



READ IN THE CAR.  
READ ON THE BEACH.  
READ ON YOUR KINDLE.  
READ ON A PLANE.  
READ IN BED.  
READ, READ, READ ALL  
SUMMER LONG!

OPTIONAL SUMMER ACTIVITY: SEND MRS. COPE A BOOK REVIEW OF ONE OF YOUR SUMMER READS. THIS COULD BE WRITTEN, A PODCAST, OR EVEN A VIDEO! HAVE FUN WITH IT AND MAYBE SEE YOURSELF ON STAGE IN SEPTEMBER!

DO YOU WANT SOME IDEAS ABOUT BOOKS TO READ?

**\*SEE THE CRANE LIBRARY WEBSITE\***  
FOR LINKS TO GREAT READING  
LISTS:

[WWW.CRANESCHOOL.ORG/LIBRARY](http://WWW.CRANESCHOOL.ORG/LIBRARY)

GO VISIT YOUR LOCAL PUBLIC LIBRARY

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READ WHATEVER YOU WANT! SINK  
YOUR TEETH INTO A STACK OF  
GREAT BOOKS.

READING RECORD FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

CRANE COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

# 1000-PAGE SUMMER READING CHALLENGE



GET YOUR PAWS ON A GOOD BOOK

WE CHALLENGE EVERY FIFTH GRADER TO  
READ AT LEAST 1000 PAGES OF AGE-  
APPROPRIATE BOOKS YOU LOVE.

- YOU CHOOSE WHICH BOOKS TO READ!
- ANYONE WHO READS 1000 OR MORE PAGES WILL GET A PRIZE.
- READERS WHO REACH 5000+ PAGES WILL BE PART OF THE "LIBRARIAN'S CIRCLE." 10,000+ PAGES MEANS MR. WEISS WILL INVITE YOU TO LUNCH!
- OPTIONAL SUMMER READING BINGO
- GRAPHIC NOVELS/MAGAZINES COUNT FOR HALF THEIR PAGES.

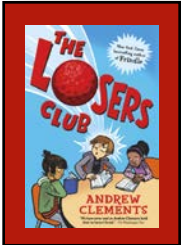
## READING RECORD FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

- RECORD THE TITLE, AUTHOR, AND TOTAL PAGES YOU READ OF EACH BOOK.
- GET A PARENT'S INITIALS FOR EACH BOOK YOU FINISH.
- TURN IN YOUR READING RECORD TO YOUR TEACHER ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL.
- AUDIOBOOKS COUNT, AS DO BOOKS READ MORE THAN ONCE. GRAPHIC NOVELS COUNT FOR HALF THE PAGES.

Title/Author	Pages Read	Parent Initials
<b>Enter your page total here:</b>		

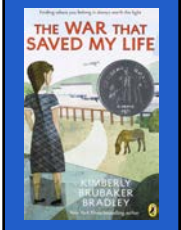
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## MRS. COPE SUGGESTS THESE BOOKS:



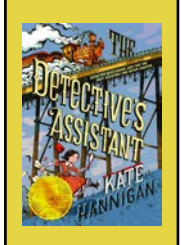
### *Losers Club* by Andrew Clements

Alec is a constant reader and gets into trouble for it. When the principal tries to change Alec, Alec forms a club for kids who want to do their own thing. He is surprised when others join! This one is nominated for the CA Young Reader Medal this year. Clements is a master of school stories for the middle grades—you can't go wrong choosing one of his novels.



### *The War That Saved My Life and The War I Finally Won* by Kimberley Bradley

This award-winning novel of 10 year-old Ada who lives with her younger brother and cruel mother in World War II-era London. When all of the children are being evacuated to the countryside for safety, Ada escapes with her brother. It won the CA Young Reader Medal last year. The sequel is *The War I Finally Won* is nominated for next year. Enjoy!



### *Detective's Assistant* by Kate Hannigan

Nominated by middle schoolers for consideration for the CA Young Reader Medal, this is both a mystery and historical fiction set in the time period of Abraham Lincoln. Read about 11 year-old orphan, Nell, who moves in with her aunt, only to discover that her aunt is a fantastic detective in a time when women don't often have that role. Nell becomes her assistant. Read this and find out how it ends!



### *Echo* by Pam Muñoz Ryan

This book also won the Newbery Honor Medal in 2016. It is one of Ms. Althoff's favorite books—find out why! Three separate stories of young adults trying to find their way are woven together with a magical harmonica. This book is storytelling at its finest! It won the CA Young Reader Medal for middle schoolers last year!



### *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library* by Chris Grabenstein

This won the California Young Reader Medal recently. Kyle wins one of the 12 spaces for a sleepover in the new public library on opening day. Little does he know, there are riddles that must be solved for the kids to be able to leave. This book is filled with fun, as well as book references. You'll love this book! Read its two sequels.



### *Wonder or Auggie and Me* by R.J. Palacio

*Wonder* won the 2016 California Young Reader Medal. Auggie was born with facial differences that prevented him from starting school. He is starting school for the first time as he enters fifth grade. While he wants desperately to fit in, he must learn that it is hard to blend in when you were born to stand out. *Auggie and Me* are three short stories from other characters' points of view. These books are GREAT!