

Recommended Elementary School Summer Reading List Savannah-Chatham County Public Schools

- A committee worked together to identify outstanding books that we would like students to read or be aware of at each grade level (K-5) based on the curriculum.
- Books on the list are recommended. Many titles have Accelerated Reader quizzes available for schools with Accelerated Reader.
- The purpose of the list is not to limit student reading. Students may select any books in their library to read for pleasure. Parents are strongly encouraged to be involved with their child's selection.
- More reading is also being demanded by the **Georgia Performance Standards**, which includes:
ELAR2 The student consistently reads a minimum of 25 books or book equivalents (approximately 1,000,000 words) each year from a variety of subject disciplines. The student reads both fiction and nonfiction texts related to various subject areas.
- Individual schools will notify their students about the details of how they wish to handle summer reading assignments. Schools choose a correlating summer assignment to complete with the reading.

Entering Second Grade Summer Reading List Savannah Chatham Public Schools

Author	Title
	<i>* Advanced</i>
Arnosky, Jim	<i>I See Animals Hiding</i>
Barracca, Debra	<i>The Adventures of Taxi Dog</i>
Brown, Marc	<i>*Arthur (chapter books)</i>
Cole, Joanna	<i>Magic School Bus Inside the Earth</i>
Coles, Robert	<i>The Story of Ruby Bridges</i>
de Regniers, Beatrice	<i>The Way I Feel...Sometimes</i>
Greenfield, Eloise	<i>For the Love of the Game</i>
Hendrick, Mary Jean	<i>If Anything Ever Goes Wrong at the Zoo</i>
Hopkins, Lee Bennett	<i>Best Friends: Poems</i>
Lobel, Anita	<i>The Dwarf Giant</i>
Lobel, Arnold	<i>Mouse Soup</i>
Marshall, James	<i>Miss Nelson Is Missing</i>
Numeroff, Laura	<i>If You Give a Mouse a Cookie</i>
Palmer, Joy	<i>Oceans</i>
Parish, Peggy	<i>*Amelia Bedelia (series)</i>
Park, Barbara	<i>*Junie B. Jones (series)</i>
Rockwell, Anne	<i>Our Stars</i>
Scieszka, Jon	<i>Squids Will Be Squids</i>
Sharmat, Marjorie Wineman	<i>Nate the Great</i>

Silverstein, Shel	<i>The Giving Tree</i>
Warner, Gertrude	<i>The Boxcar Children (series)</i>