

SUMMER READING

5th Grade

Hello, and happy summer! Please aim to read at least three books of your choosing this summer. FR faculty and students have shared some recommendations. These recommendations are not required reads, you may read any books of your choosing. Fill out a BINGO square after you finish a book!

Realistic Fiction Title: Author: ☆☆☆☆☆	Graphic Novel Title: Author: ☆☆☆☆☆	Fantasy/Folklore Title: Author: ☆☆☆☆☆
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Historical Fiction

The War the Saved my Life- Kimberly Brubaker Bradley, 10-year-old Ada has never left her one room apartment. her mother is too humiliated by Ada's twisted foot to let her outside. so when her little brother Jamie is shipped out of London to escape the war, Ada doesn't waste a minute--she sneaks out to join him.

The War I Finally Won-Kimberly Brubaker Bradley, *Sequel to The War that Saved my Life* This second masterwork of historical fiction continues Ada's journey of family, faith, and identity, showing us that real freedom is not just the ability to choose, but the courage to make the right choice.

Realistic Fiction

Front Desk- Kelly Yang Mia, Tang has a lot of secrets. 1: She lives in a motel. 2: Her parents hide immigrants. And if the mean motel owner, Mr. Yao, finds out, the Tangs will be doomed. 3: She wants to be a writer. It will take all of Mia's courage, kindness, and hard work to get through this year.

Wonder- R.J. Palacio, August Pullman was born with a facial difference that, up until now, has prevented him from going to a mainstream school. Starting 5th grade at Beecher Prep, he wants nothing more than to be treated as an ordinary kid-- but his new classmates cant get past Auggie's extraordinary face.

Non-Fiction

Girls Think of Everything: Stories of ingenious Inventions by Women- Catherine Timmesch, Learn what inspired these women, and how they turned their ideas into reality.

Women in Science: 50 Fearless Pioneers Who Changed the World- Rachel Ignotofsky, It's a scientific fact: Women rock! A charmingly illustrated and educational book, Women in Science highlights the contributions of fifty notable women to the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) from the ancient to the modern world.

Graphic Novel

Anne of Green Gables: a graphic novel-Adapted by Mariah Marsden, Schoolyard rivalries. Baking disasters. Puffed sleeves. Explore the violet vales and glorious greens of Avonlea in this spirited adaptation.

Measuring Up-Lily LaMotte, 12-year-old Cici has just moved from Taiwan to Seattle, and the only thing she wants more than to fit in at her new school is to celebrate her grandmother, A-má's, birthday. Since she can't go to A-má, Cici cooks up a plan to bring A-má to her by winning the grand prize in a kids' cooking contest.

Fantasy/ Folklore

The Girl Who Drank the Moon-Kelly Barnhill, The story of how Luna, a girl raised by a witch, must figure out how to handle the magical powers she was accidentally given.

11 Birthdays- Wendy Mass, Amanda is excited for her 11th Birthday, but from the start, everything goes wrong. Worst of all, Amanda and her best friend, Leo are on the outs. The next day, she wakes up happy for a new day. Or is it? Her birthday seems to be repeating itself. What is going on?! And how can she fix it?