



2021-2022
ASCS FOURTH GRADE SUMMER READING



Dear Incoming 4th Grade Parents,

As you know, fostering a love of reading at a young age has so many benefits. With reading being the biggest indicator of academic success, we must foster that love and continue to encourage our students to read. At All Saints Catholic School, we want to do all that we can to foster that love of reading. This summer students will have the opportunity to build their knowledge and faith through the wonderful world of books!

As incoming 4th graders there will be 3 parts to our summer *required* reading program. They are as follows:

- The children will be responsible for reading **three books** in total. They are to select **one biography or autobiography, and two** books from the attached list.
- Your child will be required to take two AR tests over the summer; one in June and one in July.*
- Then within the first few weeks of school your child will be given an assignment to complete related to their third summer reading book.

My hope is that this summer requirement will encourage your child to continue to read over the summer. I am looking forward to seeing you in the fall! Have a wonderful summer vacation!

Mrs. Lewis

Fourth Grade Summer Reading List (Summer List)

Title and Author	ISBN#	AR Level
<i>Absolutely Normal Chaos</i> by Sharon Creech	ISBN-13: 9780064406321	4.7
<i>Black Beauty</i> by Anna Sewell	ISBN-13: 9780451531742	3.8
* <i>Bridge to Terabithia</i> by Katherine Paterson	ISBN-13: 9780064401845	4.6
<i>Call of the Wild</i> by Jack London	ISBN-13: 9780141321059	4.0
* <i>From the Mixed Up Files of Basil E. Fankweiler</i> by E. L. Konigsburg	ISBN-13: 9780689711817	4.7
<i>Home of the Brave</i> by Katherine Applegate	ISBN-13: 9780312535636	3.5
* <i>Inside Out and Back Again</i> by Thanhha Lai	ISBN-13: 9780061962790	4.8
* <i>Indian in the Cupboard</i> Lynne Reid	ISBN-13: 9780375847530	4.7
<i>Iron Thunder</i> by Avi	ISBN-13: 9781423105183	4.3
<i>Riding Freedom</i> by Pam Munoz Ryan	ISBN-13: 9780439087964	4.5
<i>Secret Garden</i> by Frances Hodgson Burnett	ISBN-13: 9781593082772	3.6
* <i>Summer of the Swans</i> by B. Byars	ISBN-13: 9780140314205	4.9
<i>Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing</i> by Judy Blume	ISBN-13: 9780142408810	3.3
* <i>The Candymakers</i> by Wendy Mass (counts as two books)	ISBN-13: 9780316002592	5.0

<i>The Courage of Sarah Noble</i> Alice Dalgliesh	ISBN-13: 9780689715402	3.9
* <i>The Hundred Dresses</i> Eleanor Estes	ISBN-13: 9780152052607	5.4
* <i>The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</i> by C.S. Lewis	ISBN-13: 9780064471046	4.9
* <i>The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane</i> by K. DiCamillo	ISBN-13: 9780763680909	4.4
<i>The One and Only Ivan</i> by Katherine Applegate	SBN-13 9780061992278	3.6
* <i>The Perilous Road</i> by William O. Steele	ISBN-13: 9780152052041	4.7
<i>The War That Saved My Life</i> by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley	ISBN-13: 9780147510488	4.1
<i>Trumpet of the Swans</i> by E.B. White	ISBN-13: 9780064408677	4.9

* <i>The Misadventures of Maude March, or, Trouble Rides a Fast Horse</i> by Audrey Coulombis	ISBN-13: 9780375832451 7	5.1
* <i>Mr. Popper's Penguins</i> by Richard Atwater	ISBN-13: 9780316058421	5.6
<i>Sadko and the Thousand Paper Cranes</i> by Eleanor Coerr	ISBN-13: 978-143955144 8	4.1
<i>The Boy on the Porch</i> by Sharon Creech	ISBN-13: 978-0061892356	4.0
<i>The Earth Dragon Awakes</i> by Laurence Yep	ISBN-13: 978-0060008468	3.7

Biography/Autobiography List

Title and Author	ISBN#	AR Level
<i>Rise!: from caged bird to poet of the people, Maya Angelou</i> by Bethany Hegedus	ISBN13: 9781620145876	4.9
<i>Josephine: the Dazzling Life of Josephine Baker</i> by Patricia Hruby Powell	ISBN13: 9781452103143	4.6
<i>Mary who wrote Frankenstein</i> by Linda Bailey	ISBN13: 9781770495593	3.3
<i>Astrophysicist and Space Advocate Neil deGrasse Tyson</i> by Marne Ventura	ISBN13: 9781467725859	4.9
<i>Mo Willems</i> by Abby Colich	ISBN13: 9781476534442	3.7
<i>Shark lady: the true story of how Eugenie Clark became the ocean's most fearless scientist</i> by Jess Keating	ISBN13:9781492642046	4.9
<i>George Washington Carver: Botanist and Inventor</i> By: Boone, Mary	978-1-5435-0646-4	3.9
<i>Cristiano Ronaldo: Soccer Star</i> Kortemeier, Todd	978-1-63517-488-5	4.5
<i>Simone Manuel: Swimming Star</i> By: Schwartz, Heather E.	978-1-5157-9707-4	4.8
<i>Alexander Ovechkin: Hockey Star</i> By: Kortemeier, Todd	978-1-64185-324-8	4.4

The AR level indicates the book level according to www.arbookfinder.com

On-level students may read any book from this list.

*** Honors List**

Honors students are expected to read **1 biography/autobiography and two books from the summer reading list**. One book of the two from the summer reading list must be from the Honor's List (*) and the other can be any book from the entire fourth grade list.

Summer Reading Pennant must be complete and turned in on the first day of school. Students will take an AR test at home after completing the book or in the first week of school.