

Cannon School Summer Reading

1st grade

All books below are suggestions. What is important is that students keep reading!

Easy Readers (Few words per page)

Baby Monkey, Private Eye by Brian Selznick

Big Cat by Ethan Long

The Cookie Fiasco by Dan Santat

Don't Worry, BEE Happy by Ross Burach

Elephant and Piggie series by Mo Willems

Flubby by JE Morris

Princess Truly by Kelly Greenwalt

We Are Growing by Laurie Keller

Beginning Chapter Books (Few sentences per page)

Charlie and Mouse by Laurel Snyder

Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold

A Friend for Dragon by Dav Pilkey

Frog and Toad by Arnold Lobel

King and Kayla by Dori H. Butler

Mr. Putter and Tabby by Cynthia Rylant

Penny and Her Marble by Kevin Henkes

Press Start! By Thomas Flintham

Easy Chapter Books (More text, smaller pictures)

Diary of a Pug by Kyla May

Fox and Chick by Sergio Ruzzier

Kitty and Dragon by Meika Hashimoto

Kung Pow Chicken by Cindi Marko

Meet Yasmin by Saadia Faruqi

Notebook of Doom by Troy Cummings

The Princess in Black by Shannon Hale

Ricky Ricotta's Mighty Robot by Dav Pilkey

Chapter Books for family read aloud

Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary

My Father's Dragon by Ruth S. Gannett


Toys Go Out by Emily Jenkins

Zoey and Sassafras by Asia Citro

Poetry

It's Raining Pigs and Noodles by Jack Prelutsky

You Read to Me, I'll Read to You by Mary Ann Hoberman

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- ◆ Set a goal for yourself: 20-30 minutes a day, maybe more.
 - ◆ Make reading fun by doing Summer Reading Bingo. Complete a row, get a prize. Do all the spaces, earn a dress down day.
 - ◆ Read books that you like, but also pick out new types of books like poetry, nonfiction, and biographies.
 - ◆ Use the 5 Finger rule to help pick out books for independent reading. Open the book to any page, and read it. Hold up one finger for every word you don't know or can't pronounce.
0-1 finger: Too easy
2-3 fingers: Just right
4-5 fingers: Good for a family read aloud
 - ◆ Don't forget to take some time to write this summer. Bring in your stories and poems to display in our library.

