



The summer reading program is a way to develop in your child a love for reading and to maintain the current level of skills that your child has worked to achieve during the school year. We hope that you will enthusiastically support this program and make reading a daily part of your child's summer. Happy reading!

## 2025-2026 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Reading

### ***Mandatory Reading:***

- *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis

### ***Suggested Reading List:***

- *The Hero Two Doors Down* by Sharon Robinson
- *The Prince and Pauper Retold from the Mark Twain original*
- *My Side of the Mountain* by Jean Craighead George
- *The Secret Garden* by Frances Burnett
- *Little Women* by Louisa May Alcott
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- *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate
- *The War That Saved my Life* by Kimberly Bradley
- *The Toothpaste Millionaire* by Jean Merrill
- *Out the Dust* by Karen Hesse
- *Anne of Green Gables* series by L.M. Montgomery
- *Call It Courage* by Armstrong Sperry
- *Frightful's Mountain* by Jean Craighead George
- *Gone-Away Lake* by Elizabeth Enright
- *The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood* by Howard Pyle
- *The Railway Children* by Edith Nesbit
- *The Black Stallion* by Walter Farley
- *The Wind in the Willows* by Kenneth Grahame
- *Treasure Island* by Robert Louis Stevenson