

SUMMER READING



The goal of summer reading is to continue the development of the following lifelong reading habits:

- dedicate time to reading on a daily basis
- successfully self-select reading material
- share books and reading with other readers

Students are encouraged to choose books that meet their individual interests and needs, read daily for 20-30 minutes, track their progress, and share about their reading. They are encouraged to read as many books as they can to continue to build their reading habits. **When students return to school, they will share their reading progress and discuss their favorite book read over summer break through a book talk.**

The following lists include several books with a variety of genres for each grade level. Use this list as a guide and starting point for selecting books. **Students may choose books from this list, as well as other books they are interested in reading.** Students are **required** to keep track of their progress by completing the 'Summer Reading Progress' page. The 'Summer Reading Notes' is a **required** place for students to write about their reading. **Students must read at least 2 chapter books.**

GRADE 3

Stella Diaz has Something to Say by Angela Dominguez
Ellie
Mindy Kim and the Yummy Seaweed Business by Lyla Lee
Engineer by Jackson Pearce
STAT: Standing Tall and Talented: Home Court by Amar'e Stoudemire
One-Third Nerd by Gennifer Choldenko
Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo
Hamster Princess Harriet the Invincible by Ursula Vernon
A Boy Called Bat by Elana K. Arnold
Bob by Wendy Mass and Rebecca Stead
Beatrice Zinker, Upside Down Thinker by Shelley Johannes
The Toad: The Disgusting Critters Series by Elise Gravel
Rocket to the Moon: Big Ideas That Changed the World by Don Brown
Olga and the Smelly Thing From Nowhere by Elise Gravel
Dolphin Rescue (Animal Planet Adventures #1) by Catherine Nichols
Sarai and the Meaning of Awesome by Sarai Gonzalez and Monica Brown
Clementine series by Sara Pennypacker
The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary
Fantastic Mr. Fox by Roald Dahl
The Great Shelby Holmes by Elizabeth Eulberg

GRADE 4

Dragon with a Chocolate Heart by Stephanie Burgis
Amulet series by Kazu Kibuishi
Percy Jackson and the Olympians by Rick Riordan
The Land of Stories by Chris Colfer
The One and Only Bob by Katherine Applegate
Pie in the Sky by Remy Lai
Katarina Ballerina by Tiler Peck and Kyle Harris
The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary
Beatrice Zinker, Upside Down Thinker by Shelley Johannes
The Great Shelby Holmes by Elizabeth Eulberg
The Magical Reality of Nadia by Bassem Youssef and Catherine R. Daly
The Terrible Two by Mac Barnett and Jory John
Phoebe and Her Unicorn by Dana Simpson
Esperanza Rising by Pam Munoz Ryan
Lifeboat 12 by Susan Hood
Escape This Book Tombs of Egypt by Bill Doyle
Prairie Lotus by Linda Sue Park
Gross As A Snot Otter: The World of Weird Animals by Jess Keating
From an Idea to Nike: How Marketing Made Nike a Global Success by Lowey Bundy Sichol
Beavers: The Superpower Field Guides by Rachel Poliquin
The Thrifty Guide to Ancient Rome by Jonathan W. Stokes

GRADE 5

A Place to Hang the Moon by Kate Albus
Lifeboat 12 by Susan Hood
Prairie Lotus by Linda Sue Park
Brother's Keeper by Julie Lee
Cub by Cynthia L. Copeland
Queen of the Sea by Dylan Meconis
The War That Saved My Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
Measuring Up by Lily LaMotte
Roll with It by Jamie Sumner
Efrén Divided by Ernesto Cisneros
Restart by Gordon Korman
No Fixed Address by Susin Nielsen
New Kid by Jerry Craft
Song for a Whale by Lynne Kelly
A Whale of the Wild by Rosanne Parry
The Elephant in the Room by Holly Goldberg Sloan
Katie the Catsitter by Colleen AF Venable
The Thrifty Guide to Ancient Rome by Jonathan Stokes
Nonfiction Accidental Archeologists by Sarah Albee
Two Truths and a Lie by Ammi-Joan Paquette and Laurie Ann Thompson
Middle School: The Worst Years of my Life by James Patterson & Chris Tebbetts
The Worst Class Trip Ever by Dave Barry
The Last Kids on Earth by Max Brallier
Pie in the Sky by Remy Lai
The Last Day of Summer by Lamar Giles
Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus by Dusti Bowling

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