



**2021 Recommended Summer Reading List  
For Incoming PreK4 and Kinder Students**

<b><u>Title</u></b>	<b><u>Author</u></b>	<b><u>AR Level</u></b>
1. Dear Dragon helps out (MackinVia)	Margaret Hillert	0.8
2. Biscuit Series	Alyssa Capucilli	0.6-1.4
3. Elephant and Piggie series	Mo Willems	0.6-1.7
4. Pete the Cat series	James Dean	1.3-2.7
5. Don't let the Pigeon Drive the Bus	Mo Willems	0.9
6. Cylinders / cilindros (MackinVia)	Nathan Olson	K-2
7. Clothes / La ropa (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3
8. Animals / Los animales (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3
9. Sugars and Fats /Azúcares y grasas (MackinVia)	Mari C. Schuh	PreK-1
10. Careers / Las carrera (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3

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Para estudiantes entrando a Prekinder y Kinder**

<b><u>Título</u></b>	<b><u>Autor</u></b>	<b><u>Nivel de AR</u></b>
1. Querido Dragon quiere ayudar (MackinVia)	Margaret Hillert	0.8
2. Bizcocho series	Alyssa Capucilli	0.6-1.4
3. Elephant and Piggie series (Spanish)	Mo Willems	0.6-1.7
4. Pete the Cat series (Spanish)	James Dean	1.3-2.7
5. El conejito Knuffle: Un cuento Aleccionador	Mo Williams	1.6
6. Cylinders / cilindros (MackinVia)	Nathan Olson	K-2
7. Clothes / La ropa (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3
8. Animals / Los animales (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3
9. Sugars and Fats /Azúcares y grasas (MackinVia)	Mari C. Schuh	PreK-1
10. Careers / Las carrera (MackinVia)	Mary Berendes	1-3



**2021 Recommended Summer Reading List  
For Incoming First Grade Students**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>
1. Awesome Arms (Tumblebooks)	Felicia Macheske	1.0
2. A Big Guy Took My Ball	Mo Willems	1.0
3. Benny and Penny in Just Pretend: A Toon Book (MackinVia)	Geoffrey Hayes	1.1
4. Ballet Star (MackinVia)	Joan Holub and Shelagh McNicholas	1.2
5. Without You	Genevieve Cote	1.3
6. Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?	Bill Martin Jr	1.5
7. I Spy, Fly Guy	Tedd Arnold	1.5
8. Accident (MackinVia)	Andrea Tsurumi	1.5
9. Chicken Said, "Cluck!"	Judyann Grant	1.6
10. How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?	Jane Yolen	1.6
11. Animal Group Behaviors (MackinVia)	Abbie Dunne	1.9
12. Albert Starts School (MackinVia)	Eleanor May and Deborah Melmon	1.9

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Para estudiantes entrando a Primer Grado**

<u>Título</u>	<u>Autor</u>	<u>Nivel de AR</u>
1. De pesca (MackinVia)	Susan Blackaby, Ryan Haugen, and Carlos Ruiz	1
2. David va al colegio	David Shannon	1
3. Estamos en un libro	Mo Willems	1.2
4. El acuario (MackinVia)	Cari Meister	1.2
5. Un tipo se llevo mi pelota	Mo Willems	1.3
6. Invasores extraterrestres (MackinVia/ Tumblebooks)	Lynn Huggins-Cooper, Bonnie Leick, and Eida de La Vega	1.4
7. ¿A donde quieres viajar? (MackinVia)	Hannah Ko	1.4
8. Ahorrando agua (MackinVia)	Abby Walters	1.4
9. ¿Como dan las buenas noches los dinosaurios?	Jane Yolen	1.6
10. Bella luna (MackinVia/ Tumblebooks)	Dawn Jeffers and Bonnie Leick	1.7
11. Buenas noches, luna	Margaret Wise Brown	1.8
12. El Alamo (MackinVia)	R. J. Bailey	1.7



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For Incoming Second Grade Students**

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>
1. I Miss P. Franklin Shuckles (Tumblebooks)	Ulana Snihura	2.2
2. Diary of a Worm	Doreen Cronin	2.8
3. Do Not Bring your Dragon to the Library	Julie Gassman	2.6
4. Junie B. Jones Series	Barbara Park	1.8-3.4
5. Bear's Loose Tooth	Karma Wilson & Jane Chapman	2.2
6. Clever Trevor (Tumblebooks)	Sarah Albee	2.6
7. Grandma's Pear Tree (Tumblebooks)	Suzanne Santillan	2.5
8. Fly Guy vs Flyswatter	Ted Arnold	2.1
9. Mitchell Goes Bowling (Tumblebooks)	Hailee Durand	2.4
10. Boomer's Big Surprise (Tumblebooks)	Constance McGeorge	2.5

**2021 Lista de Lectura Recomendada Para el Verano  
Para estudiantes entrando a Segundo Grado**

<u>Título</u>	<u>Autor</u>	<u>Nivel de AR</u>
1. Abuela	Arthur Dorros	2.5
2. Amarillo	Moira Anderson	2.3
3. El Peral de Abuela (Tumblebooks)	Suzanne Santillan	2.5
4. Algo Bueno (Tumblebooks)	Robert Munsch	2.6
5. Cucú: Un Cuento Folklorico Mexicano	Lois Ehlert	2.6
6. Lily y su Bolso de Plastico Morado	Kevin Henkes	3.1
7. Tumbleweed Stew/Sopa de Matojos	Susan Stevens Crummel	2.5
8. Ay Caramba! (Tumblebooks)	Lee Bock	2.8
9. Azul y Verde	Alma Flor Ada	2.3
10. Junie B. Jones y el cumpleaños del malo del Jim	Barbara Par	2.4
11. D.W. y el carne de Biblioteca	Marc Brown	2.5
12. Enterrado en el Jardin (Tumblebooks)	Gail Herman	2.7



## 2021 Recommended Summer Reading List For Incoming Third Grade Students

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>
1. The True Story of the Three Little Pigs	Jon Scieszka	3.0
2. Martina the Beautiful Cockroach: A Cuban Folktales	Carmen Agra Deedy	3.1
3. What Can You Do with a Rebozo?	Carmen Tafolla	3.2
4. Burro's Tortillas (Tumblebooks)	Terri Fields	3.0
5. Best Friend Trouble (Tumble Books)	Frances Itani	3.0
6. Bagels Come Home (TumbleBooks)	Joan Betty Stuchner	3.3
7. About Habitats-Polar Regions	Cathryn Sill	3
8. Alvin Ho: Allergic to Camping, Hiking, & Other Natural Disasters (MackinVIA)	Lenore Look	3.7
9. Can Hens Give Milk?	Joan Betty Stuchner	3.0
10. Magda's Tortillas (MackinVIA)	Becky Chavarria-Chairez	3.8
11. Ace!: The Origin of Batman's Hound (MackinVIA)	Steve Korte	3.0
12. Achool!: Why Pollen Counts (MackinVIA)	Shennen Bersani	3.3
13. Pancho Nacho (Capstone)	Sylvia Lopez	3.1
14. The Bakery Lady (MackinVIA)	Pat Mora	3
15. Here's Hank: Bookmarks are People Too (MackinVIA)	Henry Winkler	3.9

## 2021 Lista de Lectura Recomendada Para el Verano Para estudiantes entrando a Tercer Grado

<u>Título</u>	<u>Autor</u>	<u>Nivel de AR</u>
1. Chato y Su Cena	Gary Soto	3.6
2. Crisantemo	Kevin Henkes	3.3
3. Jaimito Pijama	Kevin Brennan	3.0
4. Abuelo vivía solo (MackinVIA)	Amy Costales	3.9
5. 50 grados bajo cero (MackinVIA)	Robert Munsch	3
6. La cola de caballo de Estefanía (TumbleBooks)	Robert Munsch	3
7. Las tortillas de Magda (MackinVIA)	Becky Chavarria-Chairez	3.8
8. ¡Achíss! La importancia del polen (MackinVIA)	Shennen Bersani	3.2
9. El bolígrafo del cerdo (ABDO)	Pam Scheunemann	3.1
10. La señora de la panadería (MackinVIA)	Pat Mora	3



## 2021 Recommended Summer Reading List For Incoming Fourth Grade Students

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>
1. Guess What's Growing Inside This Egg? (Tumblebooks)	Mia Posada	4
2. Bully Goat Grim (Tumblebooks)	Willy Claflin	4.9
3. Fiona's Luck (Tumblebooks)	Teresa Bateman	4.5
4. Brothers at Bat (MackinVia)	S. Salerno & A. Vickey	3.7
5. The Coyote Under the Table	Joe Hayes	4.9
6. Geronimo Stilton: The Secret of the Sphinx (Tumblebooks)	Geronimo Stilton	3.6
7. Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing (MackinVia)	Judy Blume	3.3
8. TJ and the Haunted House (Tumblebooks)	Hazel Hutchins	4.2
9. Judy Moody Saves the World (MackinVia)	Meagan McDonald	3.6
10. Charlie and the Chocolate Factory (MackinVia)	Roald Dahl	4.8
11. Triple Threat (TumbleCloud)	Eric Walters	3.8

## 2021 Lista de Lectura Recomendada Para el Verano Para estudiantes entrando a Cuarto Grado

<u>Título</u>	<u>Autor</u>	<u>Nivel de AR</u>
1. El coyote debajo de la mesa (MackinVia)	Joe Hayes	4.3
2. Bola de mugre (Tumblebooks)	Robert Munsch	3.5
3. Invasores extraterrestres (Tumblebooks)	Lynn Huggins-Cooper	3.5
4. El monstruo en el colchon (MackinVia)	Diane DeAnda	4.7
5. Las huellas secretas (MackinVia)	Julia Alvarez	4
6. Nathan rescata el verano (Tumblebooks)	Gerry Renert	3.9
7. Los muchachos de la calle Ruiz (MackinVia)	Diane Gonzalez Bertrand	4.3
8. De como Tia Lola Vino a Quedarse (MackinVia)	Julia Alvarez	4.8
9. Una momia en su mochila (MackinVia)	James Luna	3.5
10. Definicion por penales (MackinVia)	Jake Maddox	3.9
11. La princesa vestida con una bolsa de papel (Tumblebooks)	Robert Munsch	3.8



**2021 Recommended Summer Reading List  
For Incoming Fifth Grade Students**

<b><u>Title</u></b>	<b><u>Author</u></b>	<b><u>AR Level</u></b>
1. The Strange Case of Origami Yoda	Tom Angleberger	4.7
2. Holes	Louis Sachar	4.6
3. Salsa Stories	Lulu Delacre	5
4. Diary of Wimpy Kid	Jeff Kinney	5.2
5. Tuck Everlasting	Natalie Babbitt	5
6. The Last Kids on Earth	Max Brallier	4.1
7. Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes	Eleanor Coerr	4.1
8. Ghost Fever	Joe Hayes	5.1
9. Charlie and the Chocolate Factory (Mackin Via)	Roald Dahl	4.8
10. Number the Stars ( Mackin Via)	Lois Lowry	4.5
11. James and the Giant Peach (Mackin Via)	Roald Dahl	4.8
12. BFG ( Makin Via)	Roald Dahl	4.8
13. Matilda ( Makin Via)	Roald Dahl	5

**2021 Lista de Lectura Recomendada Para el Verano  
Para estudiantes entrando a Quinto Grado**

<b><u>Título</u></b>	<b><u>Autor</u></b>	<b><u>Nivel de AR</u></b>
1. El Prodigioso Viaje de Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo	4.7
2. Hoyos	Louis Sachar	4.6
3. El Verano de los Cisnes	Betsy Byars	4.9
4. Cuentos con Sazón	Lulu Delacre	5
5. Puente hasta Terabithia	Katherine Paterson	4.6
6. Diario de Greg	Jeff Kinney	5.3
7. Tuck Para Siempre	Natalie Babbitt	5
8. Ghost Fever: Mal de Fantasma	Joe Hayes	5.1
9. Palabras de Piedra	Kevin Henkes	5
10. Quien Cuenta las Estrellas	Lois Lowry	4.5
11. Ramona y su Madre ( Mackin Via)	Beverly Cleary	4.8
12. Ramona Empieza el Curso (Mackin Via)	Beverly Cleary	5.6



## 2021 Recommended Summer Reading List For Middle School Students

### Incoming 6th Grade Students

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>	<u>AR Pts</u>
1. Summer of the Woods: The Virginia Mysteries	Steven Smith	5.1	3
2. Sugar and Spice	Sarah Mynowski	3.1	3
3. Towers Falling	Jewell Parker Rhodes	3.3	4
4. Cake Pop Crush	Suzanne Nelson	4.6	6
5. Ghosts!	Mark Cheatham	3.1	0.5
6. The Creeping Clown	Jessica Gunderson	3.7	1
7. Dolls of Doom	Steve Brezeoff	3.9	1
8. The Dancing Vampire (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Roberto Pavanello	4.1	1
9. Gaming Safely (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Allyson Valentine Schrier	4.3	0.5
10. The Secret Ghost: A Mystery with Distance and Measurement (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Melinda Thielbar	3.2	0.5

### Incoming 7th Grade Students

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>	<u>AR Pts</u>
1. Curveball	Derek Jeter	5.0	5
2. Impostors	Scott Westerfield	4.5	11
3. Where She Fell	Kaitlin Ward	4.9	9
4. Who is Derek Jeter?	Gail Herman	4.5	1
5. City Of Ghosts	Victoria Schwab	4.8	7
6. The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster	6.7	7
7. City of Fire	Laurence Yep	6.1	12
8. Kasey & Ivy (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Alison Hughes	5.2	5
9. Ecosystems (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Jenny Fretland VanVoorst	6	1
10. Seventh Grade vs. the Galaxy (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Joshua S. Levy	4.7	9

### Incoming 8th Grade Students

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>AR Level</u>	<u>AR Pts</u>
1. The Hundred Dresses	Eleanor Estes	5.4	1
2. The Big Game	Tim Green	4.4	9
3. Who Is Pele?	James Buckley Jr.	5.6	1
4. The Collector	K.R. Alexander	3.9	4
5. Girl in a Bad Place	Kaitlin Ward	4.1	9
6. Heat	Mike Lupica	5.3	9
7. The Hate U Give	Angie Thomas	3.9	13
8. The Zika Virus (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Sue Bradford Edwards	8.1	2
9. Bombs Over Bikini: The World's First Nuclear Disaster (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Connie Goldsmith	7.8	3
10. Ghost Walls: The Story of a 17th Century Colonial Homestead (EBSCOhost-MackinVia)	Sally M. Walker	7.6	5



**2021 Recommended Summer Reading List  
For High School Students  
Incoming 9th Grade Students**

**Title**

1. Artemis Fowl
2. The Call of the Wild (MackinVia)
3. The Scorch Trials
4. On The Day I Died: Stories from the Grave (MackinVia)
5. Emma (MackinVia)
6. Dumplin'
7. Texas Fridays San Antonio (MackinVia)

**Author**

Eoin Colfer  
Jack London  
James Dashner  
Candace Fleming  
Jane Austen  
Julie Murphy  
Sam Moussavi

**Incoming 10th Grade Students**

**Title**

1. A Monster Calls
2. The Yellow Wallpaper (MackinVia)
3. Yaki Delgado Wants to Kick Your Ass
4. Getting Away with Murder: The True Story of the Emmett Till Case
5. Great Expectations (MackinVia)
6. The Hate You Give
7. Texas Fridays (MackinVia)

**Author**

Patrick Ness  
Charlotte Perkins Gilman  
Meg Medina  
Chris Crowe  
Charles Dickens  
Angie Thomas  
Sam Moussavi

**Incoming 11th Grade Students**

**Title**

1. The Narrative of Frederick Douglas (MackinVia)
2. The Secret Life of Bees
3. Vincent and Theo: The Van Gogh Brothers
4. Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared To Dream (MackinVia)
5. The Book Thief (MackinVia)
6. Long Way Down (MackinVia)
7. Texas Fridays Dallas (MackinVia)

**Author**

Frederick Douglas  
Sue Monk Kidd  
Deborah Heligman  
Tanya Lee Stone  
Markus Zusak  
Jason Reynolds  
Sam Moussavi

**Incoming 12th Grade Students**

**Title**

1. Fences
2. They Called Themselves The KKK: The Birth Of An American Terrorist Group (MackinVia)
3. The Things They Carried
4. Silas Marner (MackinVia)
5. The Hound of Baskerville (MackinVia)
6. We Are Okay (MackinVia)
7. Texas Fridays Houston (MackinVia)

**Author**

August Wilson  
  
Susan Campbell Bartoletti  
Tim O'Brien  
George Eliot  
Sir Arthur Conan Doyle  
Nina LaCour  
Sam Moussavi