

**Snowden School Suggested Summer Reading List
2011-2012**

<p><u>KK - Suggested Summer Reading List</u></p> <p>Frog & Toad Book Collection Franklin Book Collection Eric Carle Book Collection Arthur Book Collection Marc Brown Book Collection Henry & Mudge Book Collection Dr. Seuss Book Collection Amelia Bedelia Book Collection Magic Tree House Book Collection</p>	<p><u>Fourth Grade – Suggested Summer Reading List</u></p> <p><u>The Haunting of Derek Stone: The Bayou Dogs</u>, Tony Abbott <u>Skeleton Creek</u>, Patrick Carman <u>Elijah of Buxton</u>, Christopher Paul Curtis <u>The Down-to-Earth Guide to Global Warming</u>, Laurie David & Cambria Gordon <u>Frindle</u>, Andrew Clements <u>Captain Underpants</u> Series, Dave Pilkey <u>The Best School Year Ever</u>, Barbara Robinson_ <u>Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Last Straw</u>, Jeff Kinney <u>Joey Pizza Swallowed a Key</u>, Jack Gantos <u>The 39 Clues: The Sword Thief</u>, Peter Lerangis <u>Charlie Bone and the Shadow (Children of the Red King Series #7)</u>, Jenny Nimmo Shoeshine Girl by Clyde Robert Bulla</p>
<p><u>First Grade – Suggested Summer Reading List</u></p> <p>Arthur books (Marc Brown) Clifford books Frog and Toad books Wendel books (Kevin Henkes) Ezra Jack Keats books Magic Treehouse books Junie B. Jones series Eric Carle books</p> <p>READ A LITTLE EVERY DAY!!!!!!</p>	<p><u>Fifth Grade – Suggested Summer Reading List</u></p> <p>Choose at least six books to read over the summer from this list:</p> <p>Anne of Green Gables by L.M. Montgomery Anne Frank: The Diary of A Young Girl Chasing Redbird by Sharon Creech Number the Stars by Lois Lowry The View from Saturday by E. L. Konigsburg Airborn by Kenneth Opel Dillon Dillon By Kate Banks Guts by Gary Paulson Heartbeat by Sharon Creech Olives Ocean by Kevin Henkes Shipwreck at the Bottom of the World: by Jennifer Armstrong The Star of Kazan by Eva Ibbotson The race the Save the Lord God Bir by Phippil M. Hoose Chasing Vermeer by Blue Balliett Nory Ryan’s Song by Patricia Reilly Giff Old yeller by Fred Gipson On My Honor by Marion dan Bauer Eight Mules from Monterey by Patricia Beatty Rushmore by Lynn Curlee The Tree of Life by Peter Sis</p>
<p><u>Second Grade Suggested Summer Reading List for 2nd Grade</u></p> <p>Zelda and Ivy and the Boy Next Door by Laura McGee Kvasnosky My Friend John by Charlotte Zolotow The Bracelet by Yoshiko Uchida Zoom! Zoom! Zoom! I’m off to the Moon! By Dan Yaccarino Follow the Moon by Sarah Weeks Moon by Seymour Simon Postcard Pest by Patricia Reilly Giff Little Red Ant and the Big Crumb: A Mexican Fable by Shirley Climo Suggested series: Junie B. Jones Iris and Walter Henry and Mudge Arthur Flat Stanley</p>	<p><u>Primary CLUE (KK-3rd Grade) Reading List</u></p> <p>Entering KK & 1st grade – books by Chris Van Allsburg Entering 2nd grade - <u>Page Master</u> by David Kirshner Entering 3rd grade - <u>Hoot</u> by Carl Hiaasen</p>
<p><u>Third Grade</u></p> <p><u>Suggested Summer Reading List for 3rd Grade</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>The Chocolate Touch</u> by Patrick Catling – 3.0 reading level 2. <u>Ramona the Brave</u> by Beverly Cleary – 3.0 reading level 3. <u>The Flying Flea, Callie, and Me</u> by Bill/Carol Wallace – 3.5 reading level 4. <u>The Littles Go to School</u> by John Peterson – 3.5 reading level 5. <u>Otherwise Known as Sheila The Great</u> by Judy Blume – 3.5 reading level 6. <u>Encyclopedia Brown Boy Detective</u> by Donald J. Sobol – 3.6 reading level 7. <u>I, Amber Brown</u> by Paula Danziger – 3.7 reading level 8. <u>Scrambled Eggs Super</u> by Dr. Seuss – 3.7 reading level 9. <u>The Lucky Stone</u> by Lucille Clifton – 3.8 reading level 10. <u>Chocolate Fever</u> by Robert Kimmel Smith – 4.5 reading level 	<p><u>Intermediate CLUE (4th and 5th Grades) Supply List</u></p> <p>Entering 4th grade - Required – Read at least 2 of the books listed below:</p> <p>Shiloh by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor Henry & Risby – Beverly Cleary Old Yeller by Fred Gipson Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls Hotel for Dogs by Lois Duncan How I, Nicky Flynn, Finally Get a Life & a Dog by Art Corriveau A Dog’s Life: The Autobiography of a Stray by Ann M. Martin</p> <p>Entering 5th grade – Required Read at least 2 of the books listed below:</p> <p>Boy by Road Dahl Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl The Last of the Really Great Whangoodles by Julies Andrews Edwards Mick Harte was Here by Barbara Park Stuart Little by E. B. White Crispin: The Cross of Lead by Avi The True Confession of Charlotte Doyle by Avi</p>

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<p>Sixth Grade Getting Started: During the summer, you should read any three books from this list. Then: Write the titles and a short summary of the three books you have read, and have a parent sign your list. What should I do next: After reading, you should compose a “friendly” letter recommending the novel you choose to read to a friend. What should I include in my letter. And how will it be graded?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction of letter states author’s purpose for writing. Letter ends with a closing statement. • Body of a friendly letter is appropriate for writer’s purpose. Conversational in tone. Anecdotes, descriptions, and details make it interesting to read. • The heading, salutation, and closing are correctly placed • Conventions of writing are followed (grammar, punctuation, capitalization, paragraphs, spelling) <p>The following rubric will be used to grade your letter: 4 Proficient - All 4 criteria (listed above) are evident to a high degree 3 Capable – All 4 criteria are evident. A few errors in format and/or convention appear 2 Satisfactory – The letter fulfills the writer’s purpose. Several errors in format and/or conventions appear. 1 Beginning - The letter attempts to fulfill the writer’s purpose, but ideas are not adequately developed. There are many errors in format and/or the conventions of writing.</p> <p>A Gathering of Days historical fiction by Joan Blos Anne of Green Gables classic L.M. Montgomery Artemis Fowl adventury by Eoin Colfer Chasing Vermeer mystery with math by Blue Balliett Fever 1793 historical fiction with Laurie Halse Anderson Flip Flop Girl...family...realistic fiction Katherine Paterson Hailstones and halibut Bones...poetry Mary O’Neill The house of Dies Drear Civil War...mystery Virginal Hamilton The Shakespeare Stealer....historical fiction Gary Blackwood Star Girl...fantasy...teen jerry Spinelli Stormbreaker...adventure Anthony Horowitz There’s a Girl in My Hammerlock...realistic fiction Jerry Spinelli Thief Lordfantasy Cornelia Funke Wringer...fiction Jerry Spinell</p>	<p>Sixth Grade CLUE <i>Required reading that will be tested:</i> <i>The Mysterious Benedict Society (Book 1) by Trenton Lee Stuart</i> <i>The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin</i></p> <p><i>Suggested Summer Reading:</i></p> <p>Zack by Bell William Are you There God? It’s me , Margaret by Judy Blume Don’t Look Behind you by Lois Duncan The Borning Room by Paul Fleischman My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George Fish by S.E. Hinton When Zachary Beaver Came to Town by Kimberly Willis Holt Acorn People by Ron Jones *The Best Little Girl in the World by Steven Levenkron One Fat Summer by Robert Lipsyte Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O’Dell Canyons by Gary Paulsen My Life in Dog Years by Gary Paulsen Westing Game by Ellen Raskin *Kidnapped by Robert Louis Stevenson *Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson</p>
<p>Seventh Grade It is suggested that students read at least two books from each category over the summer months. Oral Exams or some other assessment will be given on the books when fall semester begins. Honors Fiction Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech Letters from a Slave Girl by Mary Lyons Tears of a Tiger by Sharon Draper Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen Non-Fiction Soul Surfer by Bethany Hamilton In These Girls, Hope is a Muscle by Madeline Blais Year of Impossible Goodbyes by Sook Nyui Choi Gifted Hands by Dr. Ben Carson I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings by Maya Angelou Traditional Fiction Search for Saftey by John Langan Double Dutch by Sharon Draper Are You There God? It’s Me, Margaret by Judy Blume Nine Man Tree by Robert Peck Space Station Seventh Grade by Jerry Spinelli The War of the Worlds by H. G. Wells Non-Fiction Jackie Robinson by Anne Schraff Amelia Earhart: Flying for Adventure by Mary Dotson Wales In These Girls, Hope is a Muscle by Madeline Blais All Shook Up – Barry Denenberg Soul Surfer by Bethany Hamilton</p>	<p>Seventh Grade CLUE <i>Required reading that will be tested:</i> <i>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (unabridged) by Mark Twain</i> <i>And Then There Were None by Agatha Christie</i></p> <p><i>Suggested Summer Reading:</i> Gifted Hands by Ben Car Son Loser by Jerry Spinelli Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli Scorpions by Walter Dean Myers The Skin I’m In by Sharon Flake</p>
<p>Eighth Grade Nothing but the Truth by Avi The Giver by Lois Lowry Westing Game by Ellen Raskin Shakespeare Stealer by Gary Blackwood House on Mango Street by Cisneros The Chocolate War by Cormier Flowers of Algernon by Keyes Harriet Tubman by Petry Amy by Mildred Taylor The Pearl by Steinbeck Any Margaret Haddix book Any S. E. Hinton book Any Walter Dean Myers book</p>	<p>Eighth Grade CLUE <i>Required reading that will be tested:</i> <i>Gifted Hands by Ben Carson</i> <i>Flowers for Algernon (Algernon) by Daniel Keyes</i> <i>Suggested Summer Reading:</i> Nothing but the Truth by Avi House on Mango Street by Cisneros The Chocolate War by Cormier Flowers of Algernon by Keyes Harriet Tubman by Petry Amy by Mildred Taylor The Pearl by Steinbeck Any Margaret Haddix book Any S. E. Hinton book Any Walter Dean Myers book</p>

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