Lower School Summer Reading 2024



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The Westfield Lower School Summer Reading Program

Westfield is pleased to partner with the Houston County Public Library System's Vacation Reading Program this summer! School is out, but studies show that taking a summer break from reading can have a significant impact on students when they return to the classroom on August 7th. A summer off of reading can mean the loss of six to nine months progress for some students. The key to preventing learning loss during summer break is simple – it's reading regularly at least 15 minutes each day!

REGISTER HERE FOR THE VACATION READING PROGRAM!

- Put a sticker on the log for each book read.
- Bring in the log each week, and if you have read only one book since the last time you came in, you will get that week's incentive.
- Incentives are limited, may differ branch to branch, and are subject to substitution.
- The log may be presented once per week at the branch selected when you registered.





Register online at https://tinyurl.com/vrphoupl

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Ages 0-11

Put a sticker on the log for each book read. Bring in the log each week, and if you have read even
 One Book since the last time you came in, you will get an incentive.

Ages 12-17

For each book read, write the title in your log. Bring in the log each week, and if you have read
even One Book since the last time you came in, you will get an incentive.

All Ages

If you want another way of tracking what you've read, use Beanstack.
 Beanstack is an online program with logs, challenges and more!
 https://houpl.beanstack.org/reader365



It doesn't matter **Where** you get the book; it doesn't matter **Who** reads the book to you; it doesn't matter if it is a Library Book;

it can be in another language or it can be an **Ebook**; it can even be a book you listen to as an **Audiobook**.

The ONLY requirement is that You enjoy reading this summer!





Vacation Reading Program May 20-July 13, 2024

Centerville Branch (CV) 206 Gunn Rd, Centerville 478-953-4500 Nola Brantley Memorial Library (NB) 721 Watson Blvd, Warner Robins 478-923-0128 Perry Branch (PE) 1201 Washington St, Perry 478-987-3050

Sunday May 19	Monday May 20	Tuesday May 21	Wednesday May 22	Thursday May 23	Friday May 24	Saturday May 25
Register online for VRP. Start at houpl.org	VRP packet and full calendar are available	Is it time to update your library card?	Please always bring your card or the PINES app (on your phone) for checking out.	Check out an electronic book through eRead Kids. Start at houpl.org		Use Beanstack online for reading logs and challenges!
May 26	May 27	May 28	May 29	May 30	May 31	June 1
Check out an electronic audiobook through GADD. Start at houpl.org	Did you know we have streaming children's movies through Kanopy? Start at houpl.org	Did you know we have partnership passes with the State Parks, the Macon Museums and more?	S.T.E.M. Adventures with Georgia Tech 11:00am- 12:00pm @ PE All ages	Museum of Arts and Sciences presents Animals 11:00am— 12:00pm @ NB All ages Into the Spider-Verse Training with Miles Morales and Spider-Gwen (Costumes Encouraged) 2:00pm- 3:00pm @ CV All ages	Girl Scouts talk about Fire Safety 10:30am- 11:30am @NB All ages	Reading incentives start next week on Monday, June 3rd.



2024 VACATION READING PROGRAM—JUNE



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Register online for VRP @ https://tinyurl.com/vrphoupl					Or sc	anthis	Continue turning in reading logs at your branchuntil the end of program	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Reading incentives start on Monday Use Beanstack and reach all goals for extra cool prize.	Camping Story Time Adventure 10:30am-11:30am (ages 0-5) at Perry Safari Tote Bag Craft 6:00pm-7:00pm (all ages) Pre-register at Nola Brantley Camping Scavenger Hunt begins at Perry	Adventure Buddy Adoption Pickup 11:00am-12:00pm (all ages—While supplies last) at Nola Brantley Paracord Survival Bracelets 11:00am-12:00pm (ages 12-17) Pre-register at Perry Paint Your Summer Adventure 5:30pm-7:00pm (all ages) at Centerville		5 Master Gardeners - Sprouts Nature Adventure 10:30am-11:15am (ages 6-11) at Centerville Sew An Adventure Journal with Crossroads Quilt Guild 11:00am-12:00pm (ages 8-17) Pre-register at Perry		Jungle Obstacle Course 10:30am-11:30am (ages 1-8) at Nola Brantley Wiggle Worms 11:00am-11:30am (ages 0-5) at Centerville Ms. Frizzle's Edible Moon & More 3:00pm-4:00pm (ages 6-9) Pre-register at Perry	7 Lee Bryan—That Puppet Guy Show 10:30 am at Nola Brantley 1:30pm at Centerville 3:30pm at Perry Pick up an "Adventure to go" at any branch while supplies last	Master Gardeners' Native Wings Open Garden Days 9:00am- 1:30pm at Perry
Keep Reading!	Camping Story Time Adventure 10:30am-11:30am (ages 0-5) at Perry Pirate Craft Paper Plate Compass 6:00pm-7:00pm (all ages) at Nola Brantley LEGOS at the Library 6:00pm-7:00pm (ages 18+) at Perry	Treasure Time 10:30am-11:00 at Noia Brantle Sew an Advent with Crossroac 2:00pm-3:00pr Pre-register at Star Wars Nigt Encouraged] (a	ure Journal ls Quilt Guild in (ages 8-17) Centerville at [Costumes all ages)	Heartland Flutes Disne Music Adventure [Costumes Encourage (all ages) 10:15am-11:15 at Perry Master Gardeners—Sp Nature Adventure 10:3 11:15am (ages 6-11) at Centerville Origami with Ms. Rach 3:00pm-4:00pm (ages Pre-register at Nola Br	d] am routs Dam-	13 Yo Ho Ho! Stay & Play 10:30am-11:30am (all ages) at Nola Brantley Make Strawberry Jam with Georgia Farm Bureau's Lisa Hall 11:00am-12:00pm (ages 6-11) Pre-register at Perry Dungeons & Dragons 4:00pm-5:00pm (Ages 8-15) at Nola Brantley Countywide Teen Manga and Anime Ramen Night [Cosplay / Costumes Encouraged] 5:30pm-7:00pm (ages 11+) at Centerville	Storytime at Center Park 10:30am-11:00am (all ages) at Center Park in Centerville Pick up an "Adventure to go" at any branch while supplies last	Native Wings Garden Insect Hunt and Rock Painting 11:00am- 12:00pm at Perry
16 Keep Reading!	17 The Amazing Magic of Ken Scott 10:30am-11:30am at Perry 1:30pm-2:30pm at Centerville 6:30pm-7:30pm at Noia Brantley	18 Make Butter w Farm Bureau's 11:00am-12:00p Pre-register at Hiking Scaven 11:00am-12:00p Nola Brantley Perry Animal C 11:00am-12:00p STEM Demons GA Tech Resea 5:30pm-7:00pr up) at Centervi	Lisa Hall m (all ages) Centerville ger Hunt m (all ages) at ontrol Visit m at Perry tration with urch Institute n (ages 6 and	All branches closed for Juneteenth		20 Wiggle Worms 11:00am- 11:30am (ages 0-5) at Centerville Origami with Ms. Rachel 11:00am-12:00pm (ages 6-11) Pre-register at Perry Sew an Adventure Journal with Crossroads Quilt Guild 2:00pm-3:00pm (ages 8-17) Pre-register at Nola Brantley	All about Busy Bees with Ms. Beth 1:30pm-2:00pm (all ages) at Nole Brantley Foraging Workshop with Libby Peacock 2:00pm-3:00pm at Perry Pick up an "Adventure to go" at any branch while supplies last	22

Reading Incentives provided by....



















































Getting Excited about Reading!

Here are some tips from Read Naturally for getting children engaged in and excited about reading this summer:

- 1. **Visit the public library and meet a librarian** Librarians will help locate books based on interests and reading ability.
- 2. **Lead by example** Actions speak louder than words so let your child see you reading the newspaper or curling up with a good book. For younger readers, go ahead and read together with you reading a page and them reading the next.
- 3. **See reading everywhere** Show how important reading is in everyday in everyday life by asking them to read the recipe while you make something together or read signs as you go about your day.
- 4. **Read the book, then see the movie** Use the excitement of an upcoming movie to get them to read the book. Then see the movie and discuss the differences between the two versions. They'll quickly learn that books are better. This can be done with videos as well.
- 5. **Bring books while you hit the highway** Books are terrific because they are portable and don't need any batteries or wires. Audio books are also great for getting kids to see the value in stories found in books.
- 6. **Give TV a timeout** According to a U.S. Department of Education study, the average kindergarten student has spent more than 5,000 hours watching television. Cutting down on TV time will create more time for your child to tune into reading.

We hope that books from the suggested lists bring students many hours of enjoyment and encourage the life-long love of reading!

The Westfield School Suggested Reading Lists Pre-Kindergarten-Grade 5

For Pre-Kindergarten to Kindergarten:

Aardema, Verna—Bringing the Rain to Kapiti Plain Abercrombie, Barbara—Charlie Anderson

Adoff, Arnold—Flamboyan

Aliki—any title

Allard, Harry--Miss Nelson is Missing!

Ames, Lee J.--Draw, Draw, Draw

Anno, Mitsumasa—Anno's Journey Series

Anonymous Fairy Tales--Cinderella, The Gingerbread Man, Little Red Riding Hood, The Three Little Pigs,

Three Billy Goats Gruff, Goldilocks and the Three Bears,

and Mother Goose Rhymes

Arnold, Tedd—No Jumping on the Bed

Avi—Abigail Takes the Wheel

Avi—Finding Providence: The Story of Roger Williams

Baker, Barbara—Digby and Kate Series

Balian, Norma—Amelia's Nine Lives or Any title

Bang, Molly—Ten, Nine, Eight

Barrett, H. Judi-Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs

Bauer, Marion—The Bear's Hiccups Bauer, Marion—Turtle Dreams

Bemelmans, Ludwig-Madeleine Series

Bennett, David—Any title

Berenstain, Stan & Jan-Berenstain Bears Series

Berger, Barbara—Grandfather Twilight

Bliss, Corinne—The Shortest Kid in the World

Bliss, Corinne—Snow Day

Bridwell, Norman—Clifford Series

Branley, Franklyn—Any Title

Brett, Jan—Any Title

Brown, Marc—Hand Rhymes or Any title

Brown, Margaret—Goodnight, Moon; The Little

Scarecrow Boy; The Runaway Bunny; Any title

Butler, Dorothy—My Brown Bear Barney

Calhoun, Mary—Hot-Air Henry Series

Carle, Eric—Any title

Carlstrom, Nancy White—Any Title

Cazet, Denys-Minnie and Moo Series

Cichester, Clark—I Love You, Blue Kangaroo

Cohen, Miriam—Will I have a Friend?

Conrad, Pam—Tub People Series

Crews, Donald—Any Title

Degen, Bruce—Jamberry

Eastman, P.D.—Are You My Mother?

Ehlert, Lois—Growing Vegetable Soup

Ernst, Lisa—Ginger Jumps

Fields, Julia—the Green Lion of Zion Street

Flack, Marjorie—Ask Mr. Bear

Freeman, Don-Corduroy Series

Guarino, Deborah—Is Your Mama a Llama

Harper, Dan—Telling Time with Big Mama Cat

Heine, Helme—Friends

Heller, Ruth—Chickens Aren't the Only Ones

Plants That Never Ever Bloom

Henkes, Kevin—Any Title

Hines, Anna—Come to the Meadow

Daddy Makes the Best Spaghetti

Hissey, Jane—Little Bear's Trousers & other titles

Hoban, Tanya—Any Title

Hughes, Shirley—Out and About

Hutchins, Pat—Any Title

Hurd, Edith—I Dance in My Red Pajamas

Huges, Shirley—Alfie Gives a Hand

Johnson, Crockett—Harold and the Purple Crayon

Johnston, Tony—Sparky and Eddie Series

Jonas, Ann—Color Dance

Keats, Ezra Jack—The Snowy Day, any title

Kraus, Robert—Whose Mouse are You?

Krauss—The Carrot Seed

Krensky, Stephen—Lionel Series

Lester, Helen—Tacky Series

Little, Jean—Emma's Magic Winter

Lionni, Leo-Any Title

Lobel, Arnold—Mouse Tales

Lord, John—the Giant Jam Sandwich

Marshall, James—Fox Be Nimble Series

Martin, Bill Jr.—Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You

See?; Chicka-Chicka-Boom-Boom; Any Title

Mathers, Petra-Lottie's New Beach Towel

Mayer, Mercer—Any Title

McCloskey, Robert—Make Way for Ducklings

Blueberries for Sal

McDonald, Megan—Beezy Series

McPhail, David—Any Title

Meddaugh, Susan-Martha Walks the Dog Series

Medearis, Angela--Poppa's New Pants

Rum-a-Tum-Tum

Murphy, Stuart—Lemonade for Sale

Nickle, John—The Ant Bully

Numeroff, Laura—If You Give Series

Peek, Merle—Roll Over! A Counting Song; Mary Wore

Her Red Dress & Henry Wore His GreenSneakers

Piper, Watty—The Little Engine That Could

Porte, Barbara—Tale of a Tadpole

Potter, Beatrice—Peter Rabbit Series

Preston, Edna—The Temper Tantrum Book

Rathman, Peggy—Officer Buckle and Gloria

Rey, H.A.—Curious George Series

Rockwell, Anne—Any Title

Rosen, Michael-We're Going on a Bear Hunt

Ryder, Joanne-Where Butterflies Grow

Rylant, Cynthia—Henry & Mudge Series

Rylant, Cynthia—Any Title

Seuss, Dr.—Cat in the Hat

Shannon, David—any title

Sheppard, Jeff—The Right Number of Elephants

Shulevitz, Uri-Snow

Siebert, Diane—Truck Song

Simon, Norma—Cats Do, Dogs Don't

Sloat, Teri-There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a

Trout

Slobodkina, Esphyr—Caps for Sale

Steig, William—Pete's a Pizza

Sylvester and the Magic Pebble

Tafuri, Nancy—Any Title

Thomas, Patricia—Stand Back, said the Elephant, I

Think I'm Going to Sneeze

Udry, Janice May—A Tree is Nice

Viorst, Judith—Any Title

Waber, Bernard—Ira Sleeps Over

Wagner, Karen—Silly Fred

Walsh, Ellen-Mouse Paint

Wells, Rosemary—Any Title

Wood, Audrey—Any Title

Zolotow, Charlotte—William's Doll

Something is Going to Happen

Grades 1-3:

Allard, Harry-Miss Nelson Series

Avi—Upham's Revenge

Berenstain, Jan & Stan—Berenstain Bears Nursery Tales

Blume, Judy—Freckle Juice

Brenner, Barbara—Wagon Wheels

Bridwell, Norman—Clifford, the Big Red Dog

Brisson, Pat—Summer My Father was Ten

Byars, Betsy—Tornado

Carrick, Carol—Any title

Catling, Patrick—The Chocolate Touch

Christopher, Matt—Peach Street Mudders Series

Cleary, Beverly—Ramona Quimby Series

Dahl, Roald—Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

Dahl, Roald—Fantastic Mr. Fox

Danziger, Paula—Amber Brown Series

Dunrea, Olivier—The Trow-Wife's Treasure

Erickson, Russell-Warton and Morton Series

Fowler, Susi—Albertina the Practically Perfect

Gibbons, Gail—Any Title

Hanlon, Abby - Dory FantaMaGory Series

Hoban, Lillian—Arthur Series

Hoban, Russell—Bedtime for Frances

Howe, James—Horace & Morris but Mostly Dolores

Howe, James—Pinky and Rex Series

Hurwitz, Johanna—Much Ado About Aldo

King-Smith, Dick-Any title

Koller, Jackie—Dragonling Series

Krensky, Stephen--Louise Series

Landon, Lucinda—Meg Macintosh Series

Lasky, Kathryn—She's Wearing a Dead Bird on Her Head

Lobel, Arnold—Frog and Toad Series

McCloskey, Robert—Make Way for Ducklings

Mosel, Arlene—Tikki Tikki Tembo

Moss, Marissa—Amelia Takes Command Series

Osborne, Mary Pope—Magic Tree House Series

Parish, Peggy-Amelia Bedelia

Park, Barbara—Junie B. Jones Series

Pilkey, Dav - Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot Series

Polacca, Patricia—Any Title

Rey, H.A.—Curious George Series

Rodowsky, Colby—Not My Dog

Rylant, Cynthia—Blue Hill Meadows

Ryland, Cynthia—Poppleton Series

Sachar, Allen—Marvin Redpost Series

Say, Allen—any Title

Scieszka, Jon—Time Warp Trio Series

Scieszka, Jon-True Story of the Three Little Pigs

Seuss, Dr.—All titles

Sharmat, Marjorie—Nate the Great Series

Silverstein, Shel-Where the Sidewalk Ends

Smith, Janice Lee—Adam Joshua Series

Sobol, Donald—Encyclopedia Brown Series

Steptoe, John—Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters

Stevenson, James-Mud Flat Series

Stolz, Mary—Ballad of the Civil War

Viorst, Judith—Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No

Good, Very Bad Day

Warner, Gertrude—Boxcar Children Series

White, E.B.—Charlotte's Web

Wilder, Laura—Little House Series

William, Margery—Velveteen Rabbit

Grades 4-5:

Aliki—Medieval Feast

Avi—Perloo the Bold

Avi—Poppy Series

Avi—Something Upstairs

Avi—S.O.R. Losers

Babbitt, Natalie—Tuck Everlasting

Babbitt, Natalie—Kneeknock Rise

Baum, Frank—The Wizard of Oz

Blume, Judy—Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing & other

titles in Fudge Series

Bruchac, Joseph—the Arrow Over the Door

Buckley, Michael - The Sisters Grimm series

Byars, Betsy—The Pinballs or any Title

Chambers, Veronica—Amistad Rising: A Story of

Freedom

Cleary, Beverly—Any Title

Clements, Andrew—Frindle

Coleman, M.—Weirdo's War

Cooper, Susan—Dark is Rising Series

Creech, Sharon--Bloomability

Dahl, Roald—Any Title

Davis, Jim-Garfield Counts to Ten

Dear America Series

DeClements, Barthe—Nothing's Fair in Fifth Grade

Farley, Walter—The Black Stallion

Fenner, Carol—King of Dragons

Fenner, Carol—Yolands's Genius

Fitzgerald, John—The Great Brain Series

Flanagan, John - Ranger's Apprentice series

Fleischman, Sid-Bandit's Moon

Freedman, Russell—Lincoln: A Photobiography

Fletcher, Susan—Shadow Spinner

Gantos, Jack—Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key

George, Jean—My Side of the Mountain Series

Gibbs, Stuart - Spy School series

Gipson, Fred—Old Yeller

Required Summer Reading 5th grade

Saving Winslow by Sharon Creech

(Please see final page of this packet for more information.)

Gordon, Sheila-Middle of Somewhere

Haas, Jessie—Any title

Haddix, Margaret—Margaret Series

Harrah, Madge—My Brother, My Enemy

Hearne, Betsy—Listening for Leroy

Hearne, Betsy-Seven Brave Women

Hest, Amy—Any Title

Hiller, B.B.—The Karate Kid

Howe, Deborah & James—Bunnicula Series

Hunter, Erin - The Warriors series

Isaacs, Anne—Treehouse Tales

Knight, Eric—Lassie Come Home

Konigsburg, E.L.—View from Saturday

L'Engle, Madeleine—Wrinkle in Time Series

Lewis, C.S.—The Chronicles of Narnia Series

Lowry, Lois—Anastasia Krupnik Series

McCaughrean, Gerald—The Pirate's Son

McKissack, Patricia—Run Away Home

MacLachlan, Patricia—Sarah Plain and Tall

Montgomery, L.M.—Anne of Green Gables Series

Morris, Gerald—The Squire's Tale

My Name is America Series

O'Brien, Robert-Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH

O'Dell, Scott—Island of the Blue Dolphin

Paterson, Katherine—Bridge to Terebithia

Paulson, Gary - Hatchet

Rawls, Wilson—Where the Red Fern Grows

Roberts, Willo—the View from the Cherry Tree

Rockwell, Thomas—How to Eat Fried Worms

Sachar, Louis—Holes

Scieszka, Jon—Squids will be Squids

Scieszka, Jon-Summer Reading is Killing Me

Sewell, Anna—Black Beauty

Silverstein, Shel—Any Title

Sobol, Donald—Encyclopedia Brown Series

Soto, Gary—Baseball in April

Speare, Elizabeth-Witch of Blackbird Pond

Staples, Suzanne—Shabanu

Stevenson, James—Bones in the Cliff

White, E.B.—Charlotte's Web Wilder, Laura—Little House Series

Biography and Autobiography:

Accorsi, W.—Rachel Carson

Adler—Picture Book Biographies Series

Alcott—Louisa May Alcott: Her Childhood Diary Anderson—Laura's Album: A Remembrance

Scrapbook of Laura

Anderson—Pioneer Girl: Story of Laura Ingalls Wilder

Bail—Where Lincoln Walked

Burchard—Charlotte Forten: A Black Teacher in the

Civil War

Burleigh—Home Run: The Story of Babe Ruth

Coles—Story of Ruby Bridges

Cooney—Eleanor Cooney—Emily

Cummings—Talking with Adventurers

Dahl—Boy

DePaola—26 Fairmount Avenue

Fisher—Gandhi

Greene—Katherine Dunham Fleischman—Abracadabra

Freedman—Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery Johnson—My Dear Noel: The Story of a Letter From

Beatrix Potter

Kent—Thurgood Marshall and the Supreme Court

Kwan—Michelle Kwan, Heart of a Champion

Lowry—Looking Back

Lyons—Catching the Fire: Philip Simmons, Blacksmith

Martin—Snowflake Bentley

Matthews—Light Shinig Through the Mist

Nickens—Walking the Log

Roop—Keep the Lights Burning, Abby

Say—Grandgather's Journey

Sis—Starry Messenger: Galileo Galilei

Stanley—Joan of Arc

Szabo—Sky Pioneer: A Photobiography of Amelia

Earhart

Towle—The Real McCoy

Winter—My Name is Georgia: A Portrait

Non-Fiction Titles:

Go In and Out the Window: An Ill. Songbook for

Young People

Aliki-Corn is Maize

Aliki—Mummies Made in Egypt

Aliki—William Shakespeare & the Globe

Armstrong—Shipwreck at the Bottom of the World Arnold—El Nino: Stormy Weather for People and

Wildlife

Cole—New Baby at Your House

Cole—Rain & Shine Activity Book

Cole—Magic Schoolbus Series

Darlington—Desert Babies Series

Dooley—Everybody Cooks Rice Series

Ehlert—Planting a Rainbow

George—Who's Been Here? Series

Derstein—the Wild boy

Gibbons—Any title

Giblin—Mystery of the Mammoth Bones...

Goodall-With Love

Herbert—Leonardo da Vinci for Kids

Hoban—26 Letters and 99 Cents

Jenkins—Hottest, Coldest, Highest, Deepest

Jenkins—The Top of the World

Johnson—Simon & Schuster Children's Guide to

Insects and Spiders

Krull—Lives of the Presidents: Fame, Shame and

What the Neighbors Thought Series

Lauber—Be a Friend to Trees

Lauber—Volcano Maass—Tugboats

Macy—Winning Ways: Photohistory of American

Women in Sports

Markle—Outside and Inside Series

Martin—Animal That Walk on Water

Murphy, Jim—Any Title

Peacock—Crossing the Delaware

Perenyi-Wild, Wild West: Western Wildlife Habitat

Peterson—Harvest year Robbins—Autumn Leaves

Silcox-Jarreh—Heroines of the American Revolution

Swanson—Buffalo Sunrise Simon, Seymour—Any Title

Family Read-Alouds:

Richard Adams' Watership Down

Richard Atwater's Mr. Popper's Penguins

Avi's Poppy

Frances Burnett's The Secret Garden

Roald Dahl's James and the Giant Peach

Mary Dodge's hans Brinker and the Silver Skates

Kenneth Graham's Wind in the Willows

Washington Irving's Legend of Sleepy Hollow

Farley Mowat's Owls in the Family

Mary Norton's Borrowers Series

Marjorie Rawlings' Yearling

E.B. White's Stuart Little

Selections chosen from list recommended by "Reading is Fundamental", American Library Association, Department of Education, Story Stretchers, More Story Stretchers, and reading lists from various schools.

FIFTH GRADE SUMMER READING

Each student entering the fifth grade is required to read the following book before school begins on August 7th:

Saving Winslow by Sharon Creech

Please bring your copy of *Saving Winslow* with you on the first day of school (August 7th). We suggest that you wait to read the book until a week or so before school starts, so it will be fresh in your mind.

The AR test over this book will be taken once we are in school so that the points can be applied to their 1st quarter goal.

Summer is a wonderful time for reading! The fifth grade teachers encourage you to read as much as possible during the summer.

Happy reading!