



STAR Academy Charter School
1st Grade Summer Reading Reminder & Supply List

Dear Rising First Graders,




We hope you are enjoying your summer vacation! In order to prepare for an incredible first grade year, please have read selected books listed in the *Summer Reading List*, updated your *Summer Reading Logs*, and completed your *Summer Book Reports*. These mentioned items are due on the **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL, Monday, August 5th, 2019 (7:30 am- 3:00 pm)**. We look forward to seeing you soon!

First Grade Team

First Grade Supply List (2019-2020)

Check	Quantity/Packs	Item(s)
✓	1	Example
	5	Plastic Folders with Pockets and Brads (red, blue, green, yellow, orange)- example below
	1	Headphones (with 3.5mm jack)
	1	2 Inch Binder (white with clear cover)
	1	Scissors
	2 packs	Index Cards (1 3x5, 1 4x6)
	3-4 packs	# 2 Pencils
	2	Crayons
	2 of each	Kleenex, Clorox Wipes, Hand Sanitizer
	1	Glue Sticks (3-4/pack)
	2 packs	Expo Markers
	2	Composition Books
	2 packs	White Copy Paper
	1	ZipLoc Bags (quart size and sandwich)



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First Grade Suggested Summer Reading List

Note: The following books are only suggestions. Please feel free to add any books that are appropriate for your reader. The staff in the children's section of the local library will also have many wonderful suggestions for you.

Research has shown that the single greatest factor in predicting reading success is whether a child is read to when young. Here are some titles to get you started! **Please note** that the reading level of the books suggested varies. If your child is already reading have him or her read a page of the book aloud to you to see if it is a good fit. If they struggle with more than a few words on the page, it is probably too difficult, but the book would still be a great book to read aloud to your child. **The Summer Book Report Project, that is due on Monday, August 5th, 2019, is on the back.**

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. Suess
- Hi! Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
- How I Became a Pirate by Melinda Long
- Junie B. Jones series by Barabar Park
- Little Critter series by Mercer Mayer
- Morris the Moose by Bernard Wiseman
- Nate the Great series by Marjoire Weinman Sharmat
- The Dot by Peter Reynolds
- The Jolly Postman by Allan Ahlberg
- The Secret Life of Squirrels by Nancy Rose
- The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle

Learning to Read Series

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

Alphabet Books

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

Math in Picture Books

- How Much Is a Million? by David M. Schwartz
- Monster Math by Anne Miranda
- One Potato: A Counting Book of Potato Prints by Diana Pomeroy
- When Sheep Cannot Sleep by Satoshi Kitamura

Non-Fiction:

- National Geographic Little Kids First Big Book of Animals by Catherine D. Hughes

Caldecott Awards and Honor Books

- Alphabet City by Stephen Johnson
- Click, Clack, Moo by Doreen Cronin
- The Hello, Goodbye Window by Norton Juster and Chris Raschka
- Owen by Kevin Henkes