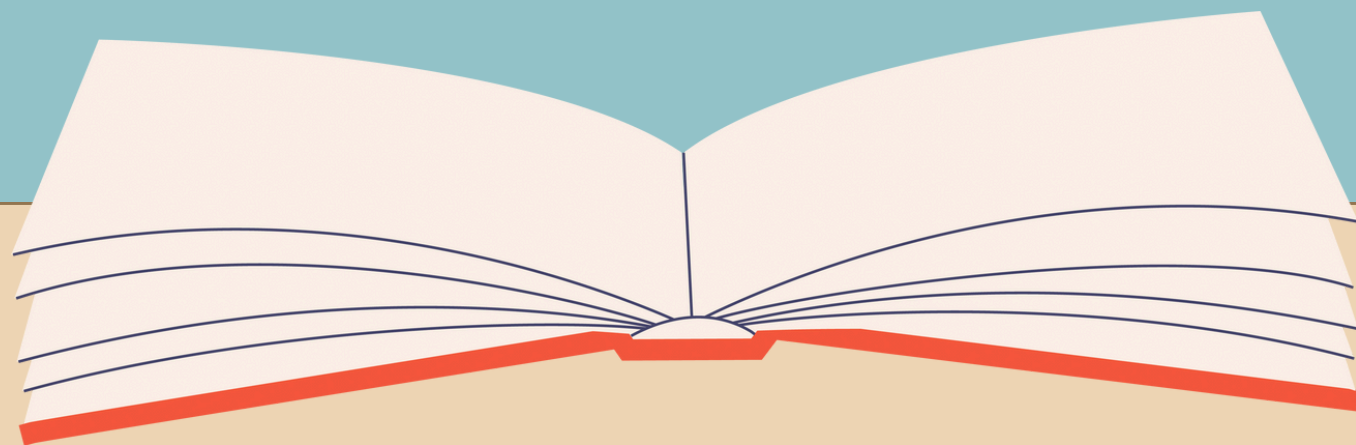


JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP

**SUMMER**

**READING**

GRADES 4 AND 5





# 4TH AND 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE SUMMER READING: ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

## THE READERS

All 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>  
Grade students,  
their friends and  
their families!

## THE PLAN

Seeing summer  
as an important  
time for students  
to *keep reading*!

## THE PURPOSE

Prevent the dreaded  
“summer slide”.

Build reading stamina  
and enjoyment.

Strengthen skills.

Boost confidence.



# SUMMER READING MADE EASY!

## FROM SCHOOL:

Use the provided book lists and activities to get on track and stay there all summer!

## AT HOME:

Find a quiet, comfy spot.

Read for 15–20 minutes a day.

Read alone, with someone or listen to an audio book.

## MAKING IT FUN:

Pair up with a friend and read the same book!

Visit the library a few times.

Talk about your book with a family member.





# SUMMER READING

## SUGGESTED GRADE LEVEL BOOK LISTS

Read at least one grade level appropriate chapter book of your choice. Make sure it is a book you have not read before. Click the links below to help you find one.

**ENTERING 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS BOOK LIST**



**ENTERING 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS BOOK LIST**



# SUGGESTED ASSIGNMENT

After you are done reading the book, identify two quotations in the book.

Print and use this sheet to complete the assignment below for each quote:

- Copy the quote exactly as it appears in your book– don't forget to use quotation marks!
- Write the page number(s) where the quote appears.
- Explain by answering the following questions:
  - Why did you choose this quote?
  - What does it mean?
  - Why do you think it is important to the book?

Please complete and hand in the assignment  
to your teacher by *Monday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025.*

Summer reading and assignments are optional and will not be graded.



**HAPPY READING!**

The image features a stylized illustration of books and a notebook. In the foreground, an open notebook with cream-colored pages and a red cover is shown. The pages have several curved lines indicating text. To the right, a green book is visible, and to the left, a pink book is partially seen. The background is a solid light purple color. The text 'HAPPY READING!' is written in a large, bold, black, sans-serif font across the center of the notebook pages.