



Required Summer Reading

Rising 1st- 50 **Book Reading Challenge**

Rising 2nd- Dinosaurs Before Dark by
Mary Pope Osborne

Rising 3rd- Hurricane Heroes in Texas
by Mary Pope Osborne

Rising 4th- Lemonade Wars
by Jacqueline Davies

Rising 5th- Wonder by R.J Palacio

Summer Reading Facts

- Reading just 4-5 Books during the summer can prevent a decline in a child's reading scores
- Teachers spend an average of 4-8 weeks re-teaching knowledge & skills that students have lost during the summer
- Students who participate in summer reading programs often:
 - Enter the following school year with a positive attitude about reading
 - Are more confident in the classroom
 - Read beyond what is required
 - Perceive Reading as important

Additional Book Lists

KG-1 Book Recommendation List

Early Chapter Book Recommendations

2022 American Library Association Medal and Honor Winning Books

Recommended titles have been chosen keeping current issues in mind that young children or their friends would be dealing with or hear in the news – stories are a great way to explain these intricate issues and develop sympathy and empathy for those involved.

There are also titles that have been loved across generations that take children into a magical world of 'pretend'.

BUT you know your child best and know whether a topic is appropriate for your child at this time. Please refer to [Common Sense Media](#) to determine if a title is a good fit for your family.