

Elmwood School Library
2021 Summer Reading Suggestions for Rising 2nd and 3rd Graders

Picture Books	
<i>How To Read a Book</i>	Alexander, Kwame
<i>I Am Every Good Thing</i>	Barnes, Derrick
<i>If You Take Away the Otter</i>	Buhrman-Deever Susannah
<i>One Little Bag</i>	Cole, Henry
<i>River</i>	Cooper, Elisha
<i>Cece Loves Science</i>	Derting, Kimberly and and Shelli R Johannes
<i>Oona</i>	DiPucchio, Kelly
<i>Otto and Pio</i>	Dubuc, Marianne
<i>The One Day House</i>	Durango, Julia
<i>We Are Water Protectors</i>	Lindstrom, Carole
<i>Saturday</i>	Mora, Oge
<i>Sulwe</i>	Nyong'o, Lupita
<i>The Bell Rang</i>	Ransome, James
<i>There Are No Bears in This Bakery</i>	Sarcone-Roach, Julia
<i>Who Wet My Pants?</i>	Shea, Bob
<i>Llama Destroys the World</i>	Stultzman, Jonathan
<i>You Are Home: An Ode to the National Parks</i>	Turk, Evan
<i>Sugar in Milk</i>	Umrigar, Thrity
<i>Every Little Letter</i>	Underwood, Deborah
<i>Nana Akua Goes to School</i>	Walker, Trisha
<i>Summer</i>	Wenxuan, Cao
<i>Because</i>	Willems, Mo

Graphic Novels	
<i>Super Detectives (Simon and Chester series)</i>	Atkinson, Cale
<i>Sparks</i>	Boothby, Ian
<i>Lucy and Andy Neanderthal series</i>	Brown, Jeffrey
<i>Lowriders in Space series</i>	Camper, Cathy
<i>I Am Hermes</i>	Gerstein, Mordecai
<i>The Chicken Who Couldn't</i>	Jan, Thomas
<i>Pea Bee and Jay series</i>	Smith, Brian
<i>Mr. Wolf's Class series</i>	Steinke, Aron Nels
<i>Wings of Fire (graphic novel series)</i>	Sutherland, Tui
<i>Bigfoot Boy series</i>	Torres, J
<i>Stargazing</i>	Wang, Jen
<i>Robobaby</i>	Wiesner, David

Early Readers	
<i>Monster and Boy</i>	Barnaby, Hannah
<i>The Cool Cat Club (Jasper and Scruff series)</i>	Colton, Nicola
<i>Sydney and Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World</i>	Davies, Jacqueline
<i>Monkey and Cake series</i>	Daywalt, Drew
<i>Anne's Kindred Spirits (An Anne Chapter Book)</i>	George, Kallie
<i>Kondo & Kezumi series</i>	Goodner, David and Andrea Tsurumi
<i>You Read to Me, I'll Read to You series</i>	Hoberman, Mary Ann
<i>Danny and the Dinosaur</i>	Hoff, Syd

<i>Juana and Lucas</i> series	Medina, Juana
<i>Zach's Alligator</i>	Mozelle, Shirley
<i>Snail Finds a Home</i>	Peterson, Mary
<i>Motor Mouse</i> and other assorted titles	Rylant, Cynthia
<i>The Cookie Fiasco</i>	Santat, Dan
<i>Harold and Hog Pretend for Real</i>	Santat, Dan and Mo Willems

Fiction	
<i>The Magnificent Mya Tibbs</i> series	Allen, Crystal
<i>Lucy McGee</i> series	Amato, Mary
<i>A Boy Called Bat</i> series	Arnold, Elana K
<i>The Terrible Two</i> series	Barnett, Mac
<i>Ivy and Bean</i> series	Barrows, Annie
<i>Ellie McDoodle Diaries</i> series	Barshaw, Ruth McNally
<i>Magic Kitten</i> and <i>Magic Puppy</i> series	Bentley, Sue
<i>The World According to Humphrey</i> series	Birney, Betty
<i>The Last Kids on Earth</i> series	Brallier, Max
<i>Star Wars Jedi Academy</i> series	Brown, Jeff
<i>The Year of the Book</i> and <i>The Year of the Garden</i>	Cheng, Andrea
<i>Pandava</i> series	Chokshi, Roshani
<i>Ramona</i> series	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Heidi Hecklebeck</i> series	Coven, Wanda
<i>Heartbeat</i>	Creech, Sharon
<i>Mermaid Tales</i> series	Dadey, Debbie

<i>Geronimo Stilton and Thea Stilton</i> series	Dami, Elisabetta
<i>Deckawoo Drive</i> series and <i>Mercy Watson</i> series	DiCamillo, Kate
<i>Stinkbomb and Ketchup Face</i> series	Dougherty, John
<i>Unicorn Diaries</i> and <i>Owl Diaries</i> series	Elliott, Rebecca
<i>Strongheart: Wonderdog of the Silver Screen</i>	Fleming, Candace
<i>Little Red Hoodie</i>	Freeman, Martha
<i>Fortunately, the Milk</i>	Gaiman, Neil
The <i>Unicorn Rescue</i> series	Gidwitz, Adam
<i>13th Story Treehouse</i> series	Griffiths, Andy
<i>My Weird School</i> series	Gutman, Dan
<i>Princess in Black</i> series	Hale, Shannon
<i>Platypus Police Squad</i> series	Krosoczka, Jarrett
<i>Pie in the Sky</i>	Lai, Remy
<i>Judy Moody</i> series	MacDonald, Meg
<i>Dream Within a Dream</i>	MacLachlan, Patricia
<i>The Alien Adventures of Finn Caspian</i> series	Messinger, Jonathan and Aleksei Bitskoff
<i>Whatever After</i> series	Mlynowski, Sarah
<i>Time Dogs: Balto and the Race Against Time</i>	Moss, Helen and Misa Saburi
<i>The Fantastic Frame</i> series	Oliver, Lin
<i>Magic Tree House</i> series	Osborne, Mary Pope
<i>Junie B. Jones</i> series	Park, Barbara
<i>Treasure Hunters</i> series	Patterson, James
<i>Bigfoot and Little Foot</i> series	Potter, Ellen
<i>A to Z Mysteries</i> and <i>Calendar Mysteries</i> series	Roy, Ron

<i>Time Warp Trio</i> series	Scieszka, Jon
<i>Wings of Fire</i> (Dragon Fantasy series)	Sutherland, Tui
<i>I Survived</i> series	Tarshis, Lauren
<i>Sam Wu is Not Afraid</i> series	Tsang, Katie and Kevin
<i>All the Greys on Greene Street</i>	Tucker, Laura

Nonfiction	
<i>Joey: The Story of Joe Biden</i>	Biden, Jill
<i>Headstrong Hallie! The Story of Hallie Morse Daggett</i>	Bissonnette, Aimee
<i>Clackety Clack: Poems About Trains</i>	Brown, Skila
<i>Comics: Easy as ABC</i>	Brunetti, Ivan
<i>Liberty Arrives! How America's Grandest Statue Found Her Home</i>	Byrd, Robert
<i>Titanosaur: Discovering the World's Largest Dinosaur</i>	Carballido, Jose Luis
<i>Quill Soup</i>	Durant, Alan
<i>Beware of the Crocodile</i>	Jenkins, Martin
<i>The Story of Ruth Bader Ginsburg</i>	Katz, Susan
<i>Starstruck: The Cosmic Journey of Neil deGrasse Tyson</i>	Krull, Kathleen
<i>This is How We Do It: One Day in the Lives of Seven Kids From Around the World</i>	Lamothe, Matt
<i>Made for Each Other: Why Dogs and People are Perfect for Each Other</i>	Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw
<i>Bookjoy, Wordjoy</i>	Mora, Pat
<i>You Are My Friend</i> (Mr. Rogers Biography)	Reid, Aimee
<i>The Astronaut Who Painted the Moon</i>	Robbins, Dean

<i>16 Words</i>	Rogers, Lisa Jean
<i>Beyond Words: What Elephants and Whales Think and Feel (A Young Readers' Adaptation)</i>	Safina, Carl
<i>Dinosaurs Are Not Extinct</i>	Sheneman, Drew
<i>Dogs in Space: The Amazing True Story of Belka and Strelka</i>	Southgate, Vix
<i>Make Yourself at Home</i>	Torp, Signe
<i>Teatime Around the World</i>	Waissbluth, Denyse
<i>Ten of the Best: Myths, Legends, and Folk Stories (series)</i>	West, David
<u>What Is / Where Is</u> (series about famous landmarks or historical events by various authors)	
<u>Who Is</u> (biography series by various authors)	
<i>The Book Rescuer: How a Mensch from Massachusetts Saved Yiddish Literature for Generations to Come</i>	Wiseman, Paula
<i>Once There Was a Story</i>	Yolen, Jane

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