

Summer Reading

For Students Entering Grade 1

Summer Reading Assignments

Dear Parents,

As your children are ending kindergarten and beginning to think about the fun of First Grade, we encourage your children to continue the excellent habit of spending time reading each day this summer. Reading everyday while enjoying the upcoming summer months will surely make a dramatic difference in your child's success. We are asking that all incoming first grade students read the book Biscuit by Alyssa Satin Capucilli and to complete the assignment attached. After reading the story, the students will complete the journal assignment. The students will complete the journal prompt, "I liked this book because_____." They will then draw a picture in the space provided on the top of the page.

Below you will find a list of books that the students should pick as a second book to read over the summer. Please help your child choose a book at his or her own reading level. This book does not have an assignment that correlates.

1. The Cat and the Bird in the Hat by Norman Bridwell
2. My Dog Talks by Gail Herman
3. Biscuit Goes to School by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
4. Biscuit Goes Camping by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
5. Bathtime for Biscuit by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
6. Biscuit in the Garden by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
7. Pete the Cat: Pete at the Beach by James Dean
8. Chicken Said, "Cluck!" by Judyann Ackerman Grant and Sue Truesdell
9. The Berenstain Bears Lemonade Stand by Mike Berenstain
10. The Berenstain Bears We Love Soccer! By Mike Berenstain
11. The Berenstain Bears We Love Baseball by Mike Berenstain

All of these books can be found on www.amazon.com. Also, many libraries carry these books and the booksellers in the area. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

Sincerely,

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