

2024 Summer Reading List

The lazy days of summer are finally here! Curl up with a book on a rainy day. Dive into a new story on a hot day. Books challenge your mind and your perspective and keep you learning which are good things!

Remember I will be taking a grade for this in the fall, so pick three from the list that apply to you that you haven't read before, and write a paragraph summary for each one.



SOMETHING NEW-everyone needs to read the *asterisked* book on the list so that we can have a special "book club" day in the fall complete with refreshments and comfy couches. ;)



Enjoy your books!
Mrs. Ludwig

7-8 English

Jungle Book-Rudyard Kipling
Little Women-Louisa May Alcott
Little Men- Louisa May Alcott
A Girl of the Limberlost-Gene Stratton-Porter
Adventures of Tom Sawyer-Mark Twain
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland-Lewis Carroll
Voyage of the Dawn Treader C.S. Lewis
A Christmas Carol-Charles Dickens
Sophia's War-Avi
Secret Garden-Francis Hodgson Burnett
The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe-C.S. Lewis
The Yearling-Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings
Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court-Mark Twain
Anne of Green Gables-L. M. Montgomery (any in the series)
Johnny Tremain-Esther Forbes
Adam of the Road-Elizabeth Jane Gray
White Fang-Jack London
The Boy in the Striped Pajamas-John Boyne
Around the World in 80 Days-Jules Verne
Little Princess-Frances Hodgson Burnett
Wonder-R. J. Palacio
Rifles for Watie-Harold Keith
Caddie Woodlawn-Carol Ryrie Brink
From the Mixed Up File of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler-E.L. Konigsburg
Percy Jackson-The Lightning Thief-Rick Riordan
City of Ember-Jeanne DuPrau
The Magician's Nephew-C.S.Lewis
The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle-Avi
Castaways of the Flying Dutchman-Brian Jacques
Clockwork Sparrow-Katherine Woodfine
Murder at Midnight-Avi



9-10 English

The Boy Who Dared-Susan Campbell Bartoletti
(2) *Lorna Doone*-R.D. Blackmore
(2) *Ivanhoe*-Sir Walter Scott
Scarlet Pimpernel-Baroness Orczy
Great Expectations-Charles Dickens
The Black Arrow-Robert Louis Stevenson
Captains Courageous- Rudyard Kipling
(2)*North and South*-Elizabeth Gaskell
A Study in Scarlet-Arthur Conan Doyle
Deerslayer-James Fenimore Cooper
A Night to Remember-Walter Lord
David Copperfield-Charles Dickens(2)
Emma-Jane Austen
Wuthering Heights-Emily Bronte
Out of the Silent Planet-C.S.Lewis
The Hobbit-J.R.R. Tolkien
Treasure Island-Robert Louis Stevenson
The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde- Robert Louis Stevenson
Murder on the Orient Express-Agatha Christie
And Then There Were None-Agatha Christie
The Hiding Place-Corrie Ten Boom
The Best Short Stories of O'Henry-Modern Library
Romeo and Juliet-(2) Shakespeare
Ender's Game-Orson Scott Card
The False Prince-Jennifer A. Nielson
Hound of the Baskervilles-Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
Lord of the Rings-Fellowship of the Ring-J.R.R. Tolkein
Rebecca-Daphne Du Maurier
The Blackthorn Key-Kevin Sands

11-12 English

20,000 Leagues Under The Sea-Jules Verne
The Scarlet Letter-Nathaniel Hawthorne
The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe-Daniel Defoe
Sense and Sensibility-Jane Austen
Persuasion-Jane Austen
(2)*Pride and Prejudice*-Jane Austen
Mere Christianity C.S. Lewis
A Grief Observed C.S. Lewis
Oliver Twist-Charles Dickens
(2)*Count of Monte Cristo*-Alexandre Dumas
Silas Marner-George Eliot
The Picture of Dorian Gray-Oscar Wilde
Great Expectations-Charles Dickens (2)
Hamlet-William Shakespeare(2)
Northanger Abbey-Jane Austen
To Kill a Mockingbird-Harper Lee
Importance of Being Earnest-Oscar Wilde
Frankenstein-Mary Shelley
Night-Elie Wiesel
Boys in the Boat-Daniel James Brown
The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie-Alan Bradley
Fahrenheit 451-Ray Bradbury
Unbroken-Laura Hillenbrand
The Last of the Breed-Louis L'Amour
The Greatest Generation-Tom Brokaw
Killing Lincoln-Bill O'Reilly
I Must Betray You-Ruth Sepetys
The Pursuit of God-A.W. Tozer
The Woman in White-Wilkie Collins

