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Dear Rising Form I Students,

We will be studying American history in Form I. To prime you for the experience, the summer reading is a work of historical fiction about a boy who goes to Jamestown as the page of Captain John Smith. While you read the book, pay keen attention to the following three topics:

- Important and interesting information about the historical time period in England and Jamestown.
- Cultural differences between the English settlers and Algonquin Natives.
- Key decisions facing characters and the life lessons they learned or did not learn.

Underline and annotate sections of the book that relate to these three topics (time period, cultural differences and life lessons). We will discuss the book in September.

Wishing you a wonderful summer,

Mrs. Bosworth