

# Ariel W. Holloway Elementary School

## Summer Reading List



Each student should read daily during summer break. Children that read more do better in school. Our goal is for each student to become a capable reader and to develop a love of reading. Please help us by doing the following:

- Encourage your child to read for at least thirty minutes a day.
- Allow your child to choose books that interest them, but encourage them to explore different authors/genres.
- Read with and to your child and talk to them about what they are reading.
- Attend programs sponsored by the local public library.

### Suggested Reading for Students Entering Kindergarten

Please choose from these titles for books to read aloud to your child.

Book	Author
Any title from the <i>Miss Bindergarten</i> series	Joseph Slate
Any title from the <i>Corduroy</i> series	Don Freeman
Any title from the <i>Five Little Monkeys</i> series	Eileen Christelow
Any title from the <i>Little Bill</i> series	Bill Cosby
Any title from the <i>Froggy</i> series	Jonathan London

### Required Summer Reading Titles for Grades 1-5

Grade	Title	Author
Students Entering 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	<i>Danny and the Dinosaur</i>	Syd Hoff
Students Entering 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	<i>Henry and Mudge and the Starry Night</i>	Cynthia Rylant
Students Entering 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Any title from the <i>Amelia Bedelia</i> series	Peggy Parish
Students Entering 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i>	Kate DiCamillo
Students Entering 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<i>Frindle</i>	Andrew Clements

**When students return to school after summer break, they will be expected to complete a project on their required summer reading book. This will count towards their 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Reading grade.**

**DOLCH BASIC SIGHT WORDS** - Please practice these sight words so your child can be better prepared to read on his/her grade level. Check websites such as [www.abcya.com](http://www.abcya.com) and [www.turtlediary.com](http://www.turtlediary.com) for interactive games your child can use for reinforcement.

<u>Preprimer</u>	<u>Primer</u>	<u>First Grade</u>	<u>Second Grade</u>	<u>Third Grade</u>
1. a	1. all	1. after	1. always	1. about
2. and	2. am	2. again	2. around	2. better
3. away	3. are	3. an	3. because	3. bring
4. big	4. at	4. any	4. been	4. carry
5. blue	5. ate	5. as	5. before	5. clean
6. can	6. be	6. ask	6. best	6. cut
7. come	7. black	7. by	7. both	7. cone
8. down	8. brown	8. could	8. buy	8. draw
9. find	9. but	9. every	9. call	9. drink
10. for	10. came	10. fly	10. cold	10. eight
11. funny	11. did	11. from	11. does	11. fall
12. go	12. do	12. give	12. don't	12. far
13. help	13. eat	13. going	13. fast	13. full
14. here	14. four	14. had	14. first	14. got
15. I	15. get	15. has	15. five	15. grow
16. in	16. good	16. her	16. found	16. hold
17. is	17. have	17. him	17. gave	17. hot
18. it	18. he	18. his	18. goes	18. hurt
19. jump	19. into	19. how	19. green	19. if
20. little	20. like	20. just	20. its	20. keep
21. look	21. must	21. know	21. made	21. kind
22. make	22. new	22. let	22. many	22. laugh
23. me	23. no	23. live	23. off	23. light
24. my	24. now	24. may	24. or	24. long
25. not	25. on	25. of	25. pull	25. much
26. one	26. our	26. old	26. read	26. myself
27. play	27. out	27. once	27. right	27. never
28. red	28. please	28. open	28. sing	28. only
29. run	29. pretty	29. over	29. sit	29. own
30. said	30. ran	30. put	30. sleep	30. pick
31. see	31. right	31. round	31. tell	31. seven
32. the	32. saw	32. some	32. their	32. shall
33. three	33. say	33. stop	33. these	33. show
34. to	34. she	34. take	34. those	34. six
35. two	35. so	35. thank	35. upon	35. small
36. up	36. soon	36. them	36. us	36. start
37. we	37. that	37. then	37. use	37. ten
38. where	38. there	38. think	38. very	38. today
39. yellow	39. they	39. walk	39. wash	39. together
40. you	40. this	40. were	40. which	40. try
	41. too	41. when	41. why	41. warm
	42. under		42. wish	
	43. want		43. work	
	44. was		44. would	
	45. well		45. write	
	46. went		46. your	
	47. what			
	48. white			
	49. will			
	50. with			
	51. yes			