



2017 Summer Reading Recommendations

for Rising Kindergarteners

ABCs/Numbers/Colors

Ten Black Dots by Donald Crews
LMNO Peas by Keith Baker
123 Peas by Keith Baker
This Tree Counts, These Bees Count, These Seas Count by Alison Formento
Z is for Moose by Kelly Bingham and Paul Zelinsky
Let's Count Goats by Mem Fox
Miss Bindergarten series by Joseph Slate
An Annoying ABC by Barbara Bottner
Mouse Paint by Ellen Stoll Walsh
Blue Chameleon by Emily Gravett

Beginner Readers

Elephant and Piggie series by Mo Willems
Bink and Gollie by Kate DiCamillo
Henry and Mudge series by Cynthia Rylant
Penny series by Kevin Henkes
Fly Guy series by Tedd Arnold

Poetry

Honey I Love and Other Love Poems by Eloise Greenfield
Runny Babbit: A Billy Sook by Shel Silverstein
Firefly July by Paul Janeczko

STEM

Let's Make Faces by Hanoch Piven
The Girl Who Never Made Mistakes by Mark Pett & Gary Rubinstein
In Mary's Garden by Tina and Carson Kudler

Humor

Oh No, Georgel! by Chris Haughton
Stuck by Oliver Jeffers
I Need My Monster by Amanda Noll
Countdown to Kindergarten by Alison McGhee
That is Not a Good Idea by Mo Willems
Good News, Bad News by Jeff Mack
Book Thief by Michael Escoffier



Animal Fiction

Pete the Cat series by James Dean
Otis and the Puppy by Loren Long
Llama Llama series by Anna Dewdney
Punk Farm by Jarrett Krosoczka
We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen
The Moose Belongs to Me by Oliver Jeffers
How Do Dinosaurs Say I Love You by Jane Yolen

Realistic and Historical Fiction

Each Kindness by Jacqueline Woodson
Bullies Never Win by Margery Cuyler
My Name is Yoon by Helen Recorvits
The Other Side by Jacqueline Woodson

Non-Fiction/Information Books

A Seed is Sleepy by Dianna Aston and Sylvia Long
Game Day by Tiki and Ronde Barber
The Man Who Walked Between the Towers by Mordicai Gerstein
Bird, Butterfly, Eel by James Prosek
This is the Dream by Diane Z. Shore
My Five Senses by Alike

Biography

Mandela by Kadir Nelson
Martin's Big Words: The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by Doreen Rappaport
On a Beam of Light - A Story of Albert Einstein by Jennifer Berne
Rosa's Bus by Jo S. Kittinger
Mr. Ferris and His Wheels by Kathryn Gibbs Davis



Reading Log. Record the books that you read (or you listen to) this summer.
Return completed log to your school librarian and receive a school summer reading gift.



Child's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature:

