

# Hooray for Summer Reading!!!

Dear Tindley Parents,

As the 2015-2016 school year comes to a close, it is our pleasure to present to you our Summer Reading Assignment. Summer reading is an important activity for your child's growth and development. It encourages student to continue learning while providing them with fun and enjoyment.

Attached you will find a recommended reading list that includes titles from award winning authors. As part of our Summer Reading Program we are asking that your scholar chooses four different books from the list and completes the attached Reading Diary. Most of the books listed can be found at your local library or if desired purchased at a store. Students who complete the Summer Reading Diary will receive a free book at the beginning of the 2016-2017 school year.

Again, our goal with the Summer Reading Assignment is to assist your child in becoming lifelong readers while developing their development for the upcoming school year.

The following tips may be helpful to encourage reading over the summer:

- Encourage your child to select books that interest them from the list.
- Whenever possible, children should read at least 10 minutes per day.
- Read aloud to your child, even if they want to read independently.
- Read outside!
- Ask your child questions about the book; who, what, where, why, why, and how.

Whether you are inside on a raining day or enjoying the sun... don't forget to curl up with a good book!

Have a wonderful summer! See you in August!

Sincerely,

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# Summer Reading List

## Pre K-Kindergarten

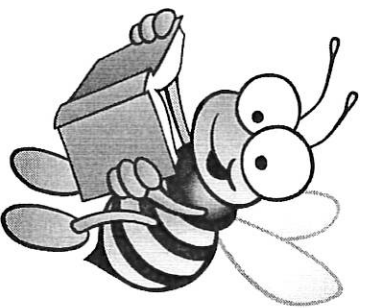
Title	Author
ABC T-Rex	Bernard Most
Alphabet Adventure	Audrey Wood
Are You My Mother?	P. D. Eastman
Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?	Bill Martin Jr.
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	Bill Martin Jr. and John Archambault
Go Away, Big Green Monster!	Ed Emberley
Goodnight Moon	Margaret Wise Brown
The Grouchy Ladybug	Eric Carle
Guess How Much I Love You	Sam McBratney
How Many Snails? A Counting Book	Paul Giganti Jr.
Is Your Mama a Llama?	Deborah Guarino
It Looked Like Spilt Milk	Charles G. Shaw
The Little Engine That Could	Watty Piper
The Napping House	Audrey Wood
Quick as a Cricket	Audrey Wood
There's a Nightmare in My Closet	Mercer Mayer
To Market, To Market	Anne Miranda
The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
Where the Wild Things Are	Maurice Sendak

## Grades 1-2

Title	Author
Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	Judith Viorst
Amelia Bedelia	Peggy Parish
Caps for Sale	Esphyr Slobodkina
The Cat in the Hat	Dr. Seuss
A Chair for My Mother	Vera B. Williams
Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs	Judi Barrett
Corduroy	Don Freeman
Frog and Toad Are Friends	Arnold Lobel
The Giving Tree	Shel Silverstein
Green Eggs and Ham	Dr. Seuss
If You Give a Pig a Party	Laura Numeroff
Madeline	Ludwig Bemelmans
Miss Nelson Is Missing!	Harry G. Allard
My Father's Dragon	Ruth Stiles Gannett
Nate the Great	Marjorie Weinman Sharmat
One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish	Dr. Seuss
The Relatives Came	Cynthia Rylant
Sharks	Gail Gibbons
Stone Soup	Marcia Brown
Strega Nona	Tomie dePaola
Tacky the Penguin	Helen Lester



# My Summer Reading Diary



Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
2016-2017 Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:
Book Title:
Author:
I read this book with:
Book Rating: Color in the number of stars showing how much you liked this book.
★ ★ ★ ★

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**Please be sure to read four of the books listed on the SUMMER READING LIST. Turn in the completed sheet at the beginning of the 2016-2017 school year to receive a FREE BOOK!**