



REQUIRED SUMMER READING
(Each student must complete a minimum of 4 titles)

1st Grade

Handbook for Reading
Review all reading books from Kindergarten
James Chapter 1 – NIV
Dr. Seuss Books
Little Golden Books
A Treasury of Mother Goose
The Courage of Sarah Noble – Alice Dalgleish
A Chair for My Mother – Vera Williams

2nd Grade

Handbook for Reading
James Chapter 1-2 – NIV
Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs – Judi Barrett
The Drinking Gourd – F.N. Monjo
Harry and the Lady Next Door – Gene Zion
Dr. Seuss
Andy and the Lion – James Daugherty
The Bravest Cat – Laura Driscoll:
The Littles – John Lawrence Peterson
There's Nothing to Do! – James Stevenson
Pablo Picasso – Ibi Lepsky:
No Such Things – Bill Peet:
Squanto and the First Thanksgiving – Joyce Kessel The Boxcar Children – Gertrude Warner

3rd Grade

Handbook for Reading
James Chapter 1-3 – NIV
Adventures in Odyssey Series – Paul McCusker Pippi Longstocking – Atrid Lindgren:
Surprise Island: The Boxcar Children #2 and other Boxcar Children series books Muggie
Maggie – Beverly Cleary:
The Reluctant Dragon – Kenneth Grahame: Mrs. Piggle Wiggle – Betty MacDonald:
The Mouse and the Motorcycle – Beverly Cleary: Martin's Mice – Dick King-Smith:
Linnea in Monet's Garden – Lena Anderson: Little House Series – Laura Ingalls Wilder

4th Grade

James Chapter 1-2 – NIV
Abraham Lincoln: The Great Emancipator – Augusta Stevenson A Bear Called Paddington –
Michael Bond
The Bobbsey Twins Series – Laura Lee Hope
Nancy Drew Mysteries
Narnia Series – C.S. Lewis
The Lost Princess – George MacDonald
American Girl Series
Sarah Plain and Tall – Patricia MacLachlan



Stuart Little – E.B. White
Little House Series – Laura Ingalls Wilder
The Black Stallion – Walter Farley
Born Free – Joy Adamson
U.S. Constitution



5th Grade

Book of James – Holy Bible
Left Behind Series
My Life as a – series
Abraham Lincoln – Ingrid and Edgar Parin d'Aulaire
Anne of Green Gables – L.M. Montgomery
The Black Stallion – Walter Farley
George Washington's Socks – Elvira Woodruff
The Hooded Hawk Mystery – Franklin W. Dixon
The Indian in the Cupboard – Lynne Reid Banks
The Incredible Journey – Sheila Burnford
Joni – Joni Erickson Tada
The Secret Garden – Frances Hodgson Burnett
Lassie Come Home – Eric Knight
Robin of Sherwood – Michael Morpurgo
Pollyanna – Eleanor H. Porter
The Wizard of Oz – Frank L. Baum
Robinson Crusoe – Daniel Defoe

6th Grade

Book of James – Holy Bible
Left Behind Series
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Tuck Everlasting – Natalie Babbitt
The Adventures of Marco Polo – Russell Freedman
Climbing Everest – Audrey Salkeld
Harriet Tubman – Ann Petry
Old Yeller – Fred Gipson
Little House on the Prairie – Laura Ingalls Wilder
Journey to the Planets – Patricia Lauber
The Cooper Kid's Adventure Series – Frank Peretti
Narnia Series – C.S. Lewis

7th Grade

Book of James – Holy Bible
Anne Frank Beyond the Diary : A Photographic Remembrance of Holocaust – Rudd Ban der Rol
Rian Diary of a Young Girl, – Anne Frank
Joan of Arc: the Lily Maid – Margaret Hodges
Adventures of Tom Sawyer – Mark Twain
Call It Courage – Armstrong Sperry
Eight Cousins – Louisa May Alcott
The Hobbit Series – J.R.R. Tolkien
The Chronicles of Narnia – C.S. Lewis
The White Seal – Rudyard Kipling, from the Jungle Book stories

8th & Up Grades

James – Holy Bible
All Creatures Great and Small – James Herriot
American Hero: the True Story of Charles A. Lindbergh – Barry Denenberg



Invincible Louisa, the Story of the Author of Little Women – Cornelia Meigs
The Magic Never Ends: the Life of C.S. Lewis – John Tyan
Captain's Courageous – Rudyard Kipling
David Copperfield – Charles Dickens Kidnapped – Robert Louis Stevenson
Robinson Crusoe – Daniel Defoe
The Tell-Tale Heart – Edgar Allen Poe
Portraits of Little Women – Pfeffer
The Call of the Wild – Jack London