

Summer Reading Lists:

Students should complete the reading assignment for their **upcoming** grade level in the Fall 2020-21'

PreK-2nd grade

One of the best ways that you can continue to grow academically this summer is by reading 20 minutes a day. It will be like taking your brain to the gym for 20 minutes and exercising that big-brilliant-beautiful-mind of yours! The goal is for students to complete their [summer reading logs](#) by the Fall.

3rd grade

Choose two books from the [Summer Reading choice list](#). Complete 2 of the activity options for each book and bring them back in the Fall.

4th grade

All students should read *Tiger Rising* by Kate DiCamillo and then choose two other books of their choice (at least one should be nonfiction).

5th grade

Students should read **both** 1) *Rules* by Cynthia Lord and 2) *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane* by Kate DiCamillo and a third book of their choosing.

6th grade

Incoming sixth graders must read a **minimum of three books** (1 specified) over the summer.

1. **Required book:** [The Wednesday Wars](#) by Gary Schmidt (ISBN: 9780547237602)
2. **2nd book Choice:** Select *a novel or graphic novel* of your own choosing!
3. **3rd book Choice:** Select an **informational text** of your own choosing!

7th & 8th grade

Incoming seventh and eighth graders are to read one required title and one book of their choosing. Entering seventh graders will read *Where the Red Fern Grows* by Barbara Schultz, as well as one nonfiction book of their choosing.

The entering eighth graders must read *I Will Always Write Back: How One Letter Changed Two Lives* by Amanda May Dundas, as well as a fiction book of their choosing.

Each required text will be used in the fall to begin the school year. Students may want to purchase their own copies to mark up.