

2020 Summer Reading Book Recommendations

Summer reading is an opportunity for free choice reading. Allow your child to select books that interest him/her. Also, many public libraries offer eBooks and online Summer Reading programs. Check out their websites for further information.

Pre-K

You are Light by Aaron Becker

Goodbye, Friend! Hello, Friend! by Cori Doerfeld

The Rabbit Listened by Cori Doerrfeld

We Don't Eat Our Classmates by Ryan T. Higgins

Alpha Oops! The Day Z Went First by Alethea Kontis

Bear Came Along by Richard T. Morris

Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site by Sherri Duskey Rinker

I Wish You More by Amy Krause Rosenthal

Why? by Laura Vaccaro Seeger

Press Here by Herve Tullet

Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus by Mo Willems

The Goose Egg by Liz Wong

Kindergarten

Petra by Marianna Coppo

Click, Clack, Moo Cows That Type by Doreen Cronin

Can I Be Your Dog? by Troy Cummings

Which One Doesn't Belong? Playing With Shapes by Christopher Danielson

When Grandma Gives You a Lemon Tree by Jamie L.B. Deenihan

The Good for Nothing Button by Charise Mericle Harper

Mother Bruce by Ryan T. Higgins

Animals Help Plants by Mary Lindeen

If Rocks Could Sing by Leslie McQuirk

Saturday by Oge Mora

One by Kathryn Otoshi

The Book Hog by Greg Pizzoli

Panda Kindergarten by Joanne Ryder

Water Can Be by Laura Purdie Salas

Is Everyone Ready for Fun? by by Jan Thomas

How to Give Your Cat a Bath by Nicola Winstanley

Big Brown Bear's Cave by Yuval Zoomer

First Grade

What If... by Samantha Berger

What Is Inside This Box? by Drew Daywalt

A New Home by Tania de Regil
The Truth about Bears: Seriously Funny Facts about Your Favorite Animals by Maxwell Eaton
Dreaming Up: A Celebration of Building by Christy Hale
Penny and Her Marble by Kevin Henkes
Move by Steve Jenkins
What Do You Do with a Tail Like This? by Steve Jenkins
Ideas from Nature by Mary Lindeen
Thank You, Omu! by Oge Mora
Perfectly Norman by Tom Percival
Baby Monkey, Private Eye by Brian Selznick
Rhyming Dust Bunnies by Jan Thomas
That is Not a Good Idea by Mo Willems
Stop! Bot! by James Yang

Second Grade

Breaking News: Bear Alert by David Biedrzycki
Let the Children March by Monica Clark-Robinson
Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo
Yasmin the Explorer by Saadia Faruqi
A Hundred Billion Trillion Stars by Seth Fishman
Lovely Beasts: The Surprising Truth by Kate Gardner
Saving Fiona by Thane Maynard
Inky's Amazing Escape: How a Very Smart Octopus Found His Way Home by Sy Montgomery
Dinosaurs Before Dark by Mary Pope Osborne
The Word Collector by Peter H. Reynolds
Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
The Three Little Pigs and the Somewhat Bad Wolf by Mark Teague

Third Grade

Cam Jansen: The Mystery of the Stolen Diamonds by David A. Adler
The Undeclared by Kwame Alexander
The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut by Derrick Barnes
The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary
James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl
Her Right Foot by Dave Eggers
Cute as an Axolotl by Jess Keating
My Journey to the Stars by Scott Kelly
Rescue & Jessica: A Life-Changing Friendship by Jessica Kensky
The Infamous Ratsos by Kara LaReau
Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear by Lindsay Mattick

Ranger in Time Hurricane Katrina Rescue by Kate Messner
Poetree by Shauna LaVoy Reynolds
Because by Mo Willems

Fourth Grade

The Crossover Kwame Alexander
Wishtree by Katherine Applegate
New Kid by Jerry Craft
The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
Math in Nature by Nancy Dickmann
Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11 by Brian Floca
Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein
Sweeping Up the Heart by Kevin Henkes
The Fourteenth Goldfish by Jennifer L. Holm
Animals by the Numbers: A Book of Infographics by Steve Jenkins
Hello, Universe by Erin Entrada Kelly
Curiosity: The Story of a Mars Rover by Markus Motum
Wish by Barbara O'Connor
Nuts to You by Lynne Rae Perkins
Martin Rising: Requiem for a King by Andrea Davis Pinkney
The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan