

Mount Arlington Public School
Fourth Grade
Summer Reading Activities



Dear Future Fourth Grade Parents,

Summer is a wonderful time to relax and spend time with family and friends. It is also the perfect time to dive into books that pique our interests. Research tells us that students need to read during the summer to maintain their independent reading levels. Students entering fourth grade should be reading a "just right" book for approximately 20 minutes per day over the summer. The following page is a list of suggested fourth grade titles your child may enjoy.

All students are encouraged to participate in the Mount Arlington Public Library's 2024 "Adventures" Summer Reading Challenge. The details for this program are outlined on the library's website, <https://mountarlingtonlibrary.org/>. All you need to do to get started is register and get reading :). Additionally, your child can earn a free book by participating in Barnes & Noble's "Escape Into Summer Reading" Program. All details can be found on the flyer following this letter. We hope you enjoy your summer and look forward to seeing you next year.

Best,

Megan Hahn & Tanya Occhiuzzo
Fourth Grade Teachers

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Fourth Grade Suggested Reading List

Chapter Books:

Applegate, Katherine. *The One and Only Ivan, The One and Only Bob, or The One and Only Ruby*
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Blume, Judy. *Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing* and *Fudge* novels
Broach, Elise. *James to the Rescue*
Carris, Joan. *Wild Times at the Bed & Biscuit*
Clements, Andrew. *The Report Card*
DiCamillo, Kate. *The Tale of Despereaux*
Grimes, Nikki. *Words with Wings*
Henkes, Kevin. *The Year of Billy Miller*
Klise, Kate. *The Three Ring Rascals*
MacLachlan, Patricia. *White Fur Flying*
Spinelli, Jerry. *Fourth Grade Rats*

Series:

Barrows, Annie. *Ivy and Bean*
Birney, Betty G. *According to Humphrey*
Bruei, Nick. *Bad Kitty*
DiCamillo, Kate. *Tales from Deckawoo Drive*
Gutman, Dan. *Baseball Card Adventure*
Howe, Deborah and James. *Bunnicula*
McDonald, Megan. *Judy Moody*
Osborne, Mary Pope. *Magic Tree House*
Pennypacker, Sara. *Clementine*
Pilkey, Dav. *Dog Man/Cat Kid Graphic Novels*
Roy, Ron. *A to Z Mysteries*
Sachar, Louis. *Wayside School*
Tarshis, Lauren. *I Survived*
Various authors. *Who Is..., Who Was..., What Was...*
Warner, Gertrude Chandler. *Boxcar Children*

BARNES & NOBLE

Escape Into Summer Reading

Earn a free book through the Barnes & Noble Summer Reading Program for kids in Grades 1-6.

SIMPLY FOLLOW THESE THREE EASY STEPS:

1. Read any eight books this summer and record them in this Summer Reading Journal.
Tell us which part of the book is your favorite, and why.
2. Bring your completed journal to a Barnes & Noble store between July 1 and August 31, 2024.
3. Choose your free reading adventure from the books listed below.

GRADES 1 & 2

The Bad Guys (B&N Exclusive Edition) (The Bad Guys #1) Aaron Blabey
Band Camp! 1: All Together Now! Brian "Smitty" Smith
The Boxcar Children (The Boxcar Children #1) Gertrude Chandler Warner
Dr. Seuss Graphic Novel: Cat Out of Water: A Cat in the Hat Story Art Baltazar
Emma McKenna, Full Out (The Kids in Mrs. Z's Class #1) Kate Messner
The Good Egg and the Talent Show Jory John
Hombre Perro: Cumbres Maternales (Dog Man: Mothering Heights) Dav Pilkey
Little Olympians 1: Zeus, God of Thunder A.I. Newton
Mirror Magic (Star Friends) Linda Chapman
The Princess in Black and the Prince in Pink Shannon Hale & Dean Hale
Scuba-Cat (Pete the Cat) (My First I Can Read Series) James Dean

GRADES 3 & 4

The Area 51 Files Julie Buxbaum
Big Nate Goes Bananas! Lincoln Peirce
The Chocolate Touch Patrick Skene Catling
Diary of an 8-Bit Warrior: An Unofficial Minecraft Adventure (#1) Cube Kid
The First Cat in Space Ate Pizza Mac Barnett & Shawn Harris
Laugh-Out-Loud: The Joke-a-Day Book: A Year of Laughs Rob Elliott
The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane Kate DiCamillo
¿Quién fue Frida Kahlo? Sarah Fabiny
The Tail of Emily Windsnap (Tail of Emily Windsnap #1) Liz Kessler
What Are the Summer Olympics? Gail Herman
Worst Broommate Ever! (Middle School and Other Disasters) Wanda Coven

GRADES 5 & 6

39 Clues: The Maze of Bones: A Graphic Novel (39 Clues Graphic Novel #1) Rick Riordan & Ethan Young
Amari and the Night Brothers (The Supernatural Investigations Series #1) B. B. Alston
Daughter of the Deep Rick Riordan
Enemies (Berrybrook Middle School #5) Svetlana Chmakova
Hummingbird Natalie Lloyd
Jawbreaker Christina Wyman
Matt Sprouts and the Curse of the Ten Broken Toes Matthew Eicheldinger
Minecraft: The Crash: An Official Minecraft Novel Tracey Baptiste
The Mystery of Black Hollow Lane (Black Hollow Lane #1) Julia Nobel
One Dead Spy (Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales #1) Nathan Hale
Treasure Island Robert Louis Stevenson
Ungifted Gordon Korman
A Wrinkle in Time (Time Quintet #1) Madeleine L'Engle
Yo, Naomi León (Becoming Naomi León) Pam Muñoz Ryan

THIS SUMMER READING JOURNAL BELONGS TO:

STUDENT NAME

SCHOOL

GRADE

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL*

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Write the titles and authors of the books you've read in the boxes below.
Tell us which part of the book is your favorite, and why.

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Summer Reading Program Offer: For each customer, this coupon can be redeemed only once at any Barnes & Noble Store. This coupon is valid from July 1, 2024 to August 31, 2024 at close of business. This coupon entitles each customer to receive one eligible title for free while supplies last.

Additional Rules Governing Use of this Coupon: This coupon is (i) not redeemable for cash or cash equivalents (including Gift Cards and eGift Cards); (ii) not valid on past or pre-ordered purchases; (iii) not valid on purchases made from third parties accessible from the bn.com website (e.g., used books, etc.); (iv) not valid on applicable sales tax or shipping or handling expenses; (v) may not be combined with any other coupon or promotional discounts except when noted. This coupon may not be applied to bulk orders. This coupon is not valid at Barnes & Noble College bookstores or websites, or at Barnes & Noble Kitchens. Void where prohibited by law. This offer is subject to change or discontinuation without notice; we will, however, honor properly placed orders with valid methods of payment with sufficient funds placed prior to such change or discontinuation. Barnes & Noble is not responsible for typographical or pictorial errors.

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