

GPS Summer Reading 2018

Grades Two and Three

Media Specialists Recommend...

- [Flora and Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures](#) by Kate DiCamillo
- [Owen and Maze: The True Story of a Remarkable Friendship](#) by Isabella Hatkoff
- [Lunch Lady and the Cyborg Substitute](#) by Jarrett J. Krosoczka
- [Bon Appetit! The Delicious Life of Julia Child](#) by Jessie Hartland
- [Whoosh! Lonnie Johnson's Super Soaking Stream of Inventions](#) by Chris Barton
- [In Aunt Lucy's Kitchen](#) by Cynthia Rylant
- [Jake and Lily](#) by Jerry Spinelli
- [White Fur Flying](#) by Patricia MacLachlan
- [The Year of Billy](#) by Kevin Henkes
- [Jedi Academy](#) by Jeffrey Brown
- [The Trouble with Chickens](#) by Doreen Cronin
- [Balloons Over Broadway](#) by Melissa Sweet
- [The Story of Ursula and Flea](#) by Mo Willems

Authors Worth Checking Out

- Kevin Henkes
- Patricia Polacco
- Andrew Clements
- Kate DiCamillo
- Ursula Vernon
- Bill Wallace
- Jennifer Holm
- Dan Gutman

Favorite Series...

- Ivy and Bean by Annie Barrows
- Roscoe Riley by Katherine Applegate
- Ranger in Time by Kate Messner
- Clementine by Sarah Pennypacker
- Mercy Watson by Kate DiCamillo
- Flat Stanley by Jeffrey Brown
- Mallory by Laurie Friedman

Oldies but Goodies

- [Strega Nona](#) by Tomi dePola
- [Magic Tree House](#) by Mary Pope Osborne
- [Riding Freedom](#) by Pam Munoz Ryan
- [The Mouse and the Motorcycle](#) by Beverly Cleary
- [Tales of a 4th Grade Nothing](#) by Judy Blume

Additional Info and Links...

Be sure to check out the summer reading programs being sponsored by the local libraries, too.

- [Caldecott](#)
- [Nutmeg Award](#)
- [Charter Oak Children's Book Award](#)
- [100 Best Children's Books](#) (from Time Magazine)