



SUMMER READING FOR STUDENTS ENTERING 5TH GRADE

Suggested Reading

Series/Titles

Who was...? Series by various authors

Smells like.... Series by Suzanne Selfors

The Land of Elyon, Book 1: The Dark Hills Divide

by Patrick Carman

The Wright 3 by Blue Balliett

American Girl Mysteries

The Curious Cat Spy Club Series by Linda Joy Singleton

The Fighting Ground by Avi

Authors for Families to Read Together

E.L. Montgomery

Cynthia Voigt

Judy Blume

Jerry Spinelli

Jean Craighead George

Jenny Nimmo

Margaret Peterson Haddix

Rick Riordan

Cynthia Lord



The Importance of Summer Reading

Research shows that children who don't read over the summer, especially young students and struggling readers, can lose up to three months of learning in just one summer.

There are easy steps to take to avoid summer regression in literacy. Reading just a few books this summer, visiting the local library, and insisting that children make time for reading can curb the summer slide.