

First Grade Summer Reading List



Picture Books

Bennett, Kelly.* *Not Norman: a Goldfish Story.*
Can Norman be the best pet?

Carle, Eric.* *Where Are You Going? To See My Friend!*
A friendship story in English and Japanese.

Cocca-Leffler, Maryann.* *Jack's Talent.*
Jack needs to find his talent.

Falconer, Ian.* *Olivia.*
She's a feisty, energetic pig!

Freyman, Saxton.* *Fast Food.*
Food can go fast!

Beginner

Arnold, Tedd.* *Shoo, Fly Guy!*
He loves "brown, oozy, lumpy, smelly food"!

Hoffman, Mary.* *Princess Grace.*
What does a princess really look like?

Schaefer, Carole.* *Dragon Dancing.*
Can Mei Lin make a dragon dance?

Suen, Anastasia.* *Subway.*
Take a ride on this underground train!

Taback, Simms.* *Joseph Had a Little Overcoat.*
What can you do with a worn-out coat? Recycle it!

Watt, Mélanie.* *Scaredy Squirrel Makes a Friend.*
Who will be Scaredy's new friend?

Adler, David.* *Young Cam Jansen and the Baseball Mystery.*
The baseball disappears in the middle of the game!

Cannon, A. E.* *Way Out West with Pirate Pete and Pirate Joe.*

Did they forget Pirate Joe's birthday?

Chaconas, Dori.* *Cork & Fuzz.*

They are so different, can they be friends?

Gikow, Louise.* *The Big Game. (My First Reader*)*

Is José ready for the soccer match?

Non Fiction

Brown.* *How to Be a Friend.*

Make a friend and be a friend.

Gray.* *Dinosaur Tracks. (Scholastic News*)*

What dinosaur left these footprints?

Arnold. *Elephants Can Paint Too!*

Elephants are artists.

Gibbons.* *Giant Pandas.*

Discover more about these rare, appealing bears.

* Try other books by this author or in this series

Hoberman, Mary Ann.* *You Read to Me, I'll Read to You.**

Take turns reading these stories.

Klingel, Cynthia.* *What a Week. (Wonder Books*)*

What can you do this week?

Rylant, Cynthia.* *Henry and Mudge and the Big Sleepover.*

Bring your sleeping bag and your dog!

Roemer. *Come to My Party and other Shape Poems.*

Poems in picture forms.

Cole.* *Ms. Frizzle's Adventures: Ancient Egypt.*

Another amazing trip.

McDonald.* *Saving the Liberty Bell.*

Can John Jacob and Papa save the day?

Keller. *A Picture Book of Helen Keller.*

Discover her extraordinary life.

