

Summer Reading

Book Choices

This summer EFS students are challenged to read as many books as they can! Whether you are at the beach, on vacation or relaxing by the pool, pack a book with you and let your imagination soar! Throughout the summer, you will write the book titles you have read on the back of this bookmark. When school starts back up in September, we will be creating a school chain-link of ALL the books we have read! Below are some recommendations for great books for upcoming 5th graders including a variety of genres as well as previous student top picks! However, feel free to read any books that peak your interest. Enjoy!

Frindle by: Andrew Clements

Matilda by: Roald Dahl

The BFG by: Roald Dahl

The Tale of Despereaux by: Kate DiCamillo

Holes by: Louis Sachar

The One and Only Ivan by: Katherine Applegate

From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler by: E.L. Konigsburg

Amelia Earhart: Young Aviator by: Beatrice Gormley

Freedom Train: The Story of Harriet Tubman by: Dorothy Sterling

I am Malala: Young Readers Edition by: Malala Yousafzai

Out of the Dust by: Karen Hesse

Bud, Not Buddy by: Christopher Paul Curtis

Stone Fox by: John Reynolds Gardiner

Summer Ball by: Mike Lupica (many other sports stories by this author)

One Crazy Summer by: Rita Williams-Garcia

Surrounded by Sharks by: Michael Northrop

Listed below are book series. If you enjoy them, continue on to more novels in the series!

The Lightning Thief (First book in the Percy Jackson Series) by: Rick Riordan

Series of Unfortunate Events: The Bad Beginning by: Lemony Snicket

The 39 Clues: The Maze of Bones by: Rick Riordan

I Survived Series by: Lauren Tarshis

The Unwanteds Series by: Lisa McMann

Ten True Tales Series by: Allan Zullo