

P.T.M.S.
Incoming Grade 5
Summer Reading



2020

Incoming 5th Grade – Summer Reading Information

How Will I Know What Book To Read?

Attached you will find a list of books. Your teacher will circle a group of books that he/she feels would be academically appropriate for you to read in June. Please discuss the book choices with your parents and then place a check mark next to the book(s) you are interested in reading.

*** Books with an asterisk (*) next to their can may be found at Olivet School.**

What If I Want To Change My Book?

You may read any one of the books your teacher has circled for you **OR another book of your own choice**. If you decide to change your book and need a new trifold, simply come to the PTMS School Office and pick up a new one.



All students entering 5th grade must read AT LEAST one (1) book and complete one (1) trifold project. While we encourage more reading over the summer, all other reading is optional.

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*Freckle Juice by Judy Blume _____

The Kid Who Only Hit Homers by Matt Christopher _____

*Any other Matt Christopher sports novel _____

Bailey School Kids, Leprechauns Don't Play Basketball by Debbie Dadey _____

* Two Times the Fun by Beverly Cleary _____

Stink: Solar System Hero _____

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*Chocolate Fever by Robert Kimmel Smith _____

Donovan's Word Jar by Monalisa DeGross _____

*Amber Brown Goes Fourth by Paula Danziger _____

*Amber Brown is Feeling Blue by Paula Danziger

*Amber Brown is Not a Crayon by Paula Danziger

Judy Moody and the Not Bummer Summer by Megan McDonald _____

*Any other book within the Judy Moody series _____

A to Z Mystery: Detective Camp by Ron Roy _____

*Any other book within this A to Z Mystery series _____

Catwings Return by Ursula LGruin

We'll Never Forget Roberto Clemente by Trudie Engel

O

Tornado by Betsy Byars _____

*Ralph S. Mouse by Beverly Cleary _____

*Boxcar Children Mystery by Gertrude Chandler Warner _____

*Henry and Ribsy by Beverly Cleary _____

*Ramona the Brave by Beverly Cleary _____

Ghost Twins: The Mystery of the Haunted Castle by Dian Curtis Regan

Calendar Mysteries: January Joker by Ron Roy

*Skinny Bones by Barbara Park

P

*Knights of the Kitchen Table by Jon Scieszka _____
(A Time Warp Trio Mystery)

The Giraffe, the Pelly, and Me by Roald Dahl _____

*Snot Stew by Bill Wallace _____

*Emily's Runaway Imagination by Beverly Cleary _____

Encyclopedia Brown, The Case of the Midnight Visitor by Donald J. Sobol _____

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*Tales of A Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume _____

*Fudge-A-Mania by Judy Blume _____

*Dear Mr. Henshaw by Beverly Cleary _____

*Bunnicula by Deborah and James Howe _____

The Dragonling by Jackie French Koller _____

The Lemonade Trick by Scott Corbett _____

Mr. Popper's Penguins by Richard and Florence Atwater _____

*Fourth Grade Rats by Jerry Spinelli _____

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*The Landry News by Andrew Clements _____

*School Story by Andrew Clements _____

*The Math Wiz by Betsy Duffey _____

*A Dog Called Kitty by Bill Wallace _____

Beryl: A Pig's Tale by Jane Simmons _____

The Castle in the Attic by Elizabeth Winthrop _____

*Thunder from the Sea by Joan Hiatt Harlow

The Enormous Egg by Olivet Butterworth

S

*The Great Gilly Hopkins by Katherine Patterson _____

*Poppy by Avi _____

*Jelly Belly by Robert Kimmel Smith _____

The War with Grandpa by Robert Kimmel Smith _____

Boys Against Girls by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor _____

*Each Little Bird That Sings by Deborah Wiles

The Borrowers by Mary Norton

The Million Dollar Shot by Dan Gutman

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*Bridge To Terabithia by Katherine Patterson _____

The Forgotten Door by Alexander Key _____

*The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis _____

Ghost Cadet by Elaine Marie Alphine _____

*Danny, The Champion of the World by Roald Dahl _____

Comeback Kids: Hot Hand by Mike Lupica

Abiel's Island by William Steig

*Souder by William Armstrong

Lost Star: The Story of Amelia Earhart by Patricia Lauber

U

*Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis _____

No More Dead Dogs by Gordon Korman _____

The Boy Who Saved Baseball by John H. Ritter _____

*Measle and the Wrathmonk by Ian Ogilvy _____

*The View From Saturday by E.L. Konigsburg
Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie tolan

V/W

*The Bad Beginning by Lemony Snicket _____

*Holes by Loius Sachar _____

*Tuck Everlasting by Natale Babbit _____

Found: Missing Book 1 by Margaret Peterson Haddix _____

*Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D. Taylor _____

*Rascal by Sterling North _____

The Black Pearl by Scott O'Dell

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You can also find the books at the following locations:

Access FREE eBooks and audiobooks

Visit our district website or your child's school website to download a list of websites to access free eBooks and audiobooks.

Salem County Library • www.mysalemlibrary.org
Salem Branch – (856) 935-0526

Elmer Library: elmerlibrarynj.org
(856) 358-2014

Barnes & Noble • www.barnesandnoble.com
Deptford Township – (856) 232-3123
Glassboro – (856) 881-5960

Amazon • www.amazon.com

Summer Reading Trifold Rubric

	4	3	2	1	0
Responses	All responses are of the appropriate length and correctly answers the questions being asked	Most responses are of the appropriate length, and most responses correctly answer the questions being asked	Some responses are of the appropriate length and correctly answer the questions being asked	Very few responses are of the appropriate length and very few responses correctly answer the questions being asked	No responses are of the appropriate length and the responses do not correctly answer the questions being asked
Spelling/ Mechanics	All words are spelled correctly. There are no punctuation or capitalization errors.	Most words are spelled correctly. There are very few punctuation or capitalization errors.	Some words are spelled correctly. There are many punctuation or capitalization errors.	Very few words are spelled correctly. There is very little correct punctuation. Capitalization rules are not used correctly	No words are spelled correctly. There is no punctuation or the punctuation used is incorrect. Capitalization rules are not used correctly
Neatness	All answers are written and/or drawn neatly	Most answers are written and/or drawn neatly	Some answers are written and/or drawn neatly	Very Few answers are written and/or drawn neatly	No answers are written and/or drawn neatly

Summer Reading Book Log

Student's Name: _____

BOOK NUMBER	TITLE OF BOOK	AUTHOR	DATE BOOK WAS FINISHED	SIGNATURE
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