



## **NFCS SUMMER READING LIST – FIFTH GRADE**



North Florida Christian School expects all students to read during the summer. Parents are encouraged to participate in this process by helping their child choose appropriate books to read. This suggested list for summer reading is not exclusive but attempts to provide choices for various reading abilities and interests. Books chosen to read should be chapter books and at or above the child's grade level. Children need guidance in selecting the right books.

Students entering the Fifth Grade should read a minimum of four (4) books during the summer. Each of these books must be chapter books and should be on their grade level. The book titles and author's names should be written at the bottom of this form. The attached form should be completed discussing one chapter book of your choice. The completed list and book form should be signed by a parent and submitted to the teacher on the first day of the new school year. Each child that turns in their summer reading the first week of school will participate in a celebration party with their class and receive a bonus reading test grade of 100.

<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Bonus Box! List any extra books you may have read.</b>
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2.		
3.		
4.		

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ 2023-2024 Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date Due: **August 11, 2023**

# NFCS Suggested Summer Reading List for Students Entering Fifth Grade

## Suggested Books:

*Little Men, Little Women* – Alcott

*Tuck Everlasting* – Babbitt

*Peter and the Star Catchers* – Barry

*Twenty and Ten* – Bishop

*The Name of this Book is Secret* – Bosch

*Help! I'm a Prisoner in the Library* – Clifford

*Jump Ship to Freedom* – Collier

*Bloomability* – Creech

*The Black Stallion* series – Farley

*Eleanor Roosevelt* – Freedman

*Old Yeller* – Gipson

*Narnia* series – Lewis

*Misty of Chincoteague* – Henry

*Missionary Biographies* – Jackson

*In the Northwoods* series – Johnson

*Big Red* and other animal stories – Kjelgaard

*McGee and Me, Wally McDoogle* – Myers

*Mrs. Frisby & Rats of NIMH* – O'Brien

*Wonderstruck* – Selznick

*Stuart Little* – White

*Homer Price* – McCloskey

*The Cay* – Taylor

*The Best School Year Ever* – Robinson

*Souder* – Armstrong

*National Velvet* – Bagnold

*The Wizard of Oz* – Baum

*Nathan Riggins Western* series – Bly

*Sports Fiction* series – Christopher

*Frindle, A Week in the Woods* – Clements

*The Adventures of Pinocchio* – Collodi

*Because of Winn Dixie* – Di Camillo

Biographies by Jean Fritz

*Blue Willow* – Gates

*The Phantom Tollbooth* – Luster

*Dear America* series – Gregory

*Sugar Creek Gang* series – Hutchins

*Red Rock Mysteries* – Jenkins

*Earthquake Terror* – Kehret

*Ben and Me* – Lawson

*Cooper Kids Adventures* – Peretti

*Pollyanna* – Porter

*Hobbit* – Tolkien

*Little House* series – Wilder

*The Borrowers* – Norton

*The Best Christmas Pageant Ever* – Robinson

*The Dog on Barkham Street* – Stolz

**NFCS Summer Reading Form**  
**Chapter Book**

(Please complete both sides on one book)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade 5

1. The title of my book was:

\_\_\_\_\_

2. The author of my book was:

\_\_\_\_\_

3. There were \_\_\_\_\_ pages in my book.

4. The main characters of my book were:

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

5. The setting of my books was: (where and when the story took place)

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6. The point of view of the story was in: (1<sup>st</sup> person, 3<sup>rd</sup> person)

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