St. Andrew the Apostle
2022 Suggested Summer Reading

Summer is the perfect time to relax and dive into a great book! This summer St. Andrew the Apostle Faculty and Staff created a list of age appropriate books for students in Pre-K4 through 7th grade. We hope that you and your children use the summer to explore different authors and books and nurture a love for reading. The list below is only a suggested list. There will be no summer reading written assignments when you return to school. Have a safe and wonderful summer!

Getting Ready for Pre-K4

Brown Bear Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Marin Jr.
Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
No, David! by David Shannon
Pete the Cat: Pete at the Beach by James Dean
Pete the Cat: Play Ball by James Dean
A Day in the Life of a Firefighter by Linda Hayward

Getting Ready for Kindergarten

Elephant and Piggie Series by Mo Willems
Ten Black Dots by Donald Crews
Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins
Eating the Alphabet by Lois Ehlert
A Day in the Life of a Police Officer by Linda Hayward
Grumpy Monkey by Suzanne Lang

Getting Ready for 1st Grade

Clifford Makes the Team by Norman Bridwell
Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle
The Cat in the Hat by Dr. Suess
Mouse Paint by Ellen Stoll Walsh
Born to be a Butterfly by Karen Wallace
Mouse's First Summer by Lauren Thompson
Swimmy by Leo Lionni
Enemy Pie by Derek Munson

Getting Ready for 2nd Grade

Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
Magic Tree House series by Mary Pope Osborn
Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes
Ivy & Bean series by Annie Barrows
Great Migrations: Elephants by Laura F.Marsh
George Washington by Caroline Gilpin
Rosie Revere and the Raucous Riveters (series) by Andrea Beaty
If I Built a Car (series) by Chris Van Dusen

Getting Ready for 3rd Grade

Little House series by Laura Ingalls Wilder
A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snicket
Shiloh series by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
The Time Warp Trio series by John Sciezka
E.B. White Books (Charlotte's Web, Stuart Little, Trumpet Swan)
Roald Dahl Books (Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, George's Medicine)
Beverly Cleary Books (Ralph S. Mouse series, Ramona series)
Judy Moody Saves the World by Megan
Midnight on the Moon by Mary Pope Osborne

Getting Ready for 4th Grade

Frindle by Andrew Clements
The Hundred Dresses by Elenor Estes
The One and Only Ivan by K.A. Applegate
The 39 Clues Series
The Land of Stories series by Chris Colfer
Restart by Gordon Korman
The Kane Chronicles by Rick Riordan
Who Was? Series
The I Survived Series by Lauren Tarshis
Riding Freedom by Pam Munoz Ryan
Malala Yousafzai (She Dared) by Jenni L. Walsh
The Wings of Fire Series by Tui T. Sutherland
Holes by Louis Sachar
Comeback Kid Series by Mike Lupica

Getting Ready for Middle School

Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls
Old Yeller by Fred Gipson
Wonder by R.J. Palacio
Titanic- Voices from the Disaster by Deborah Hopkinson
Space, Stars, and the Beginning of Time: What the Hubble Telescope Saw by Elaine Scott
I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai
The Devil's Arithmetic by Jane Yolen
A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L'Engle
Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech
Freak the Mighty by Rodrick Philbrick
The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt
The Pearl by John Steinbeck
Number the Stars by Lois Lowry
Refugee by Alan Gratz
When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead
Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli
Any novel by Rick Riordan