



Summer Reading for Students Entering 4th 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 **3** books:

Required Novel: *Quake!: Disaster in San Francisco, 1906* by Gail Karwoski

One novel from the Selection Novel List

One Novel of your choice (per your parents' approval)

1. On the first day of school you will turn in your reading log from the novel of your choice. This can be turned in the first day of school, or dropped off in the main office during the summer.
2. On the first Friday of school, you will take an AR quiz **in class** of the novel you read from the Selection Novel list. The Selection Novel List is attached.
3. During the first full week of school, you will have a comprehension test on the required reading, *Quake! Disaster in San Francisco, 1906*. You will be tested on the plot of the novel and on your understanding of the events in the novel. If you read the required book early in the summer, you will want to review before the test. We will also discuss the book and review in class.

Selection Novel List Fourth Grade

Read one book from this list.

<i>39 Clues Series*</i>	various authors
<i>Castle in the Attic*</i>	Winthrop, Elizabeth
<i>Catch that Pass*</i>	Christopher, Matt
<i>The Enormous Egg</i>	Butterworth, Oliver
<i>George Washington's Socks</i>	Woodruff, Elvira
<i>The Great Brain</i>	Fitzgerald, John D.
<i>Guardians of Ga'Hoole*</i>	Lasky, Katherine
<i>Henry Huggins*</i>	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Little House on Rocky Ridge*</i>	MacBride, Roger
<i>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane</i>	DiCamillo, Kate
<i>Misty of Chincoteague*</i>	Henry, Marguerite
<i>The Moffats*</i>	Estes, Eleanor
<i>The Mouse and the Motorcycle*</i>	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Mrs. Piggle Wiggle*</i>	MacDonald, Betty
<i>Owls in the Family</i>	Mowat, Farley
<i>Pippi Longstocking</i>	Lindgren, Astrid
<i>Runaway Ralph</i>	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Summer of the Swans</i>	Byars, Betsy
<i>Charlotte's Web</i>	White, E.B.

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

Novels of Your Choice Reading Log

Title:

Author:

Describe your favorite part of the book with at least 5 sentences.

Tell why you would or would not recommend this book to a friend.
