

**Summer Reading List**  
*A List of Suggested Readings for 4th Graders*

1. *Gregor Mendel: The Friar Who Grew Peas* Cheryl Bardoe
2. *Ivy and Bean* Annie Barrows
3. *Hugging the Rock* Susan Taylor Brown
4. *Su Dongpo: Chinese Genius* Demi
5. *The Adventures of Polo* Regis Faller
6. *All in Just One Cookie* Susan E. Goodman
7. *Lugalbanda: The Boy Who Got Caught Up in a War* Kathy Henderson
8. *Toys Go Out: Being the Adventures of a Knowledgeable Stingray, A Toughy Little Buffalo, and Someone Called Plastic* Emily Jenkins
9. *The Story of Salt* Mark Kurlansky
10. *Ruby Lu, Empress of Everything* Lenore Look
11. *Rules* Cynthia Lord
12. *Oh, Rats! The Story of Rats and People* Albert Marrin
13. *Aliens Are Coming! The True Account of the 1938 War of the Worlds Radio Broadcast* Meghan McCarthy
14. *Quest for the Tree Kangaroo: An Expedition to the Cloud Forest of New Guinea* Sy Montgomery
15. *Jazz* Walter Dean Myers
16. *The Highest Power of Lucky* Susan Patron
17. *Clementine* Sara Pennypacker
18. *Here's Looking at Me: How Artists See Themselves* Bob Raczka
19. *The Cat with the Yellow Star: Coming of Age in Terezin* Susan Goldman Rubin
20. *She's All That! Poems About Girls* Belinda Hollyer
21. *Butterfly Eyes and Other Secrets of the Meadow* Joyce Sidman

22. <i>To Dance: A Ballerina's Graphic Novel</i>	Siena Cherson Siegel
23. <i>Younguncle Comes to Town</i>	Vandana Singh
24. <i>Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Appollo 11 On the Moon</i>	Catherine Thimmesh
25. <i>Crossing Bok Chitto: A Choctaw Tale of Friendship and Freedom</i>	Tim Tingle
26. <i>Criss Cross</i>	Lynne Rae Perkins
27. <i>Whittington</i>	Alan Armstrong
28. <i>Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow</i>	Susan Campbell Bartoletti
29. <i>Princess Academy</i>	Shannon Hale
30. <i>Show Way</i>	Jacqueline Woodson
31. <i>The Tale of Despereaux</i>	Kate DiCamillo
32. <i>Olive's Ocean</i>	Kevin Henkes
33. <i>An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793</i>	Jim Murphy
34. <i>Artemis Fowl</i>	Eoin Colfer
35. <i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i>	Kate DiCamillo
36. <i>Bridge to Terabithia</i>	Katherine Patterson
37. <i>Casey at the Bat</i>	Ernest Thayer
38. <i>Catwings</i>	Ursula K. Le Guin
39. <i>The Cay</i>	Theodore Taylor
40. <i>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</i>	Roald Dahl
41. <i>Charlotte's Web</i>	E.B. White
42. <i>Child of the Owl</i>	Laurence Yep
43. <i>Cricket in Times Square</i>	George Seldon

44. <i>Crispin: The Cross of Lead</i>	Avi
45. <i>Dragonwings</i>	Laurence Yep
46. <i>Ella Enchanted</i>	Gail Carson Levine
47. <i>Everything on a Waffle</i>	K. A. Applegate
48. <i>Fever, 1793</i>	Laurie Anderson
49. <i>The Great Brain</i>	John D. Fitzgerald
50. <i>The Great Gilly Hopkins</i>	Katherine Patterson
51. <i>Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone</i>	J. K. Rowling
52. <i>Harry Potter and Deathly Hallows</i>	J. K. Rowling
53. <i>Hatchet</i>	Gary Paulsen
54. <i>Henry Huggins</i>	Beverly Cleary
55. <i>The Hundred Dresses</i>	Eleanor Estes
56. <i>James and the Giant Peach</i>	Roald Dahl
57. <i>Joey Pigza Loses Control</i>	Jack Gantos
58. <i>Lily's Crossing</i>	Patricia Reilly Giff
59. <i>My Side of the Mountain</i>	Jean Craighead George
60. <i>Number the Stars</i>	Lois Lowry
61. <i>Shiloh</i>	Phyllis Naylor Reynolds
62. <i>The Sign of the Beaver</i>	Elizabeth Speare
63. <i>The Summer of the Swans</i>	Betsy Byars
64. <i>Surviving the Applewhites</i>	Stephanie Tolan
65. <i>Pictures of Hollis Woods</i>	Patricia Reilly Giff
66. <i>The Waterstone</i>	Rebecca Rupp

67. <i>The Watsons Go to Birmingham</i>	Christopher Paul Curtis
68. <i>Where the Red Fern Grows</i>	Wilson Rawls
69. <i>Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets</i>	J. K. Rowling
70. <i>Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban</i>	J. K. Rowling
71. <i>Harry Potter and the Order of the Pheonix</i>	J. K. Rowling
72. <i>Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire</i>	J. K. Rowling
73. <i>The River Between Us</i>	Richard Peck
74. <i>Bully for You, Teddy Roosevelt!</i>	Jean Fritz
75. <i>Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery</i>	Russell Freedman
76. <i>Homesick: My Own Story</i>	Jean Fritz
77. <i>Lincoln: A Photobiography</i>	Russell Freedman
78. <i>Lives of the Musicians</i>	Kathleen Krull
79. <i>The Diary of a Young Girl</i>	Anne Frank
80. <i>The Boggart</i>	Susan Cooper
81. <i>The Book of Three</i>	Lloyd Alexander
82. <i>The Dark is Rising</i>	Susan Cooper
83. <i>The Haunting</i>	Margaret Mahy
84. <i>The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe</i>	C.S. Lewis
85. <i>The Moorchild</i>	Eloise McGraw
86. <i>Tuck Everlasting</i>	Natalie Babbit
87. <i>Poppy</i>	Avi
88. <i>Souder</i>	William Armstrong
89. <i>The Incredible Journey</i>	Sheila Burnford

90. <i>Bull Run</i>	Paul Fleischman
91. <i>I, Juan De Pareja</i>	Elizabeth Borton de Trevino
92. <i>Letters from Rifka</i>	Karen Hesse
93. <i>Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry</i>	Mildred Taylor
94. <i>The Master Puppeteer</i>	Katherine Patterson
95. <i>The Witch of Blackbird Pond</i>	Elizabeth George Speare
96. <i>Maniac McGhee</i>	Jerry Spinelli
97. <i>Shabanu: Daughter of the Wind</i>	Suzanne Fisher Staples
98. <i>Walk Two Moons</i>	Sharon Creech
99. <i>The House of Dies Drear</i>	Virginia Hamilton
100. <i>The Ruby in the Smoke</i>	Phillip Pullman
101. <i>The Westing Game</i>	Ellen Raskin
103. <i>I Am The Darker Brother</i>	Arnold Adoff
104. <i>Enchantress from the Stars</i>	Sylvia Engdahl
105. <i>A Wrinkle in Time</i>	Madeline L'Engle
106. <i>The Ear, The Eye, and the Arm</i>	Nancy Farmer
107. <i>The Giver</i>	Lois Lowery
108. <i>The White Mountains</i>	John Christopher
109. <i>Hatchet</i>	Gary Paulsen
110. <i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i>	Scott O'Dell
111. <i>Julie of the Wolves</i>	Jean Craighead George
112. <i>Stone Fox</i>	John Reynolds Gardiner
113. <i>Z for Zachariah</i>	Robert O'Brien