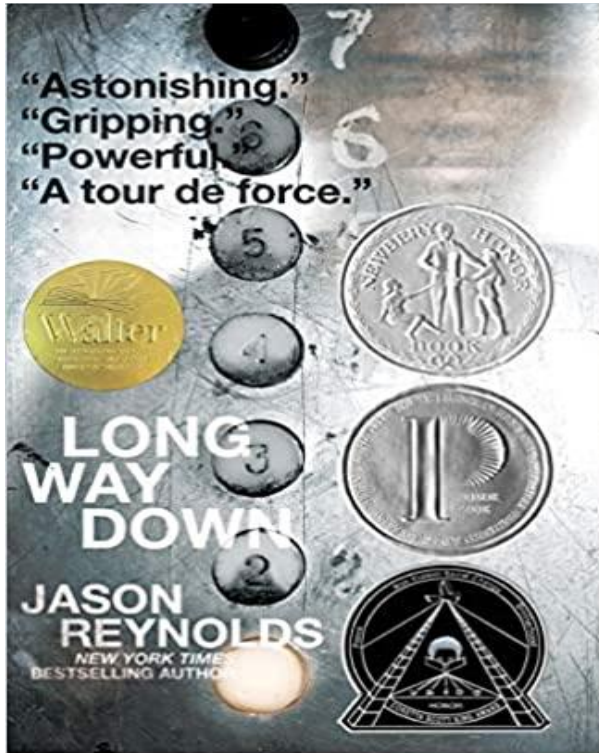




PRESENTING A FAMILY BOOK CIRCLE OPPORTUNITY!



You and your SOTA Student
are invited to read...

Long Way Down

Written by New York Times
Bestselling Author

Jason Reynolds

Join the SOTA Community
Discussion Circle

Thursday, June 3, 2021
6:00-8:00 PM

Long Way Down is a remarkable novel... a fast and furious, dazzlingly brilliant look at teenage gun violence. Told in verse, it has been likened to a mash-up of *A Christmas Carol* and *BOYZ N THE HOOD*. The book takes place in sixty potent seconds—the time it takes a kid to decide whether or not he is going to murder the guy who killed his brother. It tells the gripping story of a brother who feels compelled to avenge his brother's death and the struggles that lead him to his final decision. It examines the things that haunt us, the weight of doing what is right, and how a whole life can change in an instant. The timely book is a very quick read that will surely impact your family's heart and mind!

Seats are limited. If you are interested, please complete the following steps:

1. Email JOANN.ASPENLEITER@RCSDK12.ORG indicating your interest,
2. In the subject line of the email, please write – LONG WAY DOWN,
3. Please include your current mailing address,
4. Indicate if you would prefer audio, eBook, or hard copy.

When we receive your email, we will send you an envelope containing:

1. Your choice of audio, eBook, or hard copy of the book,
2. Discussion questions,
3. A return envelope for the book. We plan to use this book in the future, so please return it to the SOTA library,
4. Complete information about the Discussion Circle scheduled for Thursday, June 3, 2021.

We look forward to sharing this event with you and your family!
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