

# 21st Century Instructional Initiative Grant Recipients 2018-2019

## Read the Outside: Year Two

Sparrows Point Middle School  
Ms. Jen Gounaris, Principal  
Ms. Kate Bonning, Teacher  
Environmental Literacy  
Communication and  
Collaboration

- Facilitated collaborative meaning-making.
- Significantly increased reading ability as measured by MAP.
- Developed background knowledge, enabling striving learners to better grasp science concepts.
- Encouraged robust text talk among students.
- Engaged reluctant readers with high interest texts.

