



# Trinity Presbyterian School Rising K5 Summer Reading 2023

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Summer Library  
Hours

Tuesdays and  
Wednesdays

8:00 - 1:00

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## Super Read Alouds

*Is This Your Class Pet?* by  
Troy Cummings

*Noodles and the No Bones Day* by  
Jonathan Graziano

*We Forgot Brock* by Carter Goodrich

*Not Especially Special* by Katie Savage

*We Don't Lose Our Class Goldfish* by Ryan T. Higgins

*Old MacDonald Had a Truck* by Steve Goetz

*Max the Brave* by Ed Vere

*Children Make Terrible Pets* by Peter Brown

*Win or Lose I Love You* by Lysa TerKeurst

*Q is for Duck* by Mary Elting and Michael Folsom

*Soaked* by Abi Cushman

*Not Your Nest* by Gideon Sterer

*Stellaluna* by Janelle Cannon

*The Sloth Who Slowed Us Down* by Margaret Wild

*The Bear Who Played the Piano* by David Litchfield

*The Rough Patch* by Brian Lies

*The Love Letter* by Anika Aldamuy Denise



*See You Later, Alligator* by Sally Hopgood

A departing tortoise has his bags packed and is almost ready to set out on an adventure, but he can't leave until he says good-bye to each of his animal friends.

*Pig the Pug* by Aaron Blabey

Pig is a greedy and selfish pug. He has to learn the hard way that being greedy has its consequences.

*Is Your Mama a Llama?* by Deborah Guarino

This book is an enchanting guessing game in which Lloyd the llama sets off to find out from where each animal comes.

*There's a Bear in my Chair* by Alex Latimer

Poor Mouse! A bear has settled in his favorite chair, and that chair just isn't big enough for two.

## Early Readers



*Biscuit* books by Alyssa Satin Capucilli

A little girl and her small puppy share excitement and adventure while enjoying the simple joys of childhood.

*Duck, Duck, Dinosaur* books by Kallie George

Meet Feather, Flap, and Spike. They're three unlikely siblings who each want to stand out.

*Katy Duck* books by Alyssa Satin Capucilli

Katy -- a feisty ballerina-in-the-making who loves to twirl like a leaf, stretch like a flower, and float like a swan.

*Noodle* books by Hans Wilhelm

Fun, playful stories about a young maltese who seems to always find his way into mischief.

*Puppy Mudge* books by Cynthia Rylant

Henry and his lovable puppy, Mudge, will entertain readers with all of their antics and adventures.

Wordless picture books are important additions to your child's library. In the absence of words, your child will be compelled to ask questions, make predictions, and read characters' facial expressions and body language to gain meaning. Wordless books provide the opportunity to increase vocabulary as well as to encourage writing.

## Wordless Picture Books

### ***Owl Bat Bat Owl* by Marie Louise Fitzpatrick**

A mother owl and her three little owlets live happily on their branch. That is, until the bat family moves in.

### ***The Lion and the Mouse* by Jerry Pinkney**

In award-winning artist Jerry Pinkney's wordless adaptation of one of Aesop's most beloved fables, an unlikely pair learn that no act of kindness is ever wasted.

### ***Little Bird* by Germano Zullo**

A man drives his truck up to a cliff's edge. Unable to go any further, he opens the back door of his truck and a flock of birds flies out, but, as the man soon discovers, a small timid bird remains.

### ***Fly* by Mark Teague**

This silly wordless picture book will keep young readers laughing as Baby Bird figures out that he must flap his wings to fly - whether he likes it or not!

### ***Little Fox in the Forest* by Stephanie Graegin**

When a young girl brings her beloved stuffed fox to the playground, much to her astonishment, a real fox takes off with it!



*Go, Dog. Go!*  
*One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish*  
*The Cat in the Hat*  
*Fox in Socks*  
*Hop on Pop*  
 and more!

## Fairy Tales, Folktales, and Fables

**The Little Red Hen**  
**The Three Little Pigs**  
**Little Red Riding Hood**  
**Goldilocks and the Three Bears**  
**Chicken Little**  
**The Gingerbread Man**  
**The Princess and the Frog**  
**Cinderella**  
**Jack and the Beanstalk**  
**Sleeping Beauty**  
**Pinocchio**  
**Elves and the Shoemaker**  
**Ant and the Grasshopper**



## Nonfiction Texts

Kindergartners love reading informational books about animals. The following subjects are often favorites of our youngest readers.

**Cats, Dogs, Horses, Pigs and Sheep**  
**Lions, Tigers, Bears, Elephants, and Hippos**  
**Sharks, Whales and Fish**  
**Insects and Spiders**  
**Snakes, Crocodiles, Turtles and Frogs**  
**plus more!**

One of the most rewarding and important gifts you can give your child is the love of reading. By fostering the love of reading, you will open doors for your child to a world of information and knowledge. Reading encourages the growth of children emotionally, intellectually and spiritually and enables them to become life long learners. It is our hope that you will enjoy many wonderful books with your child this summer.

Happy Reading!

## Summer Library Hours

**Tuesdays and Wednesdays**

**8:00 - 1:00**

**The library will be closed August 7th and August 8th for professional development.**

**The library will reopen Wednesday, August 9th.**

# Summer At The TPS Library



## Don't Miss The Fun!

The Library will be **OPEN** from 8am -1pm on the dates listed below.

May 30-31   June 6-7   June 20-21   June 27-28.

July 11-12   July 18-19.   July 25-26

(Come check out books, take AR quizzes, and explore the INNOVATION ROOM.)

### WACKY WEDNESDAY STORY TIME

(10AM- 11AM on the dates listed below)

**May 31   June 28   July 12   July 26**

(Join us for Special Stories, Crafts, Activities, and Refreshments)