

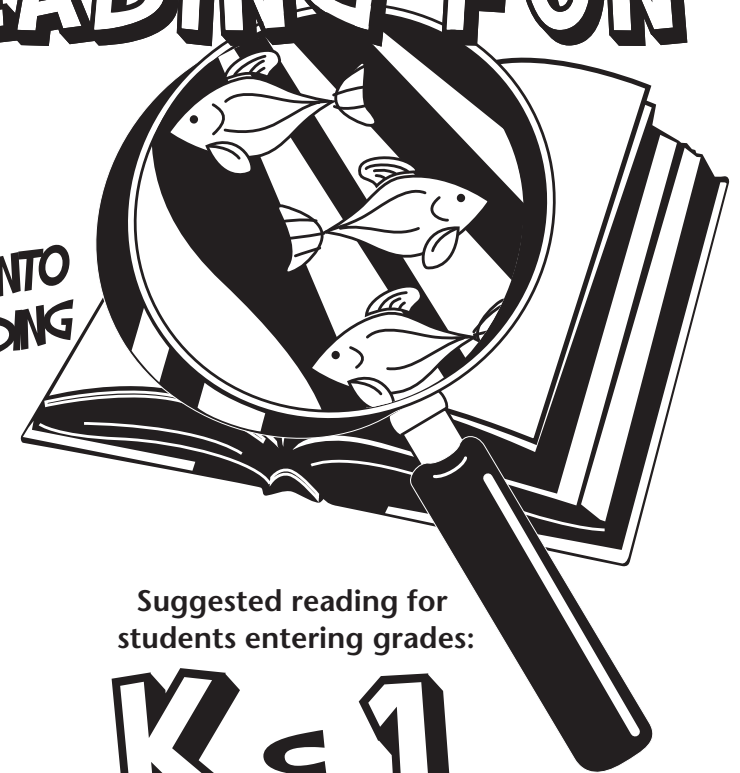
MY READING LOG

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SUMMER READING FUN

CLUE INTO READING



Suggested reading for students entering grades:

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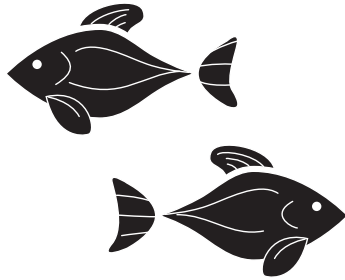
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**The pleasure of all reading is doubled when one lives
with another who shares the same books.**

Katherine Mansfield

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.

Joseph Addison

**There is more treasure in a book than in all the pirate's
loot on Treasure Island...and best of all, you can enjoy
these riches every day of your life.**

Walt Disney

**Children are made readers on the
laps of their parents.**

Emilie Buchwald

FAMILIES CAN HELP

Whether you are a parent, guardian, grandparent, or an older sibling, you can help a child learn to love reading. Children watch us, listen to us and try to do everything we do. It is critical that we let our children see us reading, as well as hear us reading.

How to Get Started

1. Schedule at least 15 minutes every day with your child to share reading together. It could be after dinner or at bedtime, just be certain it does not conflict with other activities.
2. Schedule a weekly trip to the county library. Your child should be involved in the selection of books. Ask the librarian at your local library for assistance if you have trouble finding materials for your child.
3. Find a cozy quiet place and snuggle up together for a special time of reading.
4. Try reading with different voices for the characters and add suspense when it is appropriate. Remember, it's okay to be silly if the story is silly.
5. Talk about the events, characters and words.
6. But most importantly, have fun together reading, talking and learning.

Using This Booklet

1. Choose from any of the lists: Themes, Authors, Authors of Series, Suggested Titles, or make your own list.
2. Keep track of your reading on the back cover, My Reading Log. Return this log to your school Reading Teacher in August for a special reading certificate.
3. Have fun and READ, READ, READ!

**For more information contact the
Reading/Language Arts Office at 410-222-5455**

TRY SOME OF THESE THEMES

Pets
Families
Sea Creatures
Friendship
Farms
Games
Fun Stuff
Poetry
Fairy Tales
Wild Animals
Dinosaurs
Things That Fly
Famous People
Holidays

TRY SOME OF THESE AUTHORS

Eve Bunting	Don Freeman
Donald Crews	Tomie DePaola
P.D. Eastman	Russell Hoban
Steven Kellogg	Dr. Seuss
Pat Cummings	Bernard Waber
Jerry, Gloria Jean, Brian, and Andrea Pinkney	Syd Hoff
Ezra Jack Keats	Judith Viorst
Jan Brett	Arnold Lobel
Don and Audrey Wood	Jerdine Nolan Harold
	Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

TRY SOME OF THESE AUTHORS OF SERIES BOOKS

Jean Van Leeuwen	Jane Yolen
Crosby Bonsall	Norman Bridwell
Ludwig Bemelmans	Peggy Parish
Eric Carle	Rosemary Wells
Juanita Havill	Cynthia Rylant
Stan Berenstain	Marc Brown
James Marshall	H.A. Rey
Arnold Lobel	Mercer Mayer
Else Minarik	

TRY SOME OF THESE TITLES

*These are just suggestions and other books may be substituted.
Ask your librarian for recommendations.*

Entering Kindergarten

Click, Clack, Quackity-Quack: An Alphabet Adventure by Doreen Cronin

Kitten's First Full Moon by Kevin Henkes

The Adventures of Taxi Dog by Debra and Sal Barracca

Book! Book! Book! by Deborah Bruss

Do You Want to be My Friend? by Eric Carle

Flora's Surprise by Debi Gliori

I Stink by Kate & Jim McMullan

Just Like Daddy by Frank Asch

Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus

Lunch by Denise Fleming

Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten by Joseph Slate

Old Black Fly by Jim Aylesworth

Entering First Grade

Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus by Mo Willems

Where is the Green Sheep by Mem Fox

Guji Guji by Chih-Yuan Chen

Diary of a Wombat by Jackie French

Hondo and Fabian by Peter McCarty

Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel by Virginia Lee Burton

Old MacDonald Had a Woodshop by Lisa Shulman

Olivia by Ian Falconer

Poem Stew poems selected by William Cole

The Stray Dog: From a True Story by Reiko Sasso by Marc Simlot

Susan Laughs by Jeanne Willis

When Sophia Gets Angry-Really, Really Angry by Molly Bang

Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak

MY LIBRARY "BROWSING LIST"

Topics I Want to Read About

Authors, Books, Magazines I Like