

# THE KING'S ACADEMY

### 2018-2019 Summer Reading Information

Children entering Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade are required to read over summer vacation. **There is one required book for each grade level.** There is a suggested book list available for each grade level, in addition to the required book.

Please remember that this is only a suggested list. Choose fiction or non-fiction books that reflect interest and reading ability.

- AR Bookfinder <u>www.arbookfind.com</u> is a great tool for locating books on reading level.
- Higher level readers should consider age-appropriate content when selecting books. Two websites to help determine content are:
  - 1. Plugged In <u>www.pluggedin.com/book-reviews</u>
  - 2. Common Sense Media <a href="https://www.commonsensemedia.org/book-reviews">https://www.commonsensemedia.org/book-reviews</a>
- Students in Kindergarten 3<sup>rd</sup> grade will complete an in-class project for the required reading with their homeroom teacher.
- Students in 4<sup>th</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup> grade will complete an in-class project for the required reading with their reading teacher.
- A completed book log for their other books read over the summer is required by **Friday**, **August 17**, **2018** (the second day of school).
- Check with your local library branch or bookstore for book ideas or reading incentive programs.
- If you read the required book early in the summer, please review it carefully before returning to school in August.

#### **Entering Fourth Grade Book List**

#### \*\*\*Required book- Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo

Book Title:	Author
Stone Fox	John Reynolds Gardiner
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Roald Dahl
S.O.R. Losers	Avi
Crispin	Avi
Strider	Beverly Cleary
Dear Mr. Henshaw	Beverly Cleary
The Homework Machine	Dan Gutman
Back in Time with Benjamin Franklin	Dan Gutman
Dexter the Tough	Margaret Peterson Haddix
The Willoughbys	Lois Lowry
Dogs Don't Tell Jokes	Louis Sachar
Boy at War: A Novel of Pearl Harbor	Harry Mazer,
Winners Take All	Fred Bowen
Misty of Chincoteague and Brighty of the Grand Canyon	Marguerite Henry
Peter Pan	James Barrie
Sounder	William H. Armstrong
Tales and Stories by Hans Christian Andersen	Hans Christian Andersen
The Arabian Nights Entertainments	Andrew Lang
The Borrowers	Mary Norton
A Land Remembered	Patrick D. Smith

Little House on the Prairie Series Encyclopedia Brown Series Hardy Boys Series

My Life as a\_\_\_\_\_Books

**Nancy Drew Series** 

**Junior Classics Series** 

**Epic Order of the Seven Series by Jenny Cote** 

The Chronicles of Narnia Books

**Matt Christopher Series** 

**Left Behind Series** 

**Adventures of Charlie Pierce Series by Harvey Oyer** 

## 2018 Summer Reading Book Log

In addition to the required reading, each child must read at least one additional book of his/her own choice. Please fill out this form for the book listing all the additional books you read this summer and bring it to school with you on Friday. August 17, 2018 (the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of school). \*A completed, signed form is required.