

# 2021 Lower School Summer Reading Lists

Lists are based upon the student's class in the 2021-22 academic year.

## Kindergarten

*A Busy Creature's Day Eating* by Mo Willems  
*And the Dish Ran Away With the Spoon* by Janet Stevens  
*The Little Red Fort* by Brenda Maier  
*Thank You, Omu!* by Oge Mora  
*What Color is Night?* by Grant Snider  
*What's Your Favorite Bug?* by Eric Carle and Friends  
*The Recess Queen* by Alexis O'Neill  
*The Feelings Book* by Todd Parr  
*The Day You Begin* by Jaqueline Woodsen  
*Who Hops?* by Katie Davis

## Grade 1

*Jabari Jumps* by Gaia Cornwall  
*You Will Be My Friend* by Peter Brown  
*Fly Guy Presents Insects* by Tedd Arnold  
*Penny and Her Marble* by Kevin Henkes  
*Brother Eagle, Sister Sky* by Susan Jeffers  
*I Am Neil Armstrong* by Brad Meltzer  
*Meteor!* By Patricia Polacco  
*Henry and Mudge: The First Book* by Cynthia Rylant  
*Little Roja Riding Hood* by Susan Middleton Elya  
*Forget Me Knots: Poems to Learn by Heart* by Mary Ann Hoberman

## Grade 2

*December* by Eve Bunting  
*Traitor in Williamsburg: A Felicity Mystery*  
by Elizabeth M. Jones  
*Antarctic Antics: A Book of Penguin Poems* by Jusy Sierra  
*Holes in the Sky* by Patricia Polacco  
*Seeds and Trees* by Brandon Walden  
*The Crayon Man: The True Story of the Invention of the Crayola Crayons* by Natascha Biebow  
*The Boo Boos That Changed the World* by Barry Wittenstein  
*The Creature of the Pines* by Adam Gidwitz  
*A to Z Mystery: Mayflower Treasure Hunt* by Ron Roy  
*Summer of the Woods* by Steven K. Smith

## Grade 3

*The Hidden Stairs and the Magic Carpet* by Tony Abbott  
*The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate  
*The Stories Julian Tells* by Ann Cameron  
*The Wishing Spell* by Chris Colfer  
*Zeus and the Thunderbolt of Doom*  
by Joan Holub  
*Beatrice Zinker, Upside Down Thinker*  
by Shelley Johannes  
*Wet Cement: A Mix of Concrete Poems* by Bob Raczka  
*The Hero Two Doors Down* by Sharon Robinson  
*Billy Sure Kid Entrepreneur* by Luke Sharpe  
*June Peters You Will Change the World One Day*  
by Alika Turner

## Grade 4

*Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing*  
by Judy Blume  
*Moo* by Sharon Creech  
*Louisiana's Way Home* by Kate DiCamillo  
*The Miraculous Journey  
of Edward Tulane* by Kate DiCamillo  
*The Magic Misfits* by Neil Patrick Harris  
*The Phantom Tollbooth* by Norton Juster  
*Rain Reign* by Ann M. Martin  
*White Bird: A Wonder Story* by R.J. Palacio  
*A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park  
*Brown Girl Dreaming* by Jacqueline Woodsen

