



4th Grade Summer Reading List



For Summer Reading, you must choose any 2 of the following books and complete 2 Book Projects (attached):

1. *The Library Card* by Jerry Spinelli
2. Any book from the *Who Was* or *What Was* series
3. Any book from the *I Survived* series
4. *The Kid Who Hit Homers* by Matt Christopher
5. *Allergic* by Megan Wagner Lloyd

If you'd like to purchase the following book in advance, we will be reading *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* by Roald Dahl later in the year as part of our 4th grade book study. ***Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing* by Judy Blume will be our first book study and it is on your 4th grade supply list for September.

Please choose 2 *different* book report projects to complete and turn in to your teacher on the first day of school.

1. Create a Timeline- Begin with the title and author on the top of your paper. Hold your paper horizontally and attach 2 sheets of computer paper together making it longer. Create a timeline of 6-8 events in the book, making sure you go from start to finish. Please include pictures you have drawn or printed from your computer. Also include a sentence or two for each part of the timeline.
2. Design a New Book Cover- Redesign the cover of your book making sure to include the title and author. Be creative! On the back of your paper or on a second sheet, write a short summary of the book.
3. Write a Letter to the Author- Write a letter to the author telling them what you thought of the book. Be specific to at least 3-4 things that happened in the book and include the title. Be honest and make sure to say *Dear* in the beginning and *Sincerely* at the end.