



Covenant School

Third Grade Summer Reading

The titles listed below are recommended reading for incoming Third Grade students to participate in the summer reading program:

1. Students must read a minimum of 3 books from the author list to receive a prize.
2. Students may read other books from the following authors.
3. Complete the Reading Record Form before the first day of school.
4. Books read prior to the summer may not be counted.

Recommended Reading List:

- Avi | *Prairie School*
- Bailey | *Miss Hickory*
- Bond | *A Bear Called Paddington*
- Brisley | *The Milly-Molly-Mandy Storybook*
- Burgess | *Old Mother Westwind*
- Catling | *The Chocolate Touch*
- Cleary | *Ramona Quimby, Age 8*
- Conford | *Annabel the Actress...In Gorilla my Dreams*
- Craik | *The Little Lame Prince*
- Dahl | *Fantastic Mr. Fox*
- Edmonds | *The Matchlock Gun*
- Erikson | *Hank the Cowdog*
- Fisher | *Understood Betsy*
- Fleischman | *Jim Ugly*
- Fritz | *The Cabin Faced West*
- Gannett | *My Father's Dragon*
- Giff | *The Gift of the Pirate Queen*
- Godden | *The Doll's House*
- Graff | *John Paul Jones, Sailor Hero*
- Greene | *Louis Pasteur*
- Haywood | *Primrose Day*
- Holling | *Paddle to the Sea*
- Hope | *Bobbsey Twins*
- Karwoski | *Seaman: the Dog Who Explored the West*
- King-Smith | *Funny Frank*
- Kunhardt | *Pompeii...Buried Alive*
- Lasky | *The Librarian Who Measured the Earth*
- Lewis | *Hill of Fire*
- Lindgren | *Pippi Longstocking*
- Little | *Mine for Keeps*
- Lovelace | *Betsy-Tacy*
- McDonald | *Mrs. Piggle Wiggle*
- Myers | *McGee and Me*
- Naylor | *Anyone Can Eat Squid*
- Park | *Junie B. Jones*
- Peterson | *The Littles*
- Polacco | *Pink and Say*
- Richardson | *Grandma's Attic*
- Rupp | *The Dragon of Lonely Island*
- Sawyer | *Roller Skates*
- Sobol | *Encyclopedia Brown*
- Smith | *Akimbo and the Elephants*
- Stanley | *Leonardo da Vinci*
- Stevenson | *Ben Franklin, Boy Printer*
- Warner | *Boxcar Children*
- Wilder | *Little House*
- Winterfeld | *Detectives in Togas*
- Wojciechowski | *Beany (Not Beanhead)*
- Wyeth | *Freedom's Wings*

If students desire to read classical literature beyond the summer reading program, we recommend this online resource, where you can find classical works sorted by genre and level of difficulty:

<http://www.classicalreader.com/>