## 2023 SCS Summer Reading: 7th and 8th Grade

## MANDATORY NOVEL:

- 7<sup>th</sup> GRADE students, read the nonfiction novel *Chasing King's Killer* by James Swanson.
- 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE students, read the nonfiction novel *Chasing Lincoln's Killer* by James Swanson.

Students will take a test the first week of school on their novel. This test grade will go into PlusPortals.

## **SECOND NOVEL:**

Students will choose a second novel for summer reading from the following:

- Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein (or another book from the series if you have already taken this AR test)
- Fish in a Tree by Lynda Mullaly Hunt
- The Fourteenth Goldfish by Jennifer Holm
- The Land of Stories: The Wishing Spell by Chris Colfer (or another book from the series if you have already taken this AR test)
- Slacker by Gordon Korman
- Spy School by Stuart Gibbs (or another book from the series if you have already taken this AR test)
- *Travel Team* by Mike Lupica (or another book written by Mike Lupica if you have already taken this AR test)

Students will create and present a movie trailer on their selected novel, using iMovie on their SCS iPads, within the first two weeks of school.

If you have any questions or concerns, please email Mrs. Hauerwas at ehauerwas@stcoleman.org.