

Summer 2020

Welcome New Fourth Graders!

Fourth grade is a year in which students develop numerous reading skills and concepts. To be prepared for the upcoming school year, you are required to read at least two chapter books this summer from the fourth grade summer reading list and complete a writing assignment for each. As you practiced in third grade, you will be identifying the main characters, setting, main events and theme of the story. Please complete the assignments with full sentences.

I look forward to discussing these books with you in September. I would recommend that you read for at least 20 minutes a day during the summer and I am hoping that you will be able to read more than two books. Have a great summer!

Sincerely,
Ms. Lee

Here is the reading list:

Fourth Grade Summer Reading List

Because of Winn-Dixie- Kate DiCamillo
The Boxcar Children- Gertrude Chandler Warner
Superfudge- Judy Blume
[The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher](#)- Dana Alison Levy
[The Rookie Bookie](#)- L. Jon Wertheim
Maker Comics: Bake Like a Pro! - Falyynn Koch
Esperanza Rising- Pam Muñoz Ryan
The Chalk Box Kid- Claude Robert Bulla
The Jumbies- Baptiste, Tracey
Stuart Little- E.B. White
Akissi : Tales of mischief- Marguerite Aboutet
The Season of Styx Malone- Magoon, Kekla
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing- Judy Blume
Nightlights- Alvarez, Lorena
Front Desk- Yang, Kelly
Stargazing-Jen Wang
I Can Make This Promise- Christine Day
The Hobbit- J.R.R. Tolkien
The Lightning Thief: Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 1- Rick Riordan

Summer Reading Assignment Book One

Selected book and author: _____

Main Characters: _____

Setting: _____

Describe the main events in the story:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Identify one theme of the story and explain.

What is your favorite part of this story? Give 3 reasons why this was your favorite part. Give specific examples.

Summer Reading Assignment Book Two

Selected book and author: _____

Main Characters: _____

Setting: _____

Describe the main events in the story:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Identify one theme of the story and explain.

What is your favorite part of this story? Give 3 reasons why this was your favorite part. Give

specific examples.
