

Required Summer Reading List 2021 - Saint Michael School, Newark, N.J.
3 Book Reports are required and a 4th Book is optional for extra credit.


Going Into 8th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> Promises to Keep by Sharon Robinson <input type="checkbox"/> Four Perfect Pebbles by Lila Perl <input type="checkbox"/> Night of the Howling Dogs by Graham Salisbury <input type="checkbox"/> Where She Fell by Kaitlin Ward <input type="checkbox"/> Ground Zero by Alan Gratz <input type="checkbox"/> Fish in a Tree by Lynda Hunt	<input type="checkbox"/> Treasure Island by Robert Louis Stevenson <input type="checkbox"/> The Invisible Man by H.G. Wells <input type="checkbox"/> Into Thin Air by Jon Krakauer <input type="checkbox"/> The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin <input type="checkbox"/> The Hobbit by J.R. Tolkein <input type="checkbox"/> Bound By Ice by Sandra Neil Wallace
Going Into 7th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> The War of the Worlds by H.G. Wells <input type="checkbox"/> The Man Who Was Poe by Avi <input type="checkbox"/> Trials of Apollo Book One! The Hidden Oracle by Rick Riordan <input type="checkbox"/> The Maze Runner (Book One) by James Dashner <input type="checkbox"/> Nothing but the Truth, A Documentary Novel by Avi <input type="checkbox"/> Hoops by Walter Dean Meyers <input type="checkbox"/> Over the Wall by John H Ritter	<input type="checkbox"/> Scary Stories for Young Foxes by Christian McKay Heidicker <input type="checkbox"/> Fighting Words by Kimberly Brubaker Radley <input type="checkbox"/> We Dream of Space by Erin Entrada Kelly <input type="checkbox"/> New Kid by Jerry Craft <input type="checkbox"/> All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boy's Soccer by Christina Soontorvat
Going Into 6th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli <input type="checkbox"/> Maniac Magee by Jerry Spinelli <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Peterson <input type="checkbox"/> Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech <input type="checkbox"/> Hatchet by Gary Paulsen <input type="checkbox"/> The Boy in the Striped Pajamas by John Boyne <input type="checkbox"/> Phantom Tollbooth by Norton Juster	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life by James Patterson <input type="checkbox"/> A Long Walk to Remember by Linda Sue Park <input type="checkbox"/> Bud Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis <input type="checkbox"/> The Egyptian Game by Zilpha K. Snyder <input type="checkbox"/> City of Ember by Jeanne Duprau
Going Into 5th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum <input type="checkbox"/> Big Nate Strikes Again by Lincoln Peirce <input type="checkbox"/> The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies <input type="checkbox"/> The Magician's Nephew by C.S. Lewis <input type="checkbox"/> Frindle by Andrew Clements <input type="checkbox"/> A Wrinkle in Time by Madeline L'Engle	<input type="checkbox"/> Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo <input type="checkbox"/> Sideways Stories from Wayside School by Louis Secher <input type="checkbox"/> Bunnica by James Howe <input type="checkbox"/> Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan <input type="checkbox"/> The Giver by Lois Lowry <input type="checkbox"/> The Great Serum Race by Debbie S. Miller
Going Into 4th Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> Get Me Out of Here! by Andy McNab & Phil Earle <input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Grade Rats by Jerry Spinell <input type="checkbox"/> Blended by Sharon M Draper <input type="checkbox"/> 2030 by John Manders <input type="checkbox"/> The Last-Last Day of Summer by Lamar Giles & Dapo Adeola <input type="checkbox"/> Henry Huggins by Beverly Cleary	<input type="checkbox"/> Beezus and Ramona by Beverly Cleary <input type="checkbox"/> Troublemaker by Andrew Clements <input type="checkbox"/> Homesick by Jean Fritz <input type="checkbox"/> Smile by Raina Telgemeier <input type="checkbox"/> Holes by Louis Sachar <input type="checkbox"/> Number The Stars by Lois Lowry
Going Into 3rd Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> Wings of Fire by Tui T. Sutherland <input type="checkbox"/> When You Trap a Tiger by Tae Keller <input type="checkbox"/> Wagon Wheels by Barbara Brenner <input type="checkbox"/> Dolphin by Robert A. Morris <input type="checkbox"/> Who Is Kamala Harris by Kristen Anderson <input type="checkbox"/> What Was the Age of Dinosaur? by Megan Stine <input type="checkbox"/> The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies	<input type="checkbox"/> Wink by Rob Harrell <input type="checkbox"/> From the Mixed up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frank weil by E.L. Konigsburg <input type="checkbox"/> What the Road Said by Cleo Wade, Lucie de Moyencourt <input type="checkbox"/> Caroline by Neil Gaiman <input type="checkbox"/> The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo
Going Into 2nd Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> The Best Seat in Second Grade by Katharine Kenah <input type="checkbox"/> The Frogs and Toads All Sang by Arnold Lobel <input type="checkbox"/> The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein <input type="checkbox"/> Second Grade, Here I Come by David Steinberg <input type="checkbox"/> Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by Judith Viorst <input type="checkbox"/> The Lorax by Dr. Seuss <input type="checkbox"/> Owl At Home by Arnold Lobel	<input type="checkbox"/> Chocolate Fever by Robert Kimmel Smith <input type="checkbox"/> Freckle Juice by Judy Blume <input type="checkbox"/> The Most Magnificent Thing by Ashley Spires <input type="checkbox"/> Keena Ford and the Second Grade Mix Up. by Melissa Thomson <input type="checkbox"/> Frankie Sparks and the Talent Show Trick by Megan Frazer Blakemore
Going Into 1st Grade	<input type="checkbox"/> Pete the Cat: A Pet for Pete by James Dean <input type="checkbox"/> Winter Eyes by Douglas Florian <input type="checkbox"/> Make Way For Ducklings by Robert McCloskey <input type="checkbox"/> Puppy Mudge Finds a Friend by Cynthia Rylant <input type="checkbox"/> The Day The Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt <input type="checkbox"/> I Went Walking by Sue Williams	<input type="checkbox"/> Diary of A Worm by Doreen Cronin <input type="checkbox"/> Frog and Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel <input type="checkbox"/> A Bad Case of Stripes by David Shannon <input type="checkbox"/> A Birthday for Bear by Bonny Becker <input type="checkbox"/> The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle <input type="checkbox"/> Wake Up, Wake up by Brian Wildsmith
Kinder-garten	<input type="checkbox"/> Take a Hike, Miles and Spike! by Ethan Long & Travis Foster <input type="checkbox"/> Zombies Don't Eat Veggies! by Megan Lacera <input type="checkbox"/> Nothing Rhymes with Orange by Adam Rex <input type="checkbox"/> All are Welcome by Alexandra Penfold <input type="checkbox"/> One Day in the Eucalyptus, Eucalyptus Tree by Daniel Bernstrom	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicka, Chicka Boom Boom by Bill Martin <input type="checkbox"/> Pete the Cat Pete at the Beach by James Dean <input type="checkbox"/> My Many Colored Days by Dr. Seuss <input type="checkbox"/> The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle <input type="checkbox"/> Bee-Bim-Bop! by Linda Sue Park <input type="checkbox"/> All About Weather by Huda Harajli Ma <input type="checkbox"/> Frooodle by Antoinette Portis


TURN OVER FOR INSTRUCTIONS

St. Michael School
Newark, NJ

BOOK REPORT INSTRUCTIONS

For Kindergarten AND FIRST GRADES ONLY: (3 Books-4th Book-extra credit)

1. Students may choose higher level book but NOT a lower level book.
2. Reports are due to teacher on Tuesday, September 14, 2021 and will be graded –Outstanding, Good, Average, Unsatisfactory.
3. It is the student/parent responsibility to submit reports for children in K & 1.
4. Reports will be first writing and penmanship grades for the new school year.
5. Use the Kindergarten and first grade book report sheets provided (one for each book)
6. Information required on each sheet of paper:
 - * Child's Name
 - * Date
 - * Book Title
 - * Author
 - * Illustrator
 - * Draw the setting of the story
 - * Draw the main characters. Write the names of each character
 - * Draw 1 thing that happened in the story
 - * Tell us if: You like the book 

You didn't like the book 

For Grades 2 through 8: (3 Books-4th Book-extra credit)

1. Use 5x8 lined index cards or lined composition paper
2. Students may choose higher level book but NOT a lower level book.
3. Reports are due to teacher on Tuesday, September 14, 2021 and will be graded 0-6 (same as report card)
4. It is the student's responsibility to submit reports.
5. Reports will be first writing and penmanship grades for the new school year.
6. Information required on index cards:

On the front of the index card:

- Student Name and Grade Level
- Book Title
- Author
- Illustrator
- Copyright
- Number of Pages

On the back of the index card:

- List Main Characters (3 to 5)
- Setting
- Summary: 8 to 10 sentence synopsis (short summary) of the book. (in paragraph form)

KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST GRADE BOOK REPORT

Name: _____ Date: _____

Book Title: _____

Author: _____

Illustrator: _____

Tell us if:



I liked it!



I didn't like it!

Draw the setting of the story.

Draw the main characters. Write their names.

Draw 1 thing that happened in the story.