

GPS Summer Reading 2018

Kindergarten and Grade One

Media Specialists Recommend...

- The Day the Crayons Quit by Drew Daywalt
- Dogku by Andrew Clements
- Max's Words by Kate Banks
- On a Beam of Light: A Story of Albert Einstein by Jennifer Berne and Vlamir Radunsky
- The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse by Eric Carle
- Chowder by Peter Brown
- Fly Guy by Ted Arnold
- Bink and Gollie by Kate DiCamillo
- Miracle Mud: Lena Blackburne and the Secret Mud that Changed Baseball by David A. Kelly and Oliver Dominguez
- I Want My Hat Back by Jon Klassen
- Exclamation Mark by Amy Krause Rosenthal
- You Read to Me, I'll Read to You by Mary Ann Hoberman
- Actual Size By Steve Jenkins
- Me Jane by Patrick McDonnell

Authors Worth Checking Out

- Peter Brown
- Amy Krause Rosenthal
- John Rocco
- Steve Jenkins
- Jerry Pinkney
- Oliver Jeffers
- Andrea Beaty & David Roberts
- Kathryn Otoshi
- John Himmelman

Favorite Series...

- Elephant and Piggie by Mo Willems
- Biscuit by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
- Angelina Ballerina by Katharine Holabird
- Olivia by Ian Falconer
- Fancy Nancy by Jane O'Connor
- Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant
- Ordinary People Change the World
- Katy Duck by Alyssa Satin Capucilli
- Just Grace by Charise Harper

Oldies but Goodies

- Tacky the Penguin by Helen Lester
- Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus
- Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak
- Sally Ann Thunder Ann Whirlwind Crockett by Steven Kellog
- Danny the Dinosaur by Syd Hoff
- Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant

Additional Info and Links...

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

- [Caldecott Award](#)
- [Nutmeg Award](#)
- [Charter Oak Children's Book Award](#)
- [Geisel Award](#)