

Entering Second Grade

Summer Reading List

Second Grade – Fiction (Summer Reading)

Read 1 book from the fiction list.

TITLE	AUTHOR
Frogs	Laura Driscoll
Bravo, Amelia Bedelia	Pegy Parish
Magic Tree House – Dinosaurs Before Dark	Mary Pope Osborne
Miss Nelson is Missing	Harry Allard
Frog and Toad are Friends	Arnold Lobel
Henry and Mudge	Cynthia Rylant
Pinky and Rex	James Howe
Arthur’s Pet Business	Marc Brown
The Gift of the Crocodile	Judy Sierra
Davy Crockett Saves the World	Rosalyn Schanzer

Second Grade – Nonfiction (Summer Reading)

Read 1 book from the nonfiction list.

TITLE	AUTHOR
DK Series – Level 2 and above	Any book from the series
The Bravest Dog Ever: The True Story of Balto	Natalie Strandiford
First Biographies Series	Any book from the series
Dinosaur Days	Joyce Milton
Why Do Dogs Bark?	Joan Holub
Step Into Reading – Step 3 and above Nonfiction Series	Any book from the series
Picture Book Biographies	Any book in the series
National Geographic Kids – Level 2 and above	Any book in the series

Course Reading

These books are required and will be read in class during the school year.

Title	Author
Flat Stanley	Jeff Brown
Freckle Juice	Judy Blume

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Summer Reading Activities

Activity:

After reading each book, the student will write his or her name and the title and author of the book on each form. This project is to be completed for each book read (fiction and nonfiction).

Fiction Book: After the name, title, and author sections have been completed, the student will then write 3 sentences describing the beginning, middle, and end of the story in the summary section. Draw a picture in the box provided to go along with your summary.

Nonfiction Book: After the name, title, and author sections have been completed, the student will then write 3 interesting facts from the book. The facts should answer 3 of the 5 W's (WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHO, OR WHY).

See forms below.

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Fiction Book Activity

Name: _____

Title: _____

Author: _____

Summary: _____

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Nonfiction Book Activity

Name: _____

Title: _____

Author: _____

Interesting Facts: _____

Name _____ Date _____

Reading Summer Activity Rubric

Title		1
Author		1
Illustration		1
Summary of story - (3 sentences :Beginning, Middle, End)		1
Complete sentences, capital letters, end marks		1

Total: _____ / 5 = _____