilt. Fold your paper in half once, then fold it again. You should now have a paper with 4 rectangles on it. In each section, write an important quote from the novel. On the back, explain the importance of the quotes you have chosen.	Compare and contrast Genie and Emile. Use a venn diagram to organize your thinking. Then, write two paragraphs explaining their similarities and differences.
Design a book jacket for <i>As Brave as You</i> . On the front, design a new cover. On the back, include a short summary and book review.	Create a presentation with information about blindness. One source is listed below. Use more than one source. You may use iMovie, Prezi, PowerPoint, Google slides, or another medium you choose. http://kidshealth.org/en/kids/visual-impaired.html	Find five examples of figurative language in the novel. Identify the type and explain what each example means. You can present your information in a booklet or foldable.