2014 COLLEGIATE SUMMER READING – RISING 3RD & 4TH GRADE

Required for all rising 1st – 4th graders – may be read as a read-aloud:

Konigsburg, E. L., *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*

This is a list of *suggested* books for Summer reading. It covers a wide variety of reading levels and interest areas. You are encouraged to read any title by any of these authors.

REQUIRED READING, 4TH GRADE

Choose 2 from the following:

Clements, *No Talking*
Dahl, *Fantastic Mr. Fox*
Kehret, *Escaping the Giant Wave*
Riordan, *The Lightning Thief*
Barnett, *Brixton Brothers: The Case of the Case of Mistaken Identity*

FICTION

Bergen, *Sophie the Awesome*
Clements, *A Week in the Woods*
Creech, *Replay*
Curtis, *The Mighty Miss Malone*
Friedman, *Mallory vs. Max*
George, *My Side of the Mountain*
Hansen, *The Captive*
Kinney, *Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Hard Luck*
Lupica, *Teamwork*
Moss, *Amelia's Notebook* series
O'Connor, *How to Steal a Dog*
Paulsen, *Woods Runner*
Peirce, *Big Nate in a Class by Himself*
Pennypacker, *Clementine*
Probst, *Stranded*
Scholastic *Dear America* series
Selden, *The Cricket in Times Square*
Tarshis, *I Survived* series
Wilder, *Little House* series

VA. READERS CHOICE TITLES 2014-2015

Cox, *Secret Chicken Society*
George, *Tuesdays at the Castle*
Messner, *Capture the Flag*
Mlynowski, *Whatever After: Fairest of All*
Perl, *When Life Gives You OJ*
Rosenthal, *Exclamation Mark*
Selfours, *The Sasquatch Escape*
Sweet, *Balloons Over Broadway*
Tashjian, *My Life as a Book*
Weiner, *The Templeton Twins Have an Idea*

NON-FICTION

Berger, *Sting! A Book About Dangerous Animals*
Buckley, *Ultimate Guide to Baseball*
Chandler, *USB World History Ancient World*
Claybourne, *100 Most Awesome Things on the Planet*
DK, *Eyewitness* series
Dubowski, *A Horse Named Seabiscuit*
DuQuette, *They Call Me Woolly*
Earle, *Sea Critters*
Golin, *The Passover Journey*
Greenwood, *A Pioneer Sampler*
Layden, *Super Bowl Super Quarterbacks*
Mickle, *Barbaro: America's Horse*
Ride, *The Third Planet*
Robinson, *Promises to Keep: How Jackie Robinson Changed America*
Scholastic *Book of World Records 2014*

FANTASY

Barrows, *The Magic Half*
Carman, *Land of Elyon* series
Dahl, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*
Eager, *Half Magic*
Griffin, *The Witch Twins* series
Kehret, *Ghost Dog Secrets*
Klimo, *Dragon Keepers* series
Lasky, *Horses of the Dawn*
Levine, *Princess Tales* series
Lewis, *Narnia* series
Mlynowski, *Whatever After* series
Riordan, *Percy Jackson & the Olympians*
Rodda, *The Deltora Quest* series
Selfors, *Smells Like Dog*

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SPORTS

Bowen, *AllStar Sportstory* series
Buckley, *2014 Scholastic Year in Sports*
Christopher, *Lacrosse Firestorm*
Fawaz, *NBA High Flying Stars*
Gutman, *Babe and* Me
Lupica, *Summer Ball*
Wallace, *Winning Season* series

HUMOR

Adler, *Parachuting Hamsters and Andy Russell*
Blume, *Fudge a Mania*
Brook, *No Flying in the House*
Cowell, *How to Train Your Dragon*
Gutman, *The Get Rich Club*
Katz, *United Jokes of America*
Kinney, *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* series
Kline, *Horrible Harry and the Goog*
LaRue, *The Dog Rules*
MacDonald, *Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle* series
McDonald, *Judy Moody* series
Spinelli, *Lizzie Logan* series
Winkler, *Ghost Buddy* series

ANIMAL STORIES

Avi, *Poppy*
Baglio, *Racehorse in the Rain*
Betancourt, *Pony Pal* series
Glass, *Finding Danny*
Haas, *Runaway Pony*
Harlow, *Star in the Storm*
Henry, *Misty of Chincoteague*
Jones, *Champ*
Kehret, *Shelter Dogs*
Laskey, *Wolves of the Beyond*
Pyron, *A Dog's Way Home*
Rawls, *Where the Red Fern Grows*
Reiche, *Freddy to the Rescue*
St. John, *Dolphin Song*
Sutherland, *Pet Trouble* series
Wallace, *A Dog Named Kitty*

SCIENCE FICTION

Abbott, *Secrets of Droon* series
Benton, *Franny K. Stein* series
Duey, *Time Soldiers* series
Etra, *Aliens for Breakfast*
Lindbergh, *Nick of Time*
Lisle, *Angela's Aliens*
Scieszka, *The Time Warp Trio* series
Service, *Stinker from Space*

POETRY

Creech, *Love That dog*
Fleischman, *Joyful Noise*
Florian, *Zoo's Who*
Hopkins, *Behind the Museum Door*
Lilligard, *The Wild Bunch*
McCord, *Everytime I Climb a Tree*
Prelutsky, *The New Kid on the Block*
Sidman, *Song of the Water Boatman & Other Pond Poems*
Worth, *All the Small Poems and Fourteen More*

BIOGRAPHY

Adler, *Picture Book Biography* series
Brown, *Odd Boy Out: Young Albert Einstein*
Cox, *Houdini*
DePaola, *26 Fairmont Avenue*
Editors of Time, *Time for Kids biographies*
Freedman, *Lincoln, a Photobiography*
McCurdy, *Escape from Slavery*
Schroeder, *Ben Franklin: His Wit and Wisdom From A to Z*
Sullivan, *Mr. President Book of US Presidents*
Who Was? Series (multiple authors)

MYSTERIES

Byars, *Herculeah Jones* series
Defelice, *The Ghost of Cutler Creek*
Cronin, *The Trouble with Chickens*
Gregory, *Cabin Creek Mysteries* series
Howe, *Bunnicula* series
Riordan et al, *The 39 Clues* series
Roy, *A to Z Mysteries* series
Shannon, *Still More Mysteries to Solve*
Soble, *Encyclopedia Brown* series

FOLKLORE

Andersen, *The Little Mermaid*
Berry, *Spiderman Anansi*
Catanese, *The Thief and the Beanstalk*
D'Aulaires, *Book of Greek Myths*
Gross, *Knights of the Round Table*
Hamilton, *The People Could Fly*
Hodges, *Saint George and the Dragon*
Kellogg, *Pecos Bill*
Locker, *Rip Van Winkle*
Martin, *Birdwing*
Zelinsky, *Rapunzel*