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Summer Reading for Students Entering 5th Grade

As we have enjoyed reading over the past ten months, I hope you will enjoy reading over the summer. It is my time to relax and have more time to spend reading also. Although it is fun, we also know that reading more is the best indicator that each and every one of you will become a better reader in the future. It is a scientific fact! I hope you will spend between 15 and 30 minutes per day reading. Your fifth grade teacher will be expecting you to read at least 3 books over the summer. In addition, it is expected you will write in your journal, at least 3 times per week. Please keep your W.E.B. journal and your writing journal over the summer. Be prepared to discuss them when you return in September.

All students entering fifth grade are expected to read George's Marvelous medicine by Roald Dahl.

All students will also be expected to read one fiction and one non-fiction book from the following lists.

Please choose 2nd book from the following list:

Emily's Runaway Imagination by Beverly Cleary

Stone Fox by John Reynolds Gardiner

Fudge-A-Mania by Judy Blume

Frindle by Andrew Clements

Stuart Little by E. B. White

How to Eat Fried Worms by Thomas Rockwell

Matilda by Roald Dahl



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Please choose your 3rd book from the following list:

If You Lived at the Time of the revolutionary War by Kay Moore

(or any other book in the series)

The Magic School Bus on the Ocean Floor by Joanna Cole and Bruce Degen

(or any other book in the series)

I hope you enjoy all of these books and many others that you choose on your own. I love the ones from above. I'm looking forward to my summer reading and journal writing. When you see your new teacher in the fall, you will already be a better reader. Remember: Always be the best you can be!