

4th Grade Summer Reading for 2026



Dear Parents and New 4th Graders,

This year I am not requiring you to create summer projects with your reading, however, I am requiring ALL students to read ONE novel over the summer. You may pick one of these three:

1. The Mouse and the Motorcycle, by Beverly Cleary
2. Stella Diaz Has Something to Say, by Angela Dominguez
3. Frindle, by Andrew Clements

When we return in August, we will use this book to create a Book Report Poster. Please be ready to begin your report during the first week of school.

I HIGHLY recommend that you keep reading and writing over the summer. Create stories, comic books, write in a diary, and write letters. Send postcards to your family when you travel. Keep a summer fun journal/log and keep track of all your fun adventures! This is not required, just a recommendation.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Reifenberg

Reading Tips

When should I read?

- 20 minutes before bed
- in the car
- on a rainy day
- when you first wake up



Where can I read?

- in bed
- on the beach
- under a tree
- on the couch
- in the car
- on the boat
- at the campfire
- at the park

