We encourage summer reading to be enjoyable for each and every student. If your child does not like to read, try reading a magazine, or part of the newspaper. Most students enjoy the comic section of the paper.

Another “fun” way to get your child to read is to have them ask another adult what their favorite book was as a child. It is possible the book still exists in a library. Try to find a “quiet” time each day to read. It is usually a good idea if you take this time to read also.

Online:
World Book & eBooks
http://www.worldbookonline.com
Grolier
http://www.go.grolier.com
Tumble Books
http://www.plainville.k12.ma.us/Page/822
AR Bookfinder
http://www.arbookfind.com/UserType.aspx
ALSC Summer Reading Lists
http://www.ala.org/alsc/2016-summer-reading-list

Our list is only the beginning of the wonderful possibilities from Children’s Literature!

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Towers Falling Jewell Parker Rhodes
Flora & Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures Kate DiCamillo
Gertie’s Leap to Greatness Kate Beasley
Roller Girl Victoria Jamieson
Accidents May Happen: Fifty Inventions Discovered by Mistake Charlotte Foltz Jones
Savvy Ingrid Law
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Roald Dahl
Hidden: A Child’s Story of the Holocaust Loic Dauvillier
How to Speak Dog Aline Alexander Newman
Moo Sharon Creech
Rules Cynthia Lord
Balloons over Broadway: The True Story of the Puppeteer of Macy’s Parade Melissa Sweet
Cartwheeling in Thunderstorms Katherine Rundell
The Family Romanov: Murder, Rebellion, and the Fall of Imperial Russia Candace Fleming
Some Writer! Melissa Sweet
Wrinkle in Time Madeleine L’Engle
The Girl Who Drank the Moon Kelly Barnhill
When You Reach Me Rebecca Stead
Terrible Typhoid Mary Susan Campbell Bartoletti

Zane and the Hurricane: A Story of Katrina Rodman Philbrick
Elly: My True Story of the Holocaust Elly Berkovits Gross
Tree in the Courtyard: Looking Through Anne Frank’s Window Jeff Gottesfeld
Stubby the War Dog Ann Bausum
Battle Heroes: Voices from Afghanistan Allan Zullo
John Deere, That’s Who! Tracy Nelson Maurer
Wet Cement: A Mix of Concrete Poems Bob Raczka
Citizen Scientists: Be a Part of Scientific Discovery From Your Own Backyard Loree Griffin Burns
Glow: Animals with their Own Nightlights W.H. Black
You’re Pulling my Leg! 400 Human Body Sayings from Head to Toe Pat Street, Eric Brace
Hobbit J R R Tolkien
Poems by Jack Prelutsky
Code Talker Joseph Bruchac
How do aqueducts work? Greg Roza
Tackling the Box Michael J. Rosen
Technology Myths, Busted! Angie Smibert

Crenshaw Katherine Applegate
Invasion of the Overworld Mark Cheverton
Shingaling: A Wonder Story R.J. Palacio
The Meaning of Maggie Megan Jean Sovern
The Quest for Paradise: The Return to the Kingdom of Fantasy Geronimo Stilton
Just Grace Charise Mericle Harper
Wonder R.J. Palacio
Who Was Harry Houdini? Tui Sutherland
Dog Man Unleashed Dav Pilkey
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince J.K. Rowling
Fast Break Mike Lupica
The School for Good and Evil Soman Chainani
Mud City Deborah Ellis
The Crossover Kwame Alexander
My Life as a Book Janet Tashjian
The Astounding Broccoli Boy Frank Cottrell Boyce
The Batboy Mike Lupica
Raising Dragons Bryan Davis
Ada Twist, Scientist Andrea Beaty
13 Story Treehouse Andy Griffiths
When the Sea Turned to Silver Grace Lin
Quest for Justice: A Minecraft Novel Sean Fay Wolfe