

Incoming Second Grade Summer Reading Requirements

- Students should read the required reading book, Henry and Mudge: The First Book of Their Adventures. This will be discussed the first week of school, with a project completed in class as an assessment grade.
- Choose and read 12 other books from the “Book Choices” list. If your child has previously read all listed books, other 2nd grade level books by these authors are acceptable. Check <http://www.arbookfind.com> to be sure an AR test is available. Please list any replacement books on the bottom or back of this sheet.
- Parents are to sign and date beside each book that the student reads this summer.
- REQUIRED READING: Henry and Mudge The First Book of Their Adventures by Cynthia Rylant

- BOOK CHOICES (CHOOSE 12)

Nonfiction

How A Seed Grows by Helene J. Jordan _____
Simple Machines by Allan Fowler _____
George Washington’s Mother by Jean Fritz (and other age appropriate biographies) _____

Fiction

Buffalo Bill and the Pony Express by Eleanor Coerr _____
The Beast in Ms. Rooney’s Room by Patricia Reilly Giff _____
Owen by Kevin Henkes _____
Bargain for Frances by Russell Hoban _____
Danny and the Dinosaur by Syd Hoff _____
If You Give A Mouse A Cookie by Laura Numeroff _____
The Paperboy by Dav Pilkey _____
Henry and Mudge in Puddle Trouble by Cynthia Rylant _____
The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein _____
Hey, Al by Arthur Yorinks Series Books (You may read this book or any in the series.) _____
The Berenstain Bears and the Wishing Star by Stan & Jan Berenstain _____
Arthur’s Birthday by Marc Brown _____
Arthur Makes the Team (Arthur chapter books) by Marc Brown /Stephen Krensky _____
The Golly Sisters Go West by Betsy Byers _____
Mercy Watson to the Rescue by Kate DiCamillo _____
Amelia Bedelia by Peggy Parish _____
Junie B., First Grader: Toothless Wonder by Barbara Park _____
The Case of the Spooky Sleepover (Jigsaw Jones Mystery) by James Preller _____
Nate the Great and the Tardy Tortoise by Marjorie Sharmat _____
Frog and Toad series by Arnold Lobel _____
Curious George by H. A. Rey _____