



Elizabeth Ann Clune Montessori School of Ithaca Upper Level Summer 2019 Reading List

At EAC we encourage children to read over the summer to create a reading habit and encourage a love of books. We are asking Upper Level students to read at least five books this summer. They should select three books from the list below and two more of their choice. Novel selections for the 2019-2020 year are noted on the booklist so that students do not read those over the summer!

FIRST YEAR UPPER LEVEL STUDENTS should choose at least 3 books from this list:

Endling: The Last

Lu

Bob

Inkling

The Season of Styx Malone

Cicada

Saving Winslow

Iggie's House

Crenshaw

In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson

Black Star, Bright Dawn

The Trouble with Tuck

Poppy

Poppy and Rye

Ragweed

Abel's Island

The Magician's Elephant

The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane

Trumpet of the Swan

Katherine Applegate

Jason Reynolds

Wendy Mass

Kenneth Oppel

Kekla Magoon

Shaun Tan

Sharon Creech

Judy Blume

Katherine Applegate

Bette Lord

Scott O'Dell

Theodore Taylor

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William Steig

Kate DiCamillo

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E. B. White

We will make novel selections for the year from the following list. **Please do not read these books:**

My Side of the Mountain

The Birchbark House

Jean Craighead George

Louise Erdrich

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Freedom Train
Chains
Shiloh
Pigs Might Fly

Dorothy Sterling
Laurie Halse Anderson
Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
Dick King Smith

SECOND YEAR UPPER LEVEL STUDENTS should choose at least 3 books from this list:

Rain Reign
Ruth and the Green Book
The Lions of Little Rock
The Parker Inheritance
Finding Langston
The Unteachables
The Watsons Go To Birmingham
Louisiana's Way Home
The Miscalculations of Lightning Girl
Ghost
Sylvia and Aki
Full Cicada Moon
Maniac Magee
Red Scarf: A Memoir
Tuck Everlasting
The Invention of Hugo Cabret
Journey to the Center of the Earth
Elijah of Buxton
Gingersnap
A Long Walk to Water
A Simple Shard
Journey to Topaz

Ann Martin
Calvin Ramsey
Kristin Levine
Varian Johnson
Lesa Cline-Ransome
Gordon Korman
Christopher Paul Curtis
Kate DiCamillo
Stacy McAnulty
Jason Reynolds
Winifred Conklin
Marilyn Hilton
Jerry Spinelli
Ji-Li Jiang
Natalie Babbitt
Brian Selznik
Jules Verne
Christopher Paul Curtis
Patricia Reilly Griff
Linda Sue Park
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Yoshiko Uchida

We will make novel selections for the year from the following list. **Please do not read these books:**

Island of the Blue Dolphins
Number the Stars
Bridge to Terabithia
The Wanderer
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry
Selections by Madeline L'Engle
Antarctica, Journey to the Pole
Stepping on the Cracks
The Liberation of Gabriel King
The Mighty Miss Malone
Stella by Starlight

Scott O'Dell
Lois Lowry
Katherine Paterson
Sharon Creech
Mildred Taylor

Peter Lerangis
Mary Downing Hahn
K. L. Going
Christopher Paul Curtis
Sharon Draper

THIRD YEAR UPPER LEVEL STUDENTS should choose at least 3 books from this list:

Piecing Me Together
The Science of Breakable Things
Hello Universe
Breakout
Ivy Aberdeen's Letter to the World
The Collectors
So Tall Within
One Crazy Summer
The Crossover
Inside Out and Back Again
Amal Unbound
The Night Diary
The Front Desk
Darius the Great Is Not Okay
The Journey of Little Charlie
Ghost Boys
The Red Pencil
Chain of Fire
Gracefully Grayson
George
Out of Mind
A Little Piece of Ground
Ronia, the Robber's Daughter
The Drummer Boy of Vicksburg
Which Way Freedom
The Witch of Blackbird Pond
Ella Enchanted
Storyteller
The Cross of Lead
The Fighting Ground

Renee Watson
Tae Keller
Erin Entrada Kelly
Kate Messner
Ashley Herring Blake
Jacqueline West
Gary Schmidt
Rita Williams-Garcia
Kwame Alexander
Thanhha Lai
Aisha Saeed
Veera Hiranandani
Kelly Young
Adib Khorram
Christopher Paul Curtis
Jewell Parker Rhodes
Andrea Davis Pinkney
Beverley Naidoo
Ami Polonsky
Alex Gino
Sharon Draper
Elizabeth Laird
Astrid Lindgren
G. Clipson Wisler
Joyce Hansen
Elizabeth George Speare
Gail Carson Levine
Patricia Reilly Griff
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We will make novel selections for the year from the following list. **Please do not read these books:**

If I Just Had Two Wings
A Tale of Two Castles
The Door in the Wall
The Midwife's Apprentice
Dealing with Dragons
Zeeley
Any title by

Virginia Frances Schwartz
Gail Carson Levine
Marquerite de Angeli
Karen Cushman
Patricia C. Wrede
Virginia Hamilton
Virginia Hamilton

Following My Own Footsteps
Wintering
Slave Dancer
Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy
Red Thunder
Constance
Fire, Bed and Bone
Romeo and Juliet or Julius Caesar
Esperanza Rising
Souder

Mary Downing Hahn
William Durbin
Paula Fox
Gary D. Schmidt
John P. Hunter
Patricia Clapp
Henrietta Branford
Shakespeare
Pam Nunoz Ryan
William H. Armstrong

If you like to read books in a series, these might interest.

The Last Dragon Chronicles
The Oz Collection
Percy Jackson and the Olympians
Heroes of the Olympians
The Mysterious Benedict Society
The 39 Clues
Emily Windsnap Series
Wolves of the Beyond
Guardians of Ga'Hoole

Chris d'Lacey
Frank Baum
Rick Riordan
Rick Riordan
Trenton Lee Stewart
Rick Riordan
Liz Kessler
Kathryn Lasky
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