



# St. Andrew the Apostle 2021 Suggested Summer Reading



Summer is the perfect time to relax and dive into a great book! This summer St. Andrew the Apostle Faculty and Staff created a list of age appropriate books for students in Pre-K4 through 7<sup>th</sup> grade. We hope that you and your children use the summer to explore different authors and books and nurture a love for reading. The list below is only a suggested list. There will be no summer reading written assignments when you return to school. Have a safe and wonderful summer!

## **Getting Ready for Pre-K4**

Brown Bear Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin Jr.  
Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown  
No, David! by David Shannon  
Pete the Cat: Pete at the Beach by James Dean  
Pete the Cat: Play Ball by James Dean  
A Day in the Life of a Firefighter by Linda Hayward

## **Getting Ready for Kindergarten**

Elephant and Piggie Series by Mo Willems  
Ten Black Dots by Donald Crews  
Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins  
Eating the Alphabet by Lois Ehlert  
A Day in the Life of a Police Officer by Linda Hayward

## **Getting Ready for 1<sup>st</sup> Grade**

Clifford Makes the Team by Norman Bridwell  
Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant  
The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle  
The Cat in the Hat by Dr. Seuss  
Mouse Paint by Ellen Stoll Walsh  
Born to be a Butterfly by Karen Wallace

## **Getting Ready for 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade**

Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park  
Magic Tree House series by Mary Pope Osborn  
Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes  
Ivy & Bean series by Annie Barrows  
Great Migrations: Elephants by Laura F. Marsh  
George Washington by Caroline Gilpin

## **Getting Ready for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade**

Little House series by Laura Ingalls Wilder  
A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snicket  
Shiloh series by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor  
The Time Warp Trio series by John Scieszka  
E.B. White Books (Charlotte's Web, Stuart Little, Trumpet Swan)  
Roald Dahl Books (Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, George's Medicine)  
Beverly Cleary Books (Ralph S. Mouse series, Ramona series)

## **Getting Ready for 4<sup>th</sup> Grade**

Frindle by Andrew Clements  
The Hundred Dresses by Elenor Estes  
The One and Only Ivan by K.A. Applegate  
The 39 Clues Series  
The Land of Stories series by Chris Colfer  
Percy Jackson and the Olympians series by Rick Riordan  
Restart by Gordon Korman  
Esperanza Rising by Pam Munoz Ryan

## **Getting Ready for Middle School**

Holes by Louis Sachar  
Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls  
Old Yeller by Fred Gipson  
Wonder by R.J. Palacio  
Titanic- Voices from the Disaster by Deborah Hopkinson  
Space, Stars, and the Beginning of Time: What the Hubble Telescope Saw by Elaine Scott  
I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai  
The Devil's Arithmetic by Jane Yolen  
A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L'Engle  
Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech  
Freak the Mighty by Rodrick Philbrick  
The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt  
The Pearl by John Steinbeck  
Number the Stars by Lois Lowry  
Refugee by Alan Gratz  
When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead  
Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli  
The Westing Game by Ellen Raskin  
Any novel by Rick Riordan