



## Rising 3rd Grade: Reading List

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### Required Summer Reading and Optional Book Challenge

This is the suggested list of books and authors for your child's summer reading. Students may read the books from this list or choose alternate books from the authors listed. Students may read independently or with an adult.

#### **Optional Summer Reading Challenge:**

- Read 25 books or 625 pages
- Record reading on the summer reading log
- Complete five Book Taco book quizzes (new students will have access to Book Taco at the beginning of the school year)

**Required Reading:** The book in bold font is required and students must complete the book summary on this book.

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| 1. Adler, David                   | <i>Cam Jansen Series</i>                          |
| 2. Appleton, Victor               | <i>Tom Swift, Inventors' Academy Series</i>       |
| 3. Atwater, Richard, and Florence | <i>Mr. Popper's Penguins</i>                      |
| 4. Avi                            | <i>Ereth's Birthday</i>                           |
| 5. Bailey, Bill                   | <i>Save Our Species Series</i>                    |
| 6. Berry, Joy Wilt                | <i>What to Do When Your Mom or Dad Says...</i>    |
| 7. Brokken, Allen                 | <i>Light of Mine</i>                              |
| 8. Brooks, Felicity               | <i>Tales of King Arthur</i>                       |
| 9. Brouwer, Sigmund               | <i>Watch Out for Joel!</i>                        |
| 10. Bulla, Robert                 | <i>A Lion to Guard Us</i>                         |
| 11. Canavan, Roger                | <i>You Wouldn't Want to Live Without Writing!</i> |
| 12. Choi, Yansook                 | <i>The Name Jar</i>                               |
| <b>13. Cleary, Beverly</b>        | <b><i>Muggie Maggie</i></b>                       |



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| 14. Cleary, Beverly           | <i>Two Times the Fun</i>                    |
| 15. Dahl, Roald               | <i>Fantastic Mister Fox</i>                 |
| 16. Edwards, Roberta          | <i>Who was Paul Revere?</i>                 |
| 17. Fleming, Candace          | <i>Boxes for Katje</i>                      |
| 18. Gibbons, Gail             | <i>Beacons of Light: Lighthouses</i>        |
| 19. Gutman, Dan               | <i>Honus &amp; Me</i>                       |
| 20. Hering, Marianne          | <i>The Imagination Station Series</i>       |
| 21. Johnson, Lois Walfrid     | <i>Raiders from the Sea</i>                 |
| 22. Korman, Gordon            | <i>The 39 Clues Series</i>                  |
| 23. Lasky, Kathryn            | <i>Guardians of Ga'Hoole: The Capture</i>   |
| 24. O'Connor, Jane            | <i>Nancy Clancy Super Sleuth</i>            |
| 25. Osborne, Mary Pope        | <i>Dolphins at Daybreak</i>                 |
| 26. Pennypacker, Sara         | <i>Waylon! Awesome Thing</i>                |
| 27. Roy, Ron                  | <i>A to Z Mysteries: The Empty Envelope</i> |
| 28. Thomas, Jerry D.          | <i>Detective Zack</i>                       |
| 29. Thomas, M.J.              | <i>The Secret of Hidden Scrolls</i>         |
| 30. Thorpe, Kiki              | <i>In a Blink</i>                           |
| 31. Warner, Gertrude Chandler | <i>The Boxcar Children Series</i>           |