St. Pius X Catholic School

2023 Suggested Summer Reading for Rising K-5

The titles and authors listed below are suggestions that your child may enjoy reading this summer and throughout the upcoming school year. Happy reading!

Kindergarten

Books by Eric Carle

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

If You Give a Mouse a Cookie series

Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten

Pete the Cat series
The Kissing Hand

Step Into Reading series

Alphabet books

No David! and other David Shannon books

Books by Mo Willems

Number books

Books by Sandra Boynton Books by Jane Yolen Books by Dr. Seuss

2nd Grade

Magic Treehouse series

The Strange Case of Origami Yoda

Rainbow Magic Fairies series

Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing

Fudge series by Judy Blume

Flat Stanley series
Easy nonfiction

Junie B. Jones series

Puppy Place and Magic Puppy series

Jake Maddox sports series

Weird School series

Nate the Great series

A to Z Mysteries

Clementine

1st Grade

I Can Read series

Books by Mercer Mayer Mercy Watson series

Fly Guy and other Ted Arnold books

Junie B. Jones series

Rainbow Magic Fairies series

Nonfiction easy readers

Franklin series

Magic Treehouse series Books by Tommie dePaola

Books by Jan Brett

The Story of Ferdinand

Henry and Mudge series

Jake Maddox sports series

3rd Grade

Books by Matt Christopher

Ramona and other books by Beverly Cleary Tale of Despereaux and Kate DiCamillo books Lunch Money and other Andrew Clements books

Nonfiction

Who Was? biography series

Geronimo Stilton and Thea Stilton series

I Survived... series

Little House on the Prairie

Willowdeen by Katherine Applegate

Magic Treehouse series

Shiloh series Spy School series

4th Grade

Seymour Simon nonfiction books

A Snicker of Magic

Wish

Jack and the Geniuses series

Who Was/Is? biography series

The Problem with Prophecies by Scott Reintgen

Series of Unfortunate Events books

Books by Matt Christopher

New Kid and Class Act by Jerry Craft Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

Harry Potter series

Books by Andrew Clements

Wings of Fire series A Dog's Purpose books

5th Grade

Books by Tim Green

Ghost and other Jason Reynolds books

The War that Saved My Life Saving Fable by Scott Reintgen Ranger's Apprentice series

Books by Alan Gratz Percy Jackson series Books by Louis Sachar

The Miscalculations of Lightning Girl Hatchet and other Gary Paulson books

Chronicles of Narnia series

Found series

Books by Jerry Spinelli The One and Only Ivan