

# CROSSROAD ACADEMY

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Dear Scorpion Family,

Summer is a wonderful time to enjoy quality time with family and friends. It is also an opportune time to read together and learn new information from books. When parents and guardians read with their children, they build language and new knowledge with their students. K-5 students will be expected to read a minimum of five books. Students in grades K-2 must complete a reading log. Students in grades three to five will complete a reading log and a book report for one of their summer reading selections.

### **Requires Reading (3-5 only)**

The required reading book should be brought to school with them on **the first day of school**. A homework grade will be issued for bringing the book to class. The scholar will be quizzed on the basic knowledge of the book and will receive a **QUIZ** grade on the first day of school. The test will be open book. After completing some classwork assignments, by the end of the first ten days of school the scholar will receive a more comprehensive *TEST*.

Sincerely,

Kevin E. Forehand  
Principal



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### **Summer Reading List Grades K -5**

#### **Kindergarten**

- I Like Me by Nancy Carlson
- Fire !Fire !by Gail Gibbons
- Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
- Are You My Mother? P. Eastman
- 26 Letters an 99 cents by Tana Hoban
- Ten Little Fish by Audrey Wood
- My Five Senses by Alikei
- It's Hard to be Five: Learning how to work my control panel by Jamie Lee Curtis
- When I Get Bigger by Mercer Mayer

#### **First Grade**

- Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by Judith Viorst
- If You Give a Mouse a Cookie by Laura Joffe Numeroff
- Make Way for Duckling by Robert McCloskey
- The True Story of the Three Little Pigs by John Scieska
- Stars Beneath Your Bed: The Surprising Story of Dust by April Pulley Sayre
- Mr. Poppers Penguins by Richard Florence Atwater

#### **Third Grade**

- Sarah, Plain and Tall by Patricia MacLachlan
- Class Clown by Johanna Hurwitz
- So You Want to be President by Judith St. George\*\*
- Living Color by Steve Jenkins
- Bloomability by Sharon Creech
- Wangari's Trees of Peace by Jeanette Winter
- Hoop Genius: How a Desperate Teacher and Rowdy Gym Class Invented Basketball by John Coy
- The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Clearly
- The Return of the Homework Machine by Dan Gutman

#### **Fourth Grade**

- Saving Lilly by Peg Kehret
- Poppy by Avi
- The Door to Time by Pierdomenico Baccalario
- A Week in the Woods by Andrew Clements
- Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O'dell\*\*
- Double Identity by Margaret Peterson Haddix
- Because of Anya by Margaret Peterson Haddix
- Flush by Carl Hiassen
- Lilly's Crossing by Patricia Beatty

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### Second Grade

- Stellalunaby by Jannell Cannon
- The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
- A Chair fir Mother by Vera B. Williams
- Frog and Toad Together by Arnold Lobel
- From Seed to Plant by Gail Gibbons
- Fly Away Home Eve Bunting
- Ready for Takeoff by Martin Bridge
- Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
- The Josefina Story Quilt by Eleanor Coerr

\*\* - Required Reading

### Fifth Grade

- Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson\*\*
- The Report Card by Andrew Clements
- Rules by Cynthia Lord
- The Secret Journey by Peg Kehert
- Crossing Jordan by Fogelin
- The Secret Garden by Frances Burnett
- Number the Stars by Lois Lowry
- Summer of the Monkeys by Wilson Rawls
- Sideways Stones from Wayside School by Louis Sachar