Suggested Books for Rising First Grade

Classics to Read to a First Grader

- Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus
- The Little House by Virginia Lee Burton
- Make Way for Ducklings by Robert McCloskey
- When Will I Read? by Miriam Cohen

Caldecott Awards and Honor Books

- Alphabet City by Stephen Johnson
- Ashanti to Zulu: African Traditions by Margaret Musgrove
- The Hello, Goodbye Window by Norton Juster and Chris Raschka
- Owen by Kevin Henkes
- The Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg
- · A Story, A Story by Gail E. Haley

Fun Books to Share

- And I Mean It, Stanley by Crosby Bonsall
- Arthur series by Marc Brown
- A Bad Case of the Stripes by David Shannon
- Berenstain Bear series by Jan and Stan Berenstain
- Clifford series by Norman Bridwell
- Dinosaur Time by Peggy Parish
- The Eye Book by Theo LeSieg
- Franklin series by Paulette Bourgeois
- Froggy series by Jonathan London
- Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Seuss
- Hi! Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
- How I Became a Pirate by Melinda Long
- Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
- Little Critter series by Mercer Mayer
- Morris the Moose by Bernard Wiseman
- Nate the Great series by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat
- Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister
- The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle

Math in Picture Books

- One Potato: A Counting Book of Potato Prints by Diana Pomeroy
- Ten Sly Piranhas: A Counting Story in Reverse, (A Tale of Wickedness—and Worse!) by William Wise
- When Sheep Cannot Sleep by Satoshi Kitamura

Learning to Read Series

- Hello Reader!
- I Can Read Books
- Puffin Easy-to-Read
- Step Into Reading Levels 1–4

Alphabet Books

- Animalia by Graeme Base
- The Icky Bug Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta
- Z Was Zapped by Chris Van Allsburg

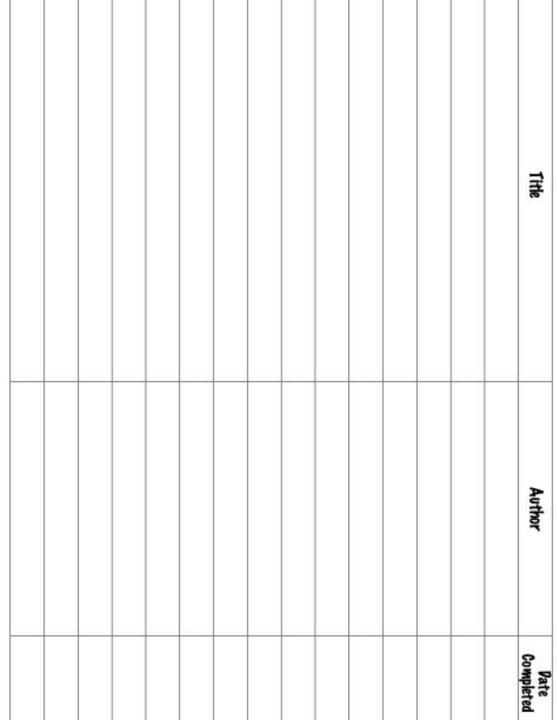


REAPING BINGO



Complete one column or ao for binao blackout! Mark vour completed squares with vour parent's initials. Use this Reading Bingo card to make reading fun for the summer!

Read in a pillow fort!	Read wearing a hat!	Read on a rainy day!	Read out loud!
Read after dinner!	Read under a tree!	Read before breakfast!	Read with a pet!
Read a book you got at the library!	Read while eating a snack!	Read to a sibling or cousin!	out loud! Read with a pet! Read on a sunny lay!
Read a book with a red, white, or blue cover!	Read in a whisper!	Read sitting on the floor!	Read with a Read in flashlight! your pajamas!
Read in your bed!	Read to your favorite stuffed animal!	Read in a car!	Read in your pajamas!





Summer Reading Log



Parent's Initials

Chattanooga Public Library

The Public Library is continuing to provide curbside service and can process a new library card online or through email. Families simply go to the website chattlibrary.org and select "Get a Library Card" from the top right hand corner. Follow the instructions and library staff will assist you in your application process through email.

There are many benefits for a student having a public library card.

- There is unlimited free access to audiobooks through the library's digital collection:
 Hoopla, OverDrive, and RB Digital. Students may wish to use these audiobooks during the
 summer or within the classroom during the school year. The benefits of audiobooks
 include improvement in pronunciation and fluency, critical listening skills, focus and
 attention span, memory, critical thinking and comprehension skills.
- The Chattanooga Public Library has a vast collection of eBooks, fiction and nonfiction, for check out, as well as a News Stand for fans of magazines, newspapers, maps and atlases.
 The library's research section includes a student favorite: the World Book Encyclopedia.

While on the library's website, don't forget to view the "events" section for a special compilation of resources organized for students. Below are a few resources students might enjoy during the summer.

Storyline Online

Streaming videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books alongside illustrations.

Storytime from Space

Astronauts on the International Space Station reading books to the children on Earth.

Tumble Book Library K-6 children's ebook database

Tumble Math K-6 math ebook database