

Series Beginning Readers

Adler, David	Young Cam Jansen
Capucilli, Alyssa	Biscuit
Chaconas, Dori	Cork & Fuzz
Guest, Elissa Haden	Iris and Walter
Howe, James	Pinky and Rex Houndsley and Catina
Lobel, Arnold	Frog and Toad
Meister, Cari	Tiny
Mills, Claudia	Gus and Grandpa
Minarik, Else Holmelund	Little Bear
Rylant, Cynthia	Poppleton High-Rise Private Eyes Puppy Mudge Henry and Mudge
Van Leeuwen, Jean	Amanda and Oliver Pig
Willems, Mo	Pigs Make Me Sneeze
Yolen, Jane	Commander Toad

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Dear Parents and Students,

Students and parents often ask about books suitable for summer reading. To respond to that request, we have compiled a list of titles especially chosen for that purpose. The list is reviewed and updated each spring to incorporate a wide range – from classics to fantasy. Grade level allocations are intended as the loosest of guides. Many children read considerably above any grade demarcation and also dip, with real pleasure, into books they may have missed along the way. Books are written for people, not age levels. This list is a starting point. Look for other titles by authors on the list.

There are many sources for summer reading titles. Librarians in public libraries are a mine rich in ideas. Paperbacks abound in stores and are easy to exchange with friends.

Summer months are times of great physical activity for everyone, but all of us should not forget to plan quiet times during the day. What better lure than a good book! *Happy Reading!*

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2010 Summer Reading List



Grades K and 1



Ridgewood Public Schools
Ridgewood, New Jersey

Picture Books

Be sure to try other books by these great authors, too!

Aylesworth, Jim	Goldilocks and the Three Bears
Banks, Kate	Max's Dragon
Becker, Bonny	A Visitor for Bear
Brett, Jan	Gingerbread Baby
Bruchac, Joseph	How Chipmunk Got His Stripes
Carle, Eric	"Slowly, Slowly, Slowly," said the Sloth
Coffelt, Nancy	Fred Stays With Me!
Crews, Nina	The Neighborhood Mother Goose
DePaola, Tomie	Strega Nona Takes a Vacation
Dorros, Arthur	Abuela
Duquette, Keith	Cock-a-Doodle-Moo!
Frazee, Marla	A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever
Fucille, Tony	Let's Do Nothing
Graham, Bob	How to Heal a Broken Wing
Gravett, Emily	Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears
Grey, Mini	Traction Man is Here
Harrington, Janice	The Chicken-Chasing Queen of Lamar County
Henkes, Kevin	Lilly's Big Day
Hills, Tad	Duck & Goose



Hoberman, Mary Ann	You Read to Me, I'll Read to You
Howe, James	Horace and Morris but Mostly Dolores
Jeffers, Oliver	Lost and Found
Jenkins, Emily	Skunkdog
Keller, Laurie	Do Unto Otters: A Book About Manners
Knudsen, Barbara	Library Lion
Kraus, Robert	Leo the Late Bloomer
Lester, Julius	Sam and the Tigers
McGhee, Alison	Mrs. Watson Wants Your Teeth
McLeod, Bob	SuperHero ABC
McMullan, Kate	I'm Bad
McPhail, David	Edward and the Pirates
Pinkney, Jerry	The Lion and the Mouse
Rosenthal, Amy Krouse	Duck! Rabbit!
Rylant, Cynthia	The Great Gracie Chase
Seeger, Laura Vaccaro	Dog and Bear: Two's Company
Shannon, David	Good Boy Fergus!
Shannon, George	White is for Blueberry
Steig, William	Pete's a Pizza
Stevens, Janet	The Great Fuzz Frenzy
Taback, Simms	There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly
Valckx, Catharina	Lizette's Green Sock
Willems, Mo	Naked Mole Rat Gets Dressed

Yolen, Jan	How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?
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Family Read-Alouds

Cleary, Beverly	Ramona the Pest
Cousins, Lucy	Yummy: Eight Favorite Fairy Tales
Dahl, Roald	Fantastic Mr. Fox
DiCamillo, Kate	Louise: The Adventures of a Chicken
Perkins, Lynne Rae	Pictures from Our Vacation
White, E. B.	Stuart Little

Nonfiction

Ashton, Diane	An Egg Is Quiet
Butterworth, Chris	Sea Horse
Chin, Jason	Redwoods
Cowley, Joy	Chameleon, Chameleon
Davies, Nicola	Surprising Sharks
Duquette, Keith	They Call Me Woolly
Farris, Christine King	My Brother Martin: A Sister Remembers
Guiberson, Brenda	The Emperor Lays an Egg
Hatkoff, Isabella	Owen and Mzee: the Story of a Remarkable Friendship
Jenkins, Steve	Actual Size
Kudlinski, Kathleen	Boy, Were We Wrong About Dinosaurs
Lyon, George Ella	Mother to Tigers
Magloff, Lisa	Frog (Watch Me Grow)
McNulty, Faith	If You Decide To Go To The Moon
Seeger, Laura Vaccaro	First the Egg
Stewart, Melissa	A Place for Butterflies