

SUGGESTED SUMMER READING LIST: FIRST GRADE

Avoid the “summer slide” with these great reads. Have fun and enjoy picking out and reading either independently or together. Feel free to also search and read other books that are not included on this list that your child is interested in!

Series

- Frog and Toad by Arnold Lobel
- Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
- Elephant and Piggie by Mo Willems
- Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
- Amelia Bedelia by Herman Parish
- Danny and the Dinosaur by Syd Hoff
- Biscuit by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
- Curious George by H.A. Rey
- Duck and Goose by Tad Hills
- Pinkalicious by Victoria Kann
- Fancy Nancy by Jane O’ Connor
- Olivia by Ian Falconer
- Frances by Russell Hoban
- Pete the Cat by James Dean

Great Reads

- 365 Penguins by Jean Luc Fromental
- Diary of a Worm by Doreen Cronin
- Rumble in the Jungle by Giles Andreae
- Big Red Lollipop by Rukhasana Khan
- A Sick Day for Amos McGee by Phillip C. Stead
- Pass the Ball, Mo! By David A. Adler
- The Book with No Pictures by B.J. Novak
- It Looked Like Spilt Milk by Charles Shaw
- Ira Sleeps Over by Bernary Waber
- Barkus by Patricia MacLachlan
- Rhyming Dust Bunnies by Jan Thomas
- My Lucky Day by Keiko Kasza
- The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka
- Stink! By Kate McMullan
- Shark vs. Train by Chris Barton
- I Want My Hat Back by Jon Klassen
- Sheep in a Jeep by Nancy E. Shaw
- Bark George by Jules Feiffer

Chapter Books

- Romona by Beverly Cleary
- Ivy and Bean by Annie Barrows
- Cam Jansen/Young Cam Jansen by David Adler
- The Princess in Black by Shannon Hale
- Junie B. Jones by Barbara Park
- Nancy Clancy by Jane O’Connor
- Judy Moody by Megan McDonald
- Nate the Great by Majorie Weinman Sharmat
- Magic Treehouse by Mary Pope Osborne
- Stink by Megan McDonald
- Horrible Harry by Suzy Kline
- Dog Man by Dav Pilkey

Welcome to 1st Grade Books

- A Pirate’s Guide to First Grade by James Preller
- First Grade Here I Come! by Nancy Carlson
- The Night Before First Grade by Natasha Wing
- First Grade Here I Come! by Tony Johnston
- Princess Posey by Stephanie Greene

Great Authors

Peter H. Reynolds
Mo Willems
Doreen Cronin
Jon Scieszka
Eric Carle
Oliver Jeffers
Jan Brett
Tedd Arnold
Laura Numeroff
Bill Martin Jr.
Rosemary Wells
Dr. Seuss/ Theo LeSeig/ P.D. Eastman
Tedd Arnold

