

Summer Reading Assignments 2023
Rising 5th Grade

Please read at least 3 books from this list:

The Bicycle Spy by Yona Zeldis McDonough

The Saturdays by Elizabeth Enright

Anne of Green Gables Series

Black Beauty by Anna Sewell

Tower of the Five Orders by Deron R. Hicks

Swiss Family Robinson by Johann David Wyss

A Little Princess by Frances Hodgson Burnett

Paperboy by Vince Vawter

The King's Fifth by Scott O'Dell

The Perfect Horse by Elizabeth Letts

The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate

Nancy Drew Series

The Hero Two Doors Down by Sharon Robinson

Save Me A Seat by Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan

Daniel at the Siege of Boston 1776 by Laurie R. King

The Virginia Mysteries Series by Steven K. Smith

Mr. Limoncello's Great Library Race by Chris Crabenstein

The War That Saved My Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley

The Hero Two Doors Down by Sharon Robinson

The Family Under the Bridge by Natalie Savage Carlson

The Indian in the Cupboard Series by Lynne Reid Banks

Brave Like That by Lindsey Stoddard

Harriet The Spy by Louise Fitzhugh

Heidi by Johanna Spyri

Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry

Beyond The Bright Sea by Lauren Wolk

The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett

20,000 Leagues Under the Sea by Jules Verne

Dear America Series

The Borrowers Series by Mary Norton

The Penderwicks by Jeanne Birdsall

The Hardy Boys Series

The Lost Art Mysteries by Deron R. Hicks

Assignment:

Please complete the attached graphic organizer for each of the 3 books you choose. This will be collected and graded on the first day of school.

Name: _____

STORY MAP

Title & Author

Setting
Where and when
does the story take place?

Key Details
What are the most important
events that happened?

Characters
Who are the important people
or animals in the story?

Conflict
What was the problem?

Theme/Lesson
What does the author want you
to learn from the story?

Resolution
How was the problem solved?