



First Grade Summer Reading (rising 1st graders)

Required: The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
Library Mouse by Daniel Kirk

Recommended: Pickles, The Fire Cat by Esther Averill
Cloudy with a Chance of Meatball by Judi Barrett
"If you Give a..." books by Laura Numeroff
Are You My Mother? by P.D. Eastman
Sam and the Firefly by P.D. Eastman
Pete the Cat books by James Dean
Koala Lou by Mem Fox
Millions of Cats by Wanda Gag
Fox and His Friends by Edward Marshall
Katie's Sunday Afternoon by James Mayhew
Make Way for Ducklings by Robert McCloskey
Mrs. Watson Wants Your Teeth by Alison McGhee
Curious George books by H.A. Rey
Dr. Seuss books
Sylvester and the Magic Pebble by William Steig
Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by J. Viorst
Franklin In the Dark by Paulette and Clark Bourgeois
Magic School Bus books by Joanna Cole
Little Bear books by Elsie Minarik
Where the Sidewalk Ends by Shel Silverstein
Arthur books by Marc Brown
Fly Guy books by Tedd Arnold

If you have any questions you may reach me at rgraves@elcsmail.org Have a wonderful summer!
Rachel Graves

Summer Reading Response for Rising First Graders

1. List three books you read over the summer (from the required or recommended reading list)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

2. Draw a picture of your favorite book from this summer. Be prepared to share with your class.