

**WESTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**Suggested Summer Reading List for Sharing, Reading Aloud, & Reading Alone**  
**Entering Fifth Grade**

Please enjoy books by any of the authors on this list.

**Poetry**

- Florian, Douglas
- Janeczko, Paul
- Lansky, Bruce
- Prelutsky, Jack
- Sierra, Judy
- Silverstein, Shel
- Viorst, Judith

**Fiction**

- Almond, David
- Anderson, Laurie Halse
- Balliett, Blue
- Bauer, J.
- Bearn, Emily
- Buyea, Rob
- Cleary, Beverly
- Clements, Andrew
- Coville, Bruce
- DiCamillo, Kate
- Dionne, Erin
- Draper, Sharon M
- DuPrau, Jeanne
- Farmer, Nancy
- Fleischman, Sid
- Gutman, Dan
- Hesse, Karen
- Hiaasen, Carl

- Holt, Kimberly Willis
- Ibbotson, Eva
- Law, Ingrid
- Lin, Grace
- Lord, Cynthia
- Lupica, Mike
- Martin, Ann
- Mass, Wendy
- Paterson, Katherine
- Peck, Richard
- Perkins, Mitali
- Pinkwater, Daniel
- Ryan, Pam Munoz
- Scieszka, Jon
- Smith R.
- Spinelli, Jerry
- Stewart, Trenton Lee
- Tarshis, Lauren
- Vanderpool, Clare
- Varon, Sara

**Nonfiction**

- Deem, James
- Siy, Alexandra
- Lavies, Bianca
- Doeden, Matt
- San Souci, Robert
- Barton, Chris

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**Nonfiction cont.**

- Farndon, John
- Ray, Deborah
- Jackson, Donna
- Schanzer, Rosalyn.
- Christopher, Matt

- Brown, Don
- Denenberg, Barry
- Tillage, Leon
- Jones, Charlotte
- Thimmesh, Catherine
- Kehret, Peg
- Kerley, Barbara

**Series**

*Al Capone*  
*Baseball Card Adventures*  
*Brotherband Chronicles*  
*Brotherband Chronicles*  
*Half Magic*  
*Heroes of Olympus*  
*Joey Pigza*  
*The Missing*  
*Percy Jackson and the Olympians*  
*Peter and the Starcatcher's Series*  
*Rangers Apprentice*  
*Redwall*  
*Seekers*  
*Underland Chronicles (Gregor)*  
*Warriors*

Choldenko, Gennifer  
Gutman, Dan  
Flanagan, John A.  
Eager, Edward  
Riordan, Rick  
Gantos, Jack  
Margaret Peterson Haddix  
Riordan, Rick  
Barry, Dave  
Flanagan, John A.  
Jacques, Brian  
Hunter, Erin  
Collins, Suzanne  
Hunter, Erin