

2024 Summer Reading List Second Grade

We are wishing you and your family a relaxing summer break. Over the summer months, families are asked to help build good reading habits: reading to your child, reading with your child, and encouraging your child to read independently. The benefits are immeasurable: relationship building, practice of foundational reading skills, and fostering a joyful appreciation for reading. Below are suggested titles for your consideration.

Assigned Reading

***Each Kindness* Woodson, Jacqueline**

Teachers will welcome your child back to school in the fall with classroom lessons, activities, and discussions based on the assigned reading. Students may choose to read the assignment independently or with an adult.

Suggested Titles

Warm-Up

Chicken Squad Cronin, Doreen
The Good Egg and the Talent Show John, Jory
National Geographic Kids Readers
King and Kayla Butler, Dori

Workout

Little Goddess Girls Holub, Jane
Jada Jones Lyons, Kelly
Desmond Cole: Ghost Patrol Miedoso, Andres
Drew Pendous Lewman, David
Epic Gymnastics Moments Goldstein, M.
Harriet Gets Carried Away Sima, Jessie
The Hiking Viking Gehl, Laura
Isle of Misfits Mae, Jamie
Lola Levine in Not Mean! Brown, Monica
The Carver Chronicles English, Karen
Our Universe Series McAnulty, Stacy
Lark Holds the Key Deen, Natasha
Carmela Full of Wishes de la Pena, Matt
The Chocolate Touch Catling, P.S.

Stretch

Agents of S.U.I.T. Green, John
Anatole Titus, Eve

Animals Hidden in the Ocean Rusick, Eve
Dory Fantasmagory Hanlon, Abby
Mrs. Froghottom's Field Trips Krulick, Nancy
Interview with a Shark Seed, Andy
Zoey and Sassafrax Citro, Asia
Coral Reef Chin, Jason
The Great Pet Escape Jamieson, Victoria

Read Together Books

Mae Among the Stars Ahmed, Roda
It Fell From the Sky Fan, Terry
Eyes That Speak to the Stars Ho, Joanna
The Oldest Student: How Mary Walker Learned to Read Hubbard, Rita
You Should Meet John Lewis Patrick, Denise
Tar Beach Ringgold, Faith

Chapter Books to Read Aloud to Your Child

The Snow Queen and Other Fairy Tales Anderson, H.C.
Waylon! One Awesome Thing Pennypacker, Sarah
Maybe Maybe Marisol Rainey Entrada, Kelly Erin
Dragons in a Bag Elliot, Zetta
Charlotte's Web White, E.B.
Mia Mayhem is a Superhero! West, Kara
Mr. Popper's Penguins Atwater, Florence and Richard
The One and Only Ivan Applegate, Katherine

While some of the above titles may be available at the Lamplighter School Book Fair in May, other titles may be available through your local bookstore, Amazon, or the Dallas Public Library.