Dear Soon-To-Be First Grade Parents,

Welcome to First Grade! Earning ribbons is an exciting tradition at San Antonio Academy, and completing your summer reading log is a wonderful opportunity to earn such an honor.

Students who read 10 *qualifying* books over the summer and review the phonograms at least 10 times will be recognized during Chapel in the fall and will be rewarded with a ribbon at that time.

To complete the summer reading, your son should read at least 5 books from the recommended reading list (enclosed) and 5 additional books of his choice. (For those students who are emergent readers, parents may read to them.)

To complete the phonogram portion of this list, you will initial each time you and your son review all the phonograms.

The parent/student must complete the enclosed form and return it to his teacher the first week of the new school year. We are looking forward to a great year with our students!

Happy Reading,
The Primary Team

Spalding Phonogram Resources:

Video with phonogram pronunciations
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ci6xBB3zTas

Directions on how to download and use the Spalding Phonogram App
https://spalding.org/spalding-phonograms-app/



Recommended Summer Reading List
For Boys Entering First Grade

Alperin, Mara- Chicken Little

Akiko, Miyakoshi- I Dream of a Journey

Bang, Molly- The Paper Crane

Berenstain, Stan and Jan - The Bears' Picnic

Cuyler, Margery- Kindness Is Cooler, Mrs. Ruler

Daywalt, Drew - The Day the Crayons Quit

De la Pena, Matt - Last Stop on Market Street

Elya, Susan Middleton - The Three Billy Goats Buenos

Guarino, Deborah - Is Your Mama a Llama?

Jenkins, Steve - Actual Size

John, Jory - The Good Egg

Johnson, D.B. - Margaritte's Marvelous Hat

Keats, Ezra Jack-The Snowy Day

Kontis, Alethea- Alpha Oops- The Day Z Went First

La Rochelle, David - See the Cat: Three Stories about a Dog

Lobel, Arnold - Mouse Tales

Milton, Joyce - Dinosaurs

Numeroff, Laura - If You Take a Mouse to School

Rex, Michael - Facts vs. Opinions vs. Robots

Rocco, John - Blackout

Schachner, Judy - Skippyjon Jones(series)

Scotten, Rob- Splish, Splash, Splat!

Stead, Philip C.- A Sick Day for Amos McGee

Stevens, Janet - Top and Bottoms

Willems, Mo- Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Books from the Summer Reading List:	Rate It	Parent's Initials
1. _____		_____
2. _____		_____
3. _____		_____
4. _____		_____
5. _____		_____

Additional Books:

6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____
9. _____	_____
10. _____	_____

Phonograms: (Initial one box each time all 70 phonograms are reviewed orally.)
