

5th Grade Summer Reading List

This summer, incoming 5th grade students are asked to read at least **TWO** of the following books.

Every student MUST read “The Trumpet of the Swan” by E.B. White.

Each student is to read **AT LEAST one other book** from the following list...

- *The Black Stallion* by Walter Farley
- *The BFG* by Roald Dahl
- *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis
- *Bloomability* by Sharon Creech
- *Aliens Ate My Homework* by Bruce Coville
- *Tuck, Everlasting* by Natalie Babbitt
- *The Hundred Dresses* by Elanor Estes
- *Heat* by Mike Lupica
- *The Tale of Despereaux* by Kate DiCamillo
- *The Lightning Thief* by Rick Riordan
- *The Egypt Game* by Zilpha Keatley Snyder
- *James and the Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl

Students will be required to take an AR Test during the first two weeks of school on “The Trumpet of the Swan” and the second book of their choice.