

## Grades 3-5 Summer Reading Assignment

Students are to choose 2 books from their grade level summer reading list and then answer the questions below in one of the following formats - hand-written, typed, or presented in a Power Point slideshow or Prezi (bring in on a flash drive).

1. What is the title of the book and the name of the author?
2. List and briefly describe two important characters in the story.
3. What is the story's setting (the time period and place)?
4. Briefly describe major events in the story (give 3 to 5 events).
5. The conclusion - explain what happens in the end.
6. Would you recommend this book to a friend? Why or why not

### Third Grade Reading List

*Third Grade is Terrible* by Barbra Baker  
*Muggie Maggie* by Beverly Cleary  
*Cam Jansen Series* by David Adler  
*Great Illustrated Classic Books*  
*Bailey School Kids Series* by Dadey and Marica T. Jones  
*Boxcar Children* by Gertrude Chandler Warner  
*Horrible Harry Series* by Suzy Kline  
*Rainbow Magic Series* by Daisy Meadows  
*Geronimo Stilton Series* by Geronimo Stilton  
*A to Z Mysteries* by Ron Roy  
*Stink Series* by Meg McDonald  
*Ivy Bean Series* by Annie Barrows  
*Magic Tree House Series* by Mary Pope Osborne  
*Mercy Watson Series* by Katie DiCamillo

### 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading List

*The Chocolate Touch* by Patrick Catling  
*The Cricket in Times Square* by George Seldon  
*Dear Mr. Henshaw* by Beverly Cleary  
*James and the Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl  
*Wonder* by R. J. Palacio  
*The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane* by Kate DiCamillo  
*Stone Fox* by John Reynolds Gardiner  
*Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing* by Judy Blume  
*Tornado* by Betsy Byars  
*Caleb's Story* by Patricia MacLachlan  
*Great Illustrated Classic Books*  
*Chronicles of Narnia Series* by C.S. Lewis

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading List

*The Westing Game* by Ellen Raskin  
*A Walk to Remember* by Nicholas Sparks  
*The Witch at Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth George Speare  
*Surviving the Applewhites* by Stephanie Tolan  
*Peeled* by Joan Bauer  
*Loser* by Jerry Spinelli  
*Pillage* by Obert Skye  
*Bridge to Terabithia* by Katherine Patterson  
*Holes* by Louis Sachar  
*Fantastic Mr. Fox* by Wes Anderson  
*Artemis Fowl (Book I)* by Eoin Colfer  
*The Thief Lord* by Cornelia Funke  
*Frankweiler* by E.L. Konigsburg  
*Percy Jackson and the Olympians* by Rick Riordan  
*The Cricket in Times Square* by George Seldon  
*A Series of Unfortunate Events* by Lemony Snicket