

## Suggested Summer Reading List for Students Entering 4th Grade

Authors	Titles
Birney, Betty G.	<i>Humphrey</i> books
Catling, Patrick Skene	<i>Chocolate Touch</i>
Cleary, Beverly	<i>Ramona, Beezus</i> , etc.
Clements, Andrew	<i>Frindle, Extra Credit, The Landry News, Jake Drake, Lost and Found</i> , etc.
Criswell, Patty Kelley	<i>Friends: Making Them and Keeping Them</i>
DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i>
DiTerlizzi, Tony	<i>The Spiderwick Chronicles</i> series
Giff, Patricia Reilly	<i>Fourth Grade Celebrity, Gift Of The Pirate Queen, Girl Who Knew It All, Left-Handed Shortstop, Rat Teeth, Winter Worm Business, Nory Ryan's Song, Lily's Crossing</i> , etc.
Gutman, Dan	<i>My weird school, My weird school daze, The Genius Files, The Homework Machine</i> , etc.
Hunt, Elizabeth Singer	<i>Jack Stalwart</i> Series
Hurwitz, Joanna	<i>Class President, Teacher's Pet</i>
Maddox, Jake	<i>Jake Maddox</i> Books
McDonald, Megan	<i>Judy Moody and Stink</i>
Mochizuki, Ken	<i>Baseball Saved Us</i>
Parrish, Peggy	<i>Amelia Bedelia</i> chapter books
Perkins, Mitali	<i>Rickshaw Girl</i>
Rockwell, Thomas	<i>How to Eat Fried Worms</i>
Scieszka, Jon	<i>Math Curse</i> (a book for math phobics)
Sharmat, Marjorie	<i>Nate the Great</i> books
Smith, Robert Kimmel	<i>Chocolate Fever</i>
Tarshis, Lauren	<i>I Survived</i> series
Warner, Gertrude Chandler	<i>The Boxcar Children</i> series
Wells, Rosemary	<i>Lincoln and His Boys</i>
Winkler, Henry	<i>Hank Zipzer</i> series
Various Authors	<i>Dear America</i> books, <i>My America</i> books, and <i>My Name is America</i>

Any books on the following non-fiction topics that your child would enjoy (and are on their level):

- Any biographies on: Sam Houston, Stephen F. Austin, Davy Crockett, Daniel Boone, Rosa Parks, Martin Luther King, Jr., Helen Keller
- Any books from the *Who was, Who is, What was* series
- Any books on famous Texans or Texas History
- Any books by Gail Gibbons
- Any books by Seymour Simon
- Multiple Intelligences (verbal, visual, mathematical, musical, kinesthetic, naturalistic, etc.)
- Government
- Communication Systems (petroglyphs, pictograms, Morse code, telegram, writing, telephone, etc.)
- Water and how it is used
- Natural Occurrences
- Presidents
- United States
- Rocks and Minerals
- Explorers
- Oceans/Sea Life
- Natural Resources (fossil fuels, renewable energy)