

Wallace A. Smith Elementary School Summer Reading

1st Grade

Summer Reading Picks:

Classics:

Where the Wild Things Are-by Maurice Sendak
The Napping House- by Audrey Wood
Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel- by Virginia Lee
Burton

Picture Books:

We Don't Eat Our Classmates- by Ryan T. Higgins
The Hike- by Allison Farrell
All Are Welcome- by Alexandra Penfold
When Will I Read- by Mariam Cohen
Press Here by- Herve Tullet
Diary of a Wombat- by Jackie Frenchy
The Pigeon Has to Go to School by- Mo Willems
Freckle Juice by- Judy Blume
Grumpy Monkey by- Suzanne Lang
The Book Hog by- Greg Pizzoli
There's an Alligator Under my Bed by- Mercer Mayer
Bear Came Along by- Richard T. Morris

Folk and Fairy Tales:

The Turnip by- Jan Brett
Princess and the Peas by- Rachel Himes
The Little Red Fort by- Brenda Maier
Good Night, Wind by- Linda Elovitz Marshall
The Lion and the Mouse by- Jerry Pinkney

Chapter Books: To read to or with your child

Fly Guy by- Ted Arnold
Junie B. Jones by- Barbara Park
Henry and Mudge by- Cynthia Rylant
Lulus Animal Adventures by- Hillary McRay
Magic Tree House by- Mary Pope Osborne

Grown Ups - Start up a book conversation with your kiddo!

- What happened in your book?
- What was the problem in the story? How do you know that?
- How would you describe the character in your book? What did the character say or do to make you think that?
- How is the character feeling? What did the character say or do to make you think that?
- What did you learn from your book?
- What did the author include to help you understand the topic?
- How did the pictures help you understand or learn more about your topic?


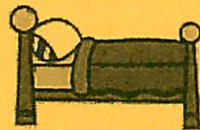

Other Literacy Activities for Summer:

- ★ Check out Scholastic HomeBase for a fun, free summer reading program!
<https://kids.scholastic.com/kid/homebase>
- ★ Need more book suggestions???
www.startwithabook.org has great options for kids' books on many different topics!
- ★ Check out the WAS SUMMER READING CHALLENGE on the back!

Don't forget to visit the **Collegedale Library** or the **Chattanooga Public Library** for other great summer reads!

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

How many of these challenges can you complete over the summer?! Once you have completed a challenge, mark it with a X. See if you can finish all of them!

Read on vacation 	Read under a table 	Read at the beach 	Read on a rainy day 
Read aloud with a funny accent 	Read with a flashlight 	Read to a pet 	Read a magazine 
Read at the library 	Read at the pool 	Read in bed 	Read on an airplane 
Read to a stuffed animal 	Read in the car 	Read while eating ice cream 	Read with a friend 

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 Summer Reading Challenge for _____

Complete and Return this page the first week of school to receive a summer reading **PRIZE!**

To win the prize:

- ★ Complete at least 4 Summer Reading Challenge Boxes (on the left).
- ★ Read and log 6 or more books here.

1. Title: _____
 Author: _____

2. Title: _____
 Author: _____

3. Title: _____
 Author: _____

4. Title: _____
 Author: _____

5. Title: _____
 Author: _____

6. Title: _____
 Author: _____

7. Title: _____
 Author: _____

My child has read these books and completed these challenges this summer.

Parent Signature: _____