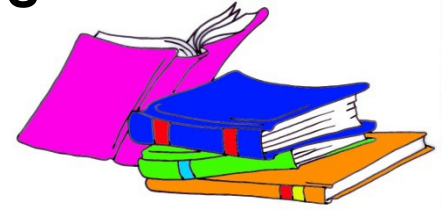




# KZV's Summer Reading Program

Summer of 2018



Dear Parents,

Once again, we will be requiring summer reading by our KZV students. By reading during the summer, students will remember and use the skills they have acquired during the school year. In addition, one of the English language arts department's goals is to find ways to instill a love of reading as a lifetime goal for our students. This program will also give students the opportunity to read and share their ideas or projects when they return for the new school year.

Each child will receive the following information and materials for the summer reading program: 1) A required reading list, 2) a recommended reading list, 3) a summary form or project sheet (if any), and 4) a reading log.

Students in grades 1-4 are **required** to read three (3) books, while students in grade 5 are **required** to read two (2) books. Students in grades 6-8 are **required** to read one (1) book. Each student who fulfills this requirement will receive a certificate and a grade for participating in this program. Students who do not complete this requirement can expect to lose points on their first quarter English grade.

Any student from grades 1-2 who reads an additional five (5) books from the recommended list will receive a free dress pass. Students in grades 3-8 who read an additional two (2) books from the recommended list will receive a free dress pass. Parents and students may record the names of the additional books read on the attached reading log. Parents will sign the reading log to verify that their child has read the books.

The reading log and any projects (book reports, summaries, etc.) required by the teacher will be due on Friday, August 24, 2018. Teachers may also give class work or quizzes upon return to school, so students need to be prepared to discuss and respond to questions about their books.

Set the example and show that reading is important by letting your child "catch" you reading a book or magazine over the summer. Take the time to read while your child is reading.

Books are available at your local library or bookstore. Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Have a wonderful summer.



Sincerely,  
The English Language Arts Department



## INCOMING THIRD GRADE SUMMER READING PROGRAM Ms. Lorona

Assignment sheets and reading logs will be provided for each student.

The following are the **3 required reading books** for 3rd Grade:

- Brave Irene by William Steig
- Andy Shane and the Very Bossy Dolores Starbuckle by Jennifer Richard Jacobsen OR The Enormous Crocodile by Roald Dahl
- Choose one book from the Magic Tree House Series (History) by Mary Pope Osborne or from the Magic School Bus Series (Science) by Joanna Cole.

### Additional Recommended Third Grade Summer Reading List

Ahlberg, Allan. The Cat Who Got Carried Away  
Branley, Franklyn. Mission to Mars  
Byars, Betsy. My Dog, My Hero.  
Cameron, Ann. Gloria's Way  
Cleary, Beverly. Ramona Forever.  
Clements, Andrew. Jake Drake, Bully Buster  
Coville, Bruce. The Monsters of Morley Manor  
DeLaCroix, Alice. Hero of the Third Grade  
Delaney, M.C. Birdbrain Amos  
Doyle, Paddy. Giggler Treatment  
Eisner, Will. Sundiata  
Goodman, Susan E. Robert Henry Hendershot  
Griffin, Peni R. Ghost Sitter  
Hale, Bruce. The Mystery of Mr. Nice  
Hurwitz, Johanna. PeeWee's Tale  
Jennings, Patrick. Tornado Watches  
Keller, Laurie. The Scrambled States of America.  
Lisle, Janet Taylor. The Gold Dust Letters  
McDonald, Megan. Judy Moody  
McDonnell, Christine. Toad Food and Measle Soup  
Cronin, D. Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type  
Mills, Lauren. The Rag Coat  
Moss, Marissa. Max's Logbook  
Mundis, Hester. My Chimp Friday: the Nana Banana Chronicles




Myers, Laurie. Surviving Brick Johnson  
Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds. Carlotta's Kittens  
Petersen, P.J. White Water  
Rodowsky, Colby. Jason Rat-a-Tat  
Rosales, Melody Benson. Minnie Saves the Day  
Rossiter, Nan Parson. Sugar on Snow  
Sadler, Marilyn. Stuck on Earth  
Sobol, Donald J. Encyclopedia Brown  
Scieszka, Jon. Knights of the Kitchen Table  
Shaw, Janet. Meet Kaya, an American Tale  
Springer, Nancy. Ribbiting Tales  
Torrey, Michele. The Case of the Mossy Lake Monster  
Towle, Wendy. The Real McCoy: The Life of an African-American Inventor  
Wallace, Bill. Running Wild  
Whybrow, Ian. Little Wolf's Book of Badness  
Wisniewski, David. Halloweenies

# Assignment Sheet

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Author: \_\_\_\_\_

For each required reading book, choose one of the following:

-  Write a new ending to the story.
-  Write a letter to the main character.
-  Write me a letter telling me why you liked this book.



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