



Summer Reading for Students Entering 3rd Grade

We are excited that you will be coming to Westminster in the fall. Students are required to complete a summer reading assignment, and you will find the information below. Reading can take you to new worlds. We hope you discover wonderful places this summer.

This summer, you are to read a total of at least **4** books:

Read the required chapter book: ***Harry Kitten and Tucker Mouse*** by George Selden.

Read one chapter book of your choice **from the list** provided.

Read **any two** (or four for those who like a challenge) chapter books you want per your parents' approval. These you will record on the log included with these instructions.

1. On the first day of school you will turn in your reading log with the three or five books of your choice. These can be turned in the first day of school, or dropped off in the main office during the summer.
2. During the first full week of school, the whole class will take the AR test for *Harry Kitten and Tucker Mouse*. You may want to review the book in preparation for the test.
3. During the second full week of school, you will give a book project-report on your chosen chapter book from the list. I will explain the requirements and options for that report during our first few days of school, and so you won't work on the report during the summer. You will, however, want to be able to review your selected book in order to accurately give a report on it.

Selection Novel List Third Grade

Read one book from this list.

<i>Amber Brown is not a Crayon*</i>	Danzinger, Paula
<i>Box Car Children*</i>	Warner, Gertrude
<i>Can Do Jenny Archer*</i>	Conford, Ellen
<i>Dog Days</i>	Lubar, David
<i>Encyclopedia Brown, Boy Detective*</i>	Sobel, Donald J.
<i>Gadget War</i>	Duffey, Betsy
<i>Herbie Jones and the Class Gift*</i>	Kline, Suzy
<i>A Lion to Guard Us</i>	Bulla, Clyde Robert
<i>The Littles*</i>	Peterson, John
<i>Magic School Bus Gets Eaten*</i>	Cole, Johanna
<i>Magic School Bus Chapter Books*</i>	Different Authors
<i>Magic Tree House: Civil War on Sunday*</i>	Osborne, Mary Pope
<i>Mercy Watson to the Rescue*</i>	Dicamillo, Kate
<i>Ramona Quimby, Age 8*</i>	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Stanley, Flat Again*</i>	Brown, Jeff
<i>Annie Oakley: Young Markswoman*</i>	Varied authors in series, Childhood of Famous Americans

***Any one title from this series is acceptable**

Novels of Your Choice Reading Log

Write the following information about each of the three (or five) chapter books you chose to read for fun this summer. Have a parent initial each book entry. Have fun!

Chapter Book #1 Title:

Author: _____ Parent Init. _____

Would you recommend this book to a friend? Yes _____ No _____ Tell me why or why not.

Chapter Book #2 Title:

Author: _____ Parent Init. _____

Would you recommend this book to a friend? Yes _____ No _____ Tell me why or why not.

Optional Chapter Book #3 Title:

Author: _____ Parent Init. _____

Would you recommend this book to a friend? Yes _____ No _____ Tell me why or why not.

Optional Chapter Book #4 Title:

Author: _____ Parent Init. _____

Would you recommend this book to a friend? Yes _____ No _____ Tell me why or why not.

Optional Chapter Book #5 Title:

Author: _____ Parent Init. _____

Would you recommend this book to a friend? Yes _____ No _____ Tell me why or why not.
