



Agape Christian School

First-Grade Suggested Summer Reading List 2018



Research has shown that the single greatest factor in predicting reading success is whether a child is read to when young. Here are some titles to get you started!

Books About Me

- I Like Me! by Nancy L. Carlson
- I Like to Be Little by Charlotte Zolotow
- The Mixed-Up Chameleon by Eric Carle
- My Five Senses by Alike
- Owen by Kevin Henkes
- When I Get Bigger by Mercer Mayer

Caldecott Winners and Honor Books

- Color Zoo by Lois Ehlert
- Madeline by Ludwig Bemelmans
- More, More, More Said the Baby by Vera B. Williams
- Officer Buckle and Gloria by Peggy Rathman
- Swimmy by Leo Lionni
- Tops and Bottoms by Janet Stevens

Folktales and Fairy Tales

- Chicken Little by Steven Kellogg
- Cinderella by Marcia Brown
- The Hare and the Tortoise by Brian Wildsmith
- Henny Penny by H. Werner Zimmermann
- The Little Red Hen by Margot Zemach
- The Three Bears by Paul Galdone
- The Three Billy Goats Gruff by Peter Christen Asbjornsen
- Three Little Pigs by James Marshall
- The Three Little Pigs by Rodney Peppé
- The Ugly Duckling by Hans Christian Andersen

Fun Books

(Stories with a pattern using rhyme or rhythm.)

- Curious George by H. A. Rey
- Each Peach Pear Plum by Janet and Allan Ahlberg
- The Gingerbread Boy by Paul Galdone
- Gregory the Terrible Eater by Mitchell Sharmat
- Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown
- Millions of Cats by Wanda Gág
- What's in Fox's Sack? by Paul Galdone

Family Stories

- Just Me Books by Mercer Mayer
- Mama Do You Love Me? by Barbara M. Joesse

Mother Goose and Nursery Rhymes

- James Marshall's Mother Goose by James Marshall
- My Very First Mother Goose by Iona Opie and Rosemary Wells
- Tomie dePaola's Mother Goose by Tomie dePaola

Stories in Rhyme

- All the Colors of the Earth by Sheila Hamanaka
- Bringing the Rain to Kapiti Plain by Verna Aardema
- Miss Spider's Tea Party by David Kirk

Friends

- Benjamin and Tulip by Rosemary Wells
- We Are Best Friends by Alike
- Who Will Be My Friends? by Syd Hoff

Beginning, Middle, and End Concept

- Bony-Legs by Joanna Cole
- A Camping Spree with Mr. Magee by C. Van Dusen
- Love You Forever by Robert Munsch
- Rosie's Walk by Pat Hutchins
- The Runaway Bunny by Margaret Wise Brown

Science Books

- Cars and How they Go by Joanna Cole
- Eyewitness Juniors Amazing Frogs and Toads by Barry Clarke
- Magic School Bus On the Ocean Floor by Joanna Cole

KINDERGARTEN 2018 SUMMER READING ASSIGNMENT:

1. STUDENTS ARE TO READ A MINIMUM OF FIVE (5) BOOKS
2. TAKE AN AR TEST ON ALL THE BOOKS WHEN THEY RETURN TO SCHOOL IN THE FALL
3. DRAW A PICTURE THAT SHOWS WHAT HAPPENED IN EACH BOOK.

USE THE FORMAT BELOW:

BOOK 1

Title of Book _____

Author _____

Draw a picture of what the book is about:

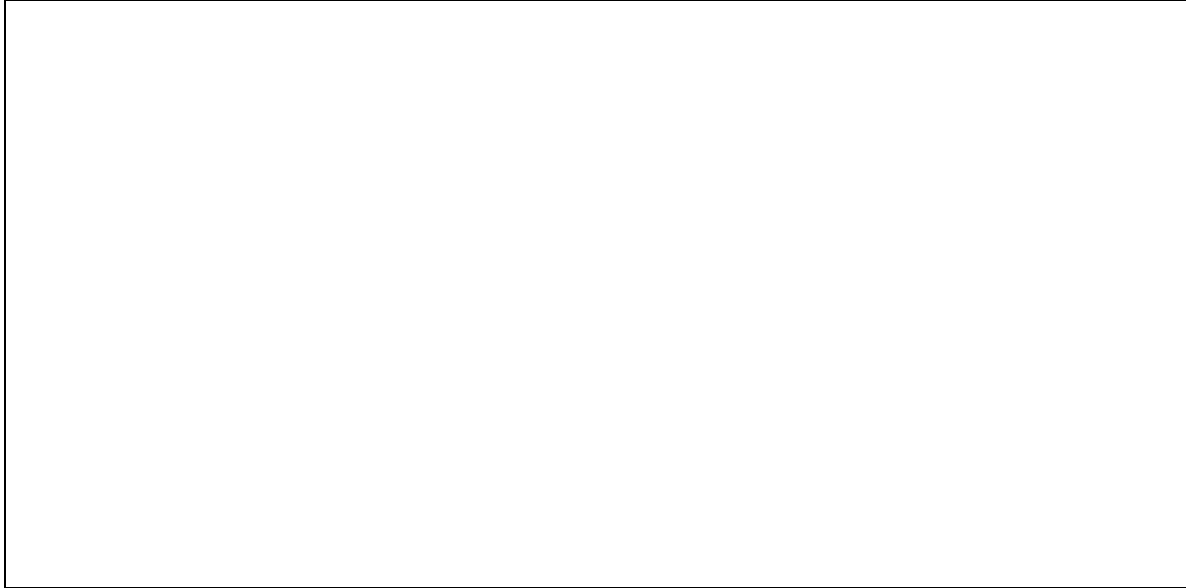


BOOK 2

Title of Book _____

Author _____

Draw a picture of what the book is about:

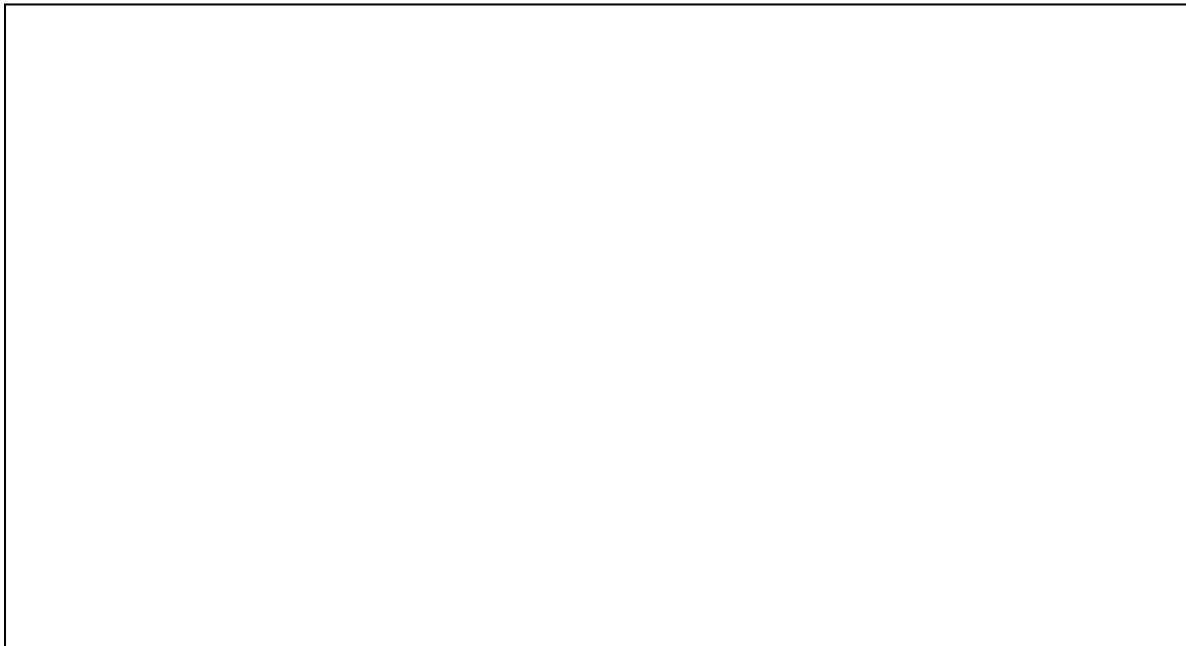
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BOOK 3

Title of Book _____

Author _____

Draw a picture of what the book is about:

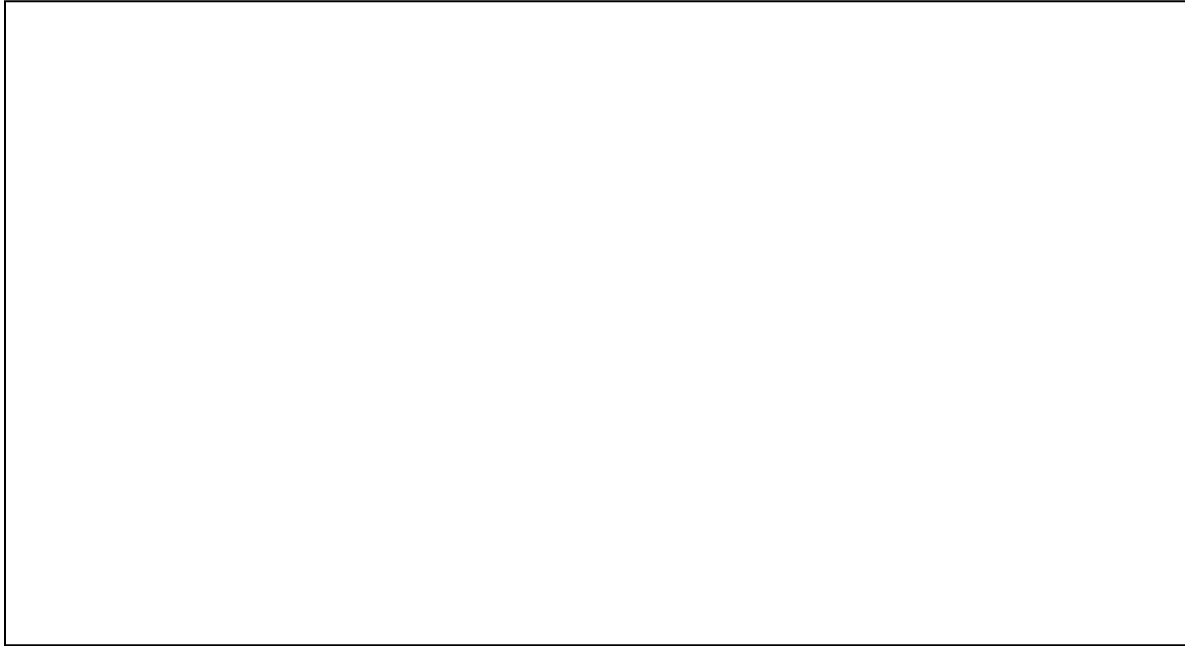
A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for drawing a picture related to the book.

BOOK 4

Title of Book _____

Author _____

Draw a picture of what the book is about:



BOOK 5

Title of Book _____

Author _____

Draw a picture of what the book is about:

