

North Plainfield School District
Summer Reading List
2008
K – 6

This list was created as a guide or suggestion of books to read. Any book by the listed authors will be appropriate, or you may select any other fiction or nonfiction book of your choice.

Kindergarten

Bridwell, Norman	Clifford series
Bruel, Nick	<u>Bad Kitty</u>
Capucilli, Alyssa	Biscuit series
Carle, Eric	<u>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</u>
Christelow, Eileen	Five Little Monkeys series
Crews, Donald	<u>Freight Train</u>
Cronin, Doreen	<u>Click, Clack, Moo</u>
Fleming, Denise	<u>In the Small, Small Pond</u>
Martin, Bill	<u>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</u>
Mother Goose books	[398.8]
Shannon, David	<u>No, David!</u>
Shaw, Nancy	<u>Sheep on a Ship</u>
Slate, Joseph	Miss Bindergarten series
Trapani, Iza	<u>The Itsy Bitsy Spider</u>
Willems, Mo	<u>Don't let the Pigeon Drive the Bus</u>

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Grade 1

Cronin, Doreen	<u>Diary of a Fly</u>
DePaola, Tomie	<u>Strega Nona</u>
Eastman, P. D.	<u>Are You my Mother?</u>
Falconer, Ian	Olivia series
Gibbons, Gail	<u>Fire! Fire!</u>
Howe, James	<u>Horace and Morris but Mostly Dolores</u>
Jenkins, Steve	<u>Big and little</u>
London, Jonathan	Froggy series
Munsch, Robert	<u>Mortimer</u>

Numeroff, Laura
Pilkey, Dav
Rey, H. A.
Rylant, Cynthia
Seuss, Dr.
Wilson, Karma

If You Give a Mouse a Cookie
Dog Breath
Curious George series
Henry and Mudge series
The Cat in the Hat
Bear Wants More

Grade 2

Adamson, Thomas
Adler, David A.
Brown, Marc
Carrick, Carol
Cazet, Denys
Dadey, Debbie

Cole, Joanna
DiCamillo, Kate
Kline, Suzy
McKissack, Pat
Osborne, Mary Pope
Park, Barbara
Rylant, Cynthia
Sharmat, Mitchell
Thaler, Mike

Mars
Cam Jansen series
Arthur series
Patrick's dinosaurs
Minnie and Moo series
Adventures of the Bailey School Kids
series
Magic School Bus series
Mercy Watson series
Horrible Harry series
Goin' someplace special
Magic Tree House series
Junie B. Jones series
Mr. Putter and Tabby series
Gregory, the Terrible Eater
Principal from the Black Lagoon

Grade 3

Blume, Judy
Child, Lauren
Christopher, Matt
Cleary, Beverly
Clements, Andrew
Folktales, fairy tales, tall tales [398.2-398.24]
Gibbons, Gail
Polacco, Patricia
Preller, James
Prelutsky, Jack

Fudge series
Clarice Bean series
The Dog that Pitched a No-Hitter
Ramona series
The Report Card
Dogs
Thundercake
Jigsaw Jones series
The Dragons are Singing Tonight

Roy, Ron	A to Z Mysteries
Sczieska, Jon	Time Warp Trio series
Simon, Seymour	<u>Stars</u>
Van Allsburg, Chris	<u>Probuditi!</u>
Wellsbacher, Anne	<u>Lions</u>

Grade 4

Avi	<u>No More Magic</u>
Blume, Judy	Fudge series
Dahl, Roald	<u>The BFG</u>
DiTerlizzi, Tony	Spiderwick Chronicles series
Giff, Patricia Reilly	Kids of the Polk Street School series
Joke and riddle books	[793.7]
Krulik, Nancy	Katie Kazoo, Switcheroo series
McDonald, Megan	Judy Moody series
Paterson, Katherine	<u>Come sing, Jimmy Jo</u>
Robinson, Barbara	<u>The Best School Year Ever</u>
Sachar, Louis	Wayside School series
Silverstein, Shel	<u>A Light in the Attic</u>
Stine, R. L.	Goosebumps series
Warner, Gertrude C.	Boxcar Children mysteries
Wright, Betty Ren	<u>Princess for a week</u>

Grade 5

Bauer, A. C. E.	<u>No Castles Here</u>
Creech, Sharon	<u>The Castle Corona</u>
Dowell, Frances O’Roark	<u>Phineas L. MacGuire ...Gets Slimed!</u>
Hillman, Ben	<u>How big is it?</u>
Holm, Jennifer L.	<u>Penny from Heaven</u>
Korman, Gordon	<u>Schooled</u>

Laffon, Martin	<u>The book of how</u>
Malam, John H.	You Wouldn't Want to Be...series
Napoli, Donna Jo	<u>Bound</u>
O'Connor, Barbara	<u>How to Steal a Dog</u>
Pearsall, Shelley	<u>All of the Above</u>
Prelutsky, Jack	<u>My Dog may be a Genius</u>
Riordan, Rick	<u>The lightning thief</u>
Selznick, Brian	<u>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</u>
Walker, Richard	<u>Ouch!</u>
Woods, Brenda	<u>My Name is Sally Little Song</u>
Woodson, Jacqueline	<u>Feather</u>

Grade 6

Berkeley, Jon	<u>The Palace of Laughter</u>
Bruchac, Joseph	<u>Skeleton Man</u>
Curtis, Christopher Paul	<u>Elijah of Buxton</u>
De Guzman, Michael	<u>Finding Stinko</u>
Fleischman, Sid	<u>Escape!</u>
Fogelin, Adrian	<u>Sister Spider Knows All</u>
Grandits, John	<u>Blue Lipstick: Concrete Poems</u>
Hillman, Ben	<u>How Strong is it?</u>
Landy, Derek	<u>Skulduggery Pleasant</u>
Levine, Gail Carson	<u>Fairest</u>
Lord, Cynthia	<u>Rules</u>
Lupica, Mike	<u>Heat</u>
Miller, Brandon Marie	<u>Growing up in Revolution and the New Nation</u>
Patron, Susan	<u>The Higher Power of Lucky</u>
Potter, Ellen	<u>Olivia Kidney and the Secret Beneath the City</u>
Schlitz, Laura Amy	<u>Good Masters! Sweet Ladies!</u>