



# Summer Reading

## GRADES 2-3 SUGGESTED READINGS 2017

### School Stories

- Keena Ford and the Second Grade Mix-up *Thomson*
- Amazing Grace *Hoffman*
- The Day Jimmy's Boa ate the Wash *Noble*
- Lily's Purple Plastic Purse *Henkes*
- Miss Nelson is Missing *Allard*
- My Teacher for President *Winters*

### Books About Friends

- Ivy and Bean *Barrows*
- Frog and Toad are Friends *Lobel*
- Friends (Mostly) *Joose*
- The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend *Santat*
- One Cool Friend *Buzzeo*
- Cotton Candy *Sally Belove*
- Cam Jansen *Adler*
- Magic Tree House* *Osbourne*

### Historical Fiction

- American Girl Series
- Pink and Say *Polacco*
- Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement *Weatherford*
- Henry's Freedom Box: A True Story from the Underground Railroad *Nelson*
- The Wall: Growing Up Behind the Iron Curtain *Sís*

### Great Series Books

- Judy Moody or Stink Series *McDonald*
- My Weird School Series *Gutman*
- Geronimo Stilton Series *Stilton*
- Jake Maddox Sports Series
- Clue Crew *Keene*

### Award and Honor Books

- Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear *Mattick*
- Last Stop on Market Street de la Peña
- Sam & Dave Dig a Hole *Barnett*
- Ella Sarah Gets Dressed *Chodos-Irvine*

### Learning to Read Stories

- Mermaid Tales *Dadey*
- Step into Reading Levels 1-4
- The Stories Julian Tells *Cameron*
- Mercy Watson Series *DiCamillo*
- Nate the Great *Sharmut*

### STEAM Books

- On a Beam of Light: Story of Albert Einstein *Berne*
- Who Was Biography Series
- The Boy Who Loved Math *Heiligman*
- Danny and the Dinosaur *Hoff*
- Magic School Bus
- The Way Back Home *Jeffers*
- The Doorbell Rang *Hutchins*
- Harold and the Purple Crayon *Johnson*
- The Day the Crayons Quit *Daywalt*
- What Do You Do With An Idea *Yamada*
- Ada Byron Lovelace and the Thinking Machine *Wallmark*



### Celebration and raffle prizes in September for students who participate.

Note the following Books are **ONLY SUGGESTIONS**. Please feel free to read any book that interests you. Research has shown that the single greatest factor in predicting reading success is whether a child is read to when young. Please note that the reading level of the suggested books vary. Please read a page of the book to see if it is a good fit for you.

Age appropriate Magazines are also acceptable reading material.

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