

## **INCOMING 4TH GRADE SUMMER READING**

1. Choose three books to read this summer. Make sure the books are not too easy or too difficult for you!
2. Write the three titles and authors in the box below or on another piece of paper. Also, have your parent/guardian sign their name. Choose one book to complete your report.
3. Bring your list to school so that you can share your summer reading with other readers.

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Grade:</b>	
<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Parent/Guardian Signature</b>

**Pick one of the three books you read this summer to write a response for.**

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Author:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Where and when the story takes place:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Who are the main characters?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**What happened in the beginning?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**What happened in the middle?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**What happened at the end?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**What was the problem the characters faced?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**How did they solve the problem?** \_\_\_\_\_

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## **FICTION-CHAPTER BOOKS**

**Freckle Juice by Judy Bloom**

**Muggie Maggie by Beverly Clearly**

**The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies**

**Maniac Magee by Jerry Spinelli**

**The Curse of the Priceless Corncob by John Erickson**

**The Case of the Dinosaur Birds by John Erickson**

**Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Bloom**

**Goof-Off Goalie by Betty Hicks**

**Bad to the Bone by Lucy Nolan**

**High Tide in Hawaii by Mary Pope**

**Dolphins at Daybreak by Mary Pope**

**Winners Walk by Nancy Ruth Patterson**

**Kidnapped at the Capital by Ron Roy**

**Wonderstruck by Brian Selznick**

**Liar & Spy by Rebecca Stead**

**Postcards from Camp by Simms Taback**

**EllRay Jakes is Not a Chicken by Sally Warner**

**Holy Enchilada! By Henry Wrinkler**

**Somebody Get Me Out of the Fourth Grade! By Henry Wrinkler**

**Hatchet by Gary Paulsen**

**Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo**

**Al Capone Does My Shirts by Gennifer Choldenko (Newbery)**

**Charlotte's Web by E. B. White**

**The Cricket in Times Square by George Selden**

**Bunnicula: A Rabbit Tale of Mystery by Deborah and James Howe**

**The City of Ember by Jeanne DuPrau**

**Dear Mr. Henshaw by Beverly Cleary**

**Dream Jumper: Nightmare Escape by Greg Grunberg**

**El Deafo by Cece Bell (Newbery)**

**Ella Enchanted by Gail Carson Levine**

**Frindle by Andrew Clements**

**The School Story by Andrew Clements**

**Things Not Seen by Andrew Clements**

**The Invention of Hugo Cabret by Brian Selznick**

**The Legend of Thunderfoot by Bill Wallace**

**Love That Dog by Sharon Creech**

**The BFG by Roald Dahl**

**The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary**

**The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate (Newbery)**

**Roller Girl by Victoria Jamieson (Newbery)**

**Ruby Holler by Sharon Creech (Newbery)**

**Splendors and Glooms by Laura Amy Schlitz (Newbery)**

**Sputnik's Guide to Life on Earth by Frank Cottrell Boyce**

**Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl**

**A Tale Dark and Grimm by Adam Gidwitz**

### **FANTASY/SCIENCE FICTION**

**Zita the Spacegirl by Ben Hatke**

**Hamster Magic by Lynne Jonell**

**Knights of the Kitchen Table by Tom Scieszka**

**Aliens on Vacation by Clete Barret Smith**

## **NON-FICTION/BIOGRAPHY**

**A Picture Book of Amelia Earhart by David Adler**

**A Picture Book of Rosa Parks by David Adler**

**Cows for America by Carmen Agra Deedy**

**Extreme Animals: The Toughest Creatures on Earth by Nicola Davies**

**Sacagawea by Lise Erdrich**

**Rachel Carson and Her Book that Changed the World by Laurie Lawlor**

## **MULTICULTURAL STORIES**

**The Crane Girl by Curtis Manley**

**Richard Wright and the Library Card by William Miller**

**Mama and Papa Have a Store by Amelia Lau Carling**

**Crazy Horse's Vision by Joseph Bruchac**

**Sweet Music in Harlem by Debbie Taylor**

**Aani and the Tree Huggers by Jeanine Atkins**