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Dear Parents,

Summer is almost here which means it is time for SUMMER READING! Encouraging our children to read in the summer months is essential. Studies have shown that children who read more become better readers, and children who read over the summer months often gain, rather than lose, important skills.

I am requiring that your child choose 3 books in total from the S and/or T lists provided in this attachment. Any combination of fiction and non-fiction will suffice. A book report or poster (you may present all 3 on one poster) which would include the characters, plot and resolution is required.

* The summer reading list is attached.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Wright

LEVEL S - TITLE	AUTHOR	FICTION	NONFICTION
Aldo Applesauce (series)	Hurwitz, Johanna	X	
My Teacher(series)	Coville, Bruce	X	
Harry (series)	Sheldon, Dyan	X	
Bridge to Terabithia	Paterson, Katherine	Χ	
The Dollhouse Murders	Wright, Betty Ren	Х	
From The Mixed-Up Files Of Mr. Basil E. Frankweiler	Konigsburg, E.L.	X	
The Great Gilly Hopkins	Paterson, Katherine	X	
How Many Days To America?	Bunting, Eve	X	
In The Year Of The Boar And Jackie Robinson	Lors, Bette	Χ	
Letters From Rifka	Hesse, Karen	X	
Lily's Crossing	Giff, Patricia Reilly	Х	
On My Honor	Bauer, Marion D.	Х	
The Pinballs	Byars, Betsy	X	
Рорру	Avi	Х	
The Amazing Impossible Erie Canal	Harness. Cheryl		X
A Boy Called Slow	Bruchac, Joseph		X
Do Tornadoes Really Twist?	Berger, Melvin		Х
Eleanor	Cooney, Barbara		X
A More Perfect Union	Maestro, Betsy		X
My Life In Dog Years	Paulsen, Gary		Х
One Day In The Tropical Rain Forest	George, Jean C.		Х
Out Of Darkness	Freedman, Russell		X
Sideways Arithmetic From Wayside School	Sachar, Louis		X
Where Do You Think You're Going, Christopher			
Columbus?	Fritz, Jean		X

LEVEL T - TITLE	AUTHOR	FICTION	NONFICTION
An Angel For Solomon Singer	Rylant, Cynthia	X	
Bridge To Terabithia	Paterson, Katherine	X	
Bud, Not Buddy	Curtis, Christopher Paul	X	
Blubber & Then Again, Maybe I Won't	Blume, Judy	X	
Joey Pigza Swallowed The Key	Gantos, Jack	X	
The Lion, The Witch And The Wardrobe	Lewis, C. S.	X	
Love That Dog	Creech, Sharon	X	
The Man Who Was Poe & Something Upstairs	Avi	X	
Sees Behind Trees	Dorris, Michael	Х	
The Sign Of The Beaver	Speare, Elizabeth G.	X	
Behind Rebel Lines: The Incredible Story Of Emma			
Edmonds, Civil War Spy	Reit, Seymour		X
Boy: Tales Of Childhood	Dahl, Roald		X
Earthquakes	Simon, Seymour		X
Freedom Train	Sterling, Dorothy		X
Frozen Man	Getz. David		X
Lightning	Kramer, Stephen		X
Muscles: Our Muscular System	Simon, Seymour		X
Shh! We're Writing The Constitution	Fritz, Jean		Х
Woodsong	Paulsen, Gary		X