



THE 2020 FIFTH-GRADE SUMMER READING LIST

OVERVIEW

All **incoming** fifth-grade students (2020-21 SY) at The Mount Washington School must read **at least two books this summer and at least one must come from** the list provided. Students must complete at least two summer reading organizers. Books are available at stores, on YouTube, and/or at the library (in-person or digitally). **Free DIGITAL (not paperback) options are indicated on the list. New and returning students are required to complete the organizers and readings.**

REWARDS

- Log activities onto Beanstack and get prizes from The Enoch Pratt Free Library.
- Meet reading goals to get a free pizza in July and August from Pizza Hut.
- Describe the best parts of 8 books and get a free novel from Barnes and Noble.
- Recognition from MWS in the fall & entry into a cash raffle.

FICTION		NON-FICTION	
	<p>Wings of Fire by Tui T. Sutherland (SERIES)</p> <p>The seven dragon tribes have been at war for generations, locked in an endless battle over an ancient, lost treasure. Talons of Peace is determined to bring an end to the fighting.</p> <p>*YouTube (Graph. Nov) +Ebook ^Audio</p>		<p>A Long Walk to Water by Linda Sue Park</p> <p><i>A Long Walk to Water</i> begins as two stories, one fictional and one non-fiction, about children trying to survive harsh circumstances in Sudan.</p> <p>*YouTube +Ebook ^Audio</p>
	<p>Wonder by R.J. Palacio (SERIES)</p> <p>August Pullman was born with a facial difference. Now, he's starting 5th grade at Beecher Prep, and wants nothing more than to be treated as an ordinary kid.</p> <p>*Movie +Ebook +Ebook en Español</p>		<p>Radiant Child: The Story of Young Artist Jean-Michel Basquiat by Javaka Steptoe</p> <p>As a little boy who saw art everywhere, Basquiat learned that art doesn't have to be neat to be beautiful.</p> <p>*YouTube +Ebook</p>
	<p>The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora by Pablo Cartaya</p> <p>Save the restaurant. Save the town. Get the girl. Make Abuela proud. Can thirteen-year-old Arturo Zamora do it all or is he in for a BIG, EPIC FAIL?</p> <p>@Library</p>		<p>The Cockroach (Disgusting Critters SERIES) by Elise Gravel</p> <p>The Cockroach covers the insect's lifestyle, anatomy, lifestyle, and more in a humorous and interesting way.</p> <p>*YouTube +Ebook</p>
	<p>The Year of the Dog by Grace Lin (SERIES)</p> <p>As the year goes on, Pacy struggles to find her talent, deals with disappointment, makes a new best friend, and discovers just why the Year of the Dog is a lucky one for her after all.</p>		<p>Strong Man: The Story of Charles Atlas by Meghan McCarthy</p> <p>He could pull a 145,000-pound train with his bare hands. But Charles Atlas wasn't always one of America's most famous strong men.</p> <p>*YouTube +Ebook</p>
	<p>The 39 Clues by Various Authors (SERIES)</p> <p>The family is one of the most powerful in human history and the source of the family's power is hidden around the world, in the form of 39 Clues.</p> <p>*YouTube (Audio) +Ebook ^Audio</p>	<p>YOU CHOOSE!</p> <p>Don't feel limited to the list provided. You are required to read at least one book from the list, but you can always choose other books as well. Just try to make sure the books are written at your current reading level.</p> 	