



KING SCHOOL

2021 Summer Assignment

Entering Pre-K

June 2021

Dear Pre-Kindergarten families,

Happy summer break! The following is a list of suggested books that can be read aloud and enjoyed with family.

Taking a walk on the beach to collect, sort and count shells, visiting a zoo or museum, and keeping a journal for sketching and collecting ideas are wonderful ways to help your child continue to practice skills.

Most of all remember to PLAY- any activity can be play or not play, remember the secret sauce is *playfulness*. Be playful together and foster the skills that play can grow, such as developing the ability to see a situation and be curious about it, realize it can be enjoyable, and take agency over it.

Enjoy!

See you soon,

The PreKindergarten Team

Entering Pre-K Summer Reading List

The following is a list of suggested books that can be read and enjoyed with family. Happy reading and have a wonderful summer!

Alice the Fairy by David Shannon
All the World by Liz Scanlon
At the Same Moment, Around the World by Clotilde Perrin
Because of an Acorn by Lola M. Schaefer and Adam Schaefer
Caps for Sale- Esphyr Slobodkina
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom by Bill Martin, Jr. and John Archambault
Corduroy by Don Freeman
Each Peach, Pear, Plum by Janet and Allan Ahlberg
Fresh Picked Poetry by Michelle Schaub
Gyoku by Bob Raczka
How Do You Say/Como Se Dice? by Angela Dominguez
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie (series) by Laura J. Numeroff
In the Sea (poetry) by Davis Elliott
Jabari Jumps by Gala Cornwall
Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Pena
Lion and the Mouse by Jerry Pinkney
The Little Red Cat That Ran Away and Learned His ABC's by Patrick McDonnell
Mango, Abuela and Me by Meg Medina
Me, Jane by Patrick McDonnell
Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel by Virginia Lee Burton
Monsoon Afternoon by Kashmiri Sheth
Mouse Mess by Linnea Riley
Mrs. McNosh Hangs up her Wash by Sarah Weeks
My Granny Went to Market by Stella Blackstone
The Night Gardener by the Fan Brothers
Tiger Can't Sleep- S. J. Fore, Robert W. Alley
Owen (and other titles) by Kevin Henkes
Owl Babies by Martin Wardell
The Random House Book of Poetry by Jack Prelutsky
Shoe-La- La by Karen Beaumont
The Kissing Hand- Audrey Pen
The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats
The Very Fairy Princess by Julie Andrews
When Green Becomes Tomatoes: Poems for All Seasons by Julie Fogliano
When's My Birthday? by Julie Fogliano and Christian Robinson
We Are Growing! by Laurie Keller and Mo Willems

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