



21st Century Public Academy 5th Grade Summer Reading List

This list is for all incoming 5th grade students. Please enjoy at least **3** of these books this summer. When you come to school this fall, you will be given an assignment related to your summer reading. Enjoy!

- ❖ Souder - William Armstrong
- ❖ The End of the Beginning - Avi
- ❖ Who Stole the Wizard of Oz? - Avi
- ❖ Tuck Everlasting - Natalie Babbitt
- ❖ The Dark Stairs - Betsy Byars
- ❖ Midnight Fox - Betsy Byars
- ❖ Dear Mr. Henshaw - Beverly Cleary
- ❖ Ramona the Pest - Beverly Cleary
- ❖ Jake Drake(Series) - Andrew Clements
- ❖ Frindle - Andrew Clements
- ❖ Lunch Money - Andrew Clements
- ❖ No Talking - Andrew Clements
- ❖ The Janitor's Boy - Andrew Clements
- ❖ The Boggart - Susan Cooper
- ❖ The Magic Shop Books - Bruce Coville
- ❖ Charlie and the Chocolate Factory -Roald Dahl
- ❖ Danny the Champion of the World -Roald Dahl
- ❖ Matilda - Roald Dahl
- ❖ The BFG - Roald Dahl
- ❖ The Hundred Dresses - Eleanor Estes
- ❖ Who's That Stepping on Plymouth Rock? -Jean Fritz
- ❖ Sign Here, John Hancock - Jean Fritz
- ❖ Where Was Patrick Henry on the 29th Day of May? - Jean Fritz
- ❖ Bully For You, Teddy Roosevelt! - Jean Fritz
- ❖ Poetry For Young People - Robert Frost
- ❖ Stone Fox - John Reynolds Gardiner
- ❖ The Zack Files - Dan Greenberg
- ❖ A Wrinkle in Time - Madeline L'Engle
- ❖ The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe -C.S. Lewis
- ❖ Arthur, For the Very First Time -Patricia MacLachlan
- ❖ Journey - Patricia MacLachlan
- ❖ Sarah, Plain and Tall - Patricia MacLachlan
- ❖ Skylark - Patricia MacLachlan
- ❖ The Great Fire - Jim Murphy
- ❖ Mick Harte Was Here - Barbara Park



- ❖ Shiloh - Phyllis Naylor Reynolds
- ❖ How to Eat Fried Worms - Thomas Rockwell
- ❖ Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone -J.K. Rowling
- ❖ Every Living Thing - Cynthia Rylant
- ❖ Cricket in Times Square - George Selden
- ❖ A Taste of Blackberries - Doris Buchanan Smith
- ❖ Babe the Gallant Pig - King Smith
- ❖ Cat Running - Zilpha Keatley Snyder
- ❖ Baseball in April and other stories -Gary Soto
- ❖ Freedom Train: The Story of Harriet Tubman -Dorothy Sterling
- ❖ Grasshopper Summer - Anne Turner
- ❖ Shredderman - Attack of the Tagger -Wendelin Van Draanen
- ❖ Castle in the Attic - Elizabeth Winthrop
- ❖ "Guardians of Ga'hoole" Series- Lasky
- ❖ " Book of Ember" series -Duprau
- ❖ " Percy Jackson & the Olympians " series or "Son of Neptune" series- Riordan