

CKS Required Summer Assignments for 1st Graders

READING

Required Assignment:

- Read any 5 books from the lists below.
- Choose one of the books you read and create a poster that shows the characters and where the story happens. At the bottom of the poster, write a sentence that tells about the book. You'll be able to share your poster with your class during the first weeks of school.

Scroll to the bottom page for an **optional** summer reading challenge!

MATH

Use the login information your teacher gave you to gain online access to Math IXL, which you'll be responsible for completing.

All of your reading assignments and math work must be complete by the first day of school.



Entering 1st Grade Reading List

Books to Read-Aloud to Your Child/Together:

| Title | Author |
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| Amanda Pig & Her Brother Oliver (series) | Jean Van Leeuwen |
| Bailey | Harry Bliss |
| Batter Up Wombat | Helen Lester |
| Bats at the Ballgame | Brian Lies |
| Boy Who Cried Wolf | B.G. Hennessy |
| Clifford series | Norman Bridwell |
| Curious George series | H.A. & Margret Rey |
| Dino-Soccer (& series) | Lisa Wheeler |
| Dr. DeSoto | William Steig |
| Fish is Fish | Leo Lionni |
| How I Became a Pirate | Melinda Long |
| If You Give a Dog a Donut | Laura Numeroff |
| Lyle, Lyle Crocodile | Bernard Waber |
| Penny & Her Song | Kevin Henkes |
| Pinkerton (series) | Steven Kellogg |
| Rocket Writes a Story | Tad Hills |
| Sheep in a Jeep | Nancy Shaw |
| Skippyjon Jones series | Judy Schachner |
| Splat the Cat series | Rob Scotton |
| Snowy Day & Peter's Chair | Ezra Jack Keats |
| Strega Nona (series) | Tomie dePaola |
| Three Little Kittens | Jerry Pinkney |
| Thump, Quack, Moo | Doreen Cronin |
| Various books by these authors: | Syd Hoff, Oliver Jeffers, & Susan Stevens Crummel |

Independent Reading Suggestions

| Title | Author |
|--|------------------------|
| Biscuit series | Alyssa Satin Capucilli |
| Clifford Makes a Friend, Clifford's Bedtime | Norman Bridwell |
| Dear Dragon series | Margaret Hillert |
| Elephant & Piggie series | Mo Willems |
| Eloise (Ready to Read series) | Margaret McNamara |
| Fly Guy (series) | Tedd Arnold |
| I Like Fish, I Like Stars, & I Like Bugs | Margaret Wise Brown |
| I Love Rainy Days and others from the Noodles the Dog series | Hans Wilhelm |
| Mac & Cheese (series) | Sarah Weeks |
| Puppy Mudge, Henry & Mudge, Annie & Snowball, Mr. Putter & Tabby, Poppleton, High Rise Private Eyes (series) | Cynthia Rylant |
| Rookie Readers series (ex: A Bit is a Bite, Snow Joe) | various |
| See Me Run | Paul Meisel |
| Step into Reading series | various |
| Young Cam Jansen | David Adler |

CKS Optional Summer Reading Challenge for Entering 1st Graders

| June 2018 | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------|-----------------|
| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Weekly Total | Parent Initials |
| | | | | | 1 | 2 | | |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | | |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | | |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | | |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | |

Total minutes for June: _____

| July 2018 | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Weekly Total | Parent Initials | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | | | |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | | | | |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | | | |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | | | | |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | Total minutes for July: _____ | | | | | | | |

| August 2018 | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Weekly Total | Parent Initials | | |
| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | | | |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | | | | |
| 12 | 13 | 14 Challenge due! | Total minutes for August: _____ | | | | | | | |

Directions:

*Your goal is to read at least 600 minutes this summer.

*For first graders, this includes reading independently and taking turns reading with someone.

*Write the number of minutes you read on the correct date.

(example: If you read 20 minutes on June 1, write "20" in that square.

*A parent should initial the square at the end of each week.

*Add up your total minutes at the end of each month.

*Add up your total minutes for the summer at the bottom of the sheet.

*Turn in this sheet to your teacher on August 14.

*If you read at least 600 minutes, you'll earn a free dress day on Thursday, August 24.

*Have fun and happy reading!

Notes:

*Although recommended, you aren't required to read each day; the total is what counts towards the free dress day.

*You're encouraged to read from the 1st grade list, but you aren't limited to it.

*Required reading counts toward the total.

Total Summer Minutes: _____

Parent Initials: _____