

Rising 1st grade Summer Reading Book List

Please choose 10 of these books to read during your summer vacation.

A Bad Case of Stripes by David Shannon
Officer Buckle and Gloria by Peggy Rathmann
Mr. Brown Can Moo, Can You? by Dr. Seuss
Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale by Mo Willems
Froggy Goes to School by Jonathan London
Owl at Home by Arnold Lobel
Llama Llama Red Pajama by Anna Dewdney
Little Miss Spider by David Kirk
Pete the Cat: Too Cool for School by James and Kimberly Dean
Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus! by Mo Willems
I'll Teach my Dog a lot of Words by Michael Frith
A Bug, A Bear, and A Boy by David McPhail
Is Your Mama a Llama? by Deborah Guarino
Inch by Inch by Leo Lionni
The Tiny Seed by Eric Carle
Whoever You Are by Mem Fox
My Five Senses by Alike
Chrysanthemum by Kevin Henkes

You may also choose anything from the following series:

Clifford by Norman Bridwell
Olivia by Ian Falconer
Arthur by Marc Brown
Little Bear by Elsa Minarik
Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
Frog and Toad by Arnold Lobel
Biscuit by Alyssa Capucilli
Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
Fancy Nancy by Jane O'Conner
Mercy Watson by Kate DiCamillo
Junie B. Jones by Barbara Park
Magic Tree House by Mary Pope Osborne
Cam Jansen by David A. Adler
Nate the Great by Marjorie Wienman Sharmat



Have a ball reading this summer!

Summer Choice Board for rising 1st graders

Complete at least 10 of these activities and return to your 1st grade teacher for a Dress Down Day! Each activity should be completed using a different book.



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Create a new story cover for the book.	Read to a family member.	Go to the library and pick out a book you haven't read.	Illustrate your favorite page.	Write a letter to a character.	Read to a stuffed animal.
Read a fiction (not real) book in bed.	Read a non-fiction (real) book. I read	Listen to a storyline online book.	Retell the main points of the story to a family member	Read in a silly voice.	Find three words you don't know and ask a parent for their meaning
Pick a scene in the book and act it out.	Write a new ending for the book.	Record yourself reading the book.	Write a summary of the book.	Create an interview for the main character.	Make character puppets for the book.
Read at the beach.	Read on a rainy day.	Read in your favorite place.	Read a book outside.	Read on a weekend.	Read with a friend.