



SUMMER RECOMMENDED READING LIST

Grade 3 & Grade 4

By having your child continue reading throughout the summer, you will help develop life-long reading habits and also help maintain literacy skills that have been taught during the school year. The following are ways you can help your child maintain reading habits during the summer months:

- Let your child choose the books to read. Encourage a variety of both fiction and non-fiction reading.
- Visit the public library. The books listed below can be found at the Union Public Library.
- While talking with your child, introduce higher level words to help build your child's vocabulary.

All of the books on this list are offered as recommendations but are not intended to be all-inclusive. As always, parents are encouraged to seek out additional titles based on the interests and reading level of your child.

BOOK TITLE

AUTHOR

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Mudshark	Gary Paulsen
The Wish Giver	Bill Brittain
The Repord Card	Andrew Clements
Summer Reading is Killing Me	John Scieszka
The Earth Dragon Awakes	Laurence Yep
Allie Finkle's Rules for Girls: Moving Day (Book 1)	Meg Cabot
The Family Under the Bridge	Natalie Savage Carlson
The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo
The School Story	Andrew Clements
There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom	Louis Sachar
The Liberation of Gabriel King	K.L. Going
Loser	Jerry Spinelli
Soccer Scoop	Matt Christopher
The Homework Machine	Dan Gutman
Knights of the Kitchen Table	John Scieszka
The Mayor of Central Park	Avi
Fourth Grade Rats	Jerry Spinelli
The Dog that Stole Home	Matt Christopher
Math Curse	Jon Scieszka

Dexter the Tough I and You and Don't Forget Who: What is a Pronoun?	Margaret Peterson Haddix Brian P. Cleary
Babe the Gallant Pig	Dick King-Smith
Where the Sidewalk Ends	Shel Silverstein
Homer Price	Robert McCloskey
Satchel Paige	Lesa Cline-Ransome
Ramona the Brave	Beverly Cleary
Cinderella (As if You Didn't Already Know the Story)	Barbara Ensor
Roxie and the Hooligans	Phyllis Naylor
Whatever Happened to Patrick's Dinosaurs?	Carol Carrick
Chocolate Fever	Robert Kimmel Smith
Marvin Redpost: Kidnapped at Birth?	Louis Sachar
Dear Max	Sally Grindley
Fantastic Mr. Fox	Roald Dahl