

## Summer Reading Requirements for incoming 1<sup>st</sup> graders

- Read a minimum of four books, choosing from various genres and authors. Similar level books and books from higher grade levels may be chosen by students with parent's approval.
- Students are to keep a record of books that are read during the summer. Forms are available at the main office. Each reading entry needs to be initialed by a parent. Forms are to be brought to the child's teacher the first week of school.

Please keep in mind that this book list is only a suggestion. Students may substitute books which are not on the list, or choose from books on an upper grade level's list.

Books should be read independently by the student.

Reading is such an important part of life. With it we can learn God's truth in His Word. We can also explore the world without ever leaving the house.

Have some fun this summer and spend some time at your local library!



[www.MyPublicLibrary.com](http://www.MyPublicLibrary.com)



[www.lvccld.org](http://www.lvccld.org)

### Family Reading Time

Take time to read to your child. They are never too old to hear a book read aloud. Open up God's Word together as a family and see what the Lord would have for you!



## Calvary Chapel Green Valley Christian Academy Summer Reading Program



*Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it."*

*Proverbs 22:6*

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## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Book Suggestions

- How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight? By Jane Yolen & Mark Teague
- Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale by Mo Willems
- Arthur by Marc Brown
- The Velveteen Rabbit by Margery Williams
- The Little Red Hen by Paula Galdone
- The Mitten by Alvin Tresselt
- Are You My Mother? By Phillip Eastman
- Caps for Sale by Esphyr Sloodkina
- Frog Prince by Sindy McKay
- A Kiss for Little Bear by Minarik/Sendak
- Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown
- Fox in Socks by Dr. Suess
- Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Suess
- Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus
- The Best Nest by P.D. Eastman
- Curious George (series) by Margaret Rey

- Brown Bear, Brown Bear, what do you see? By Bill Martin
- Diary of a Worm by Doreen Cronin
- Clifford the Big Red Dog (series) by Norman Bridwell
- Duck on a Bike by David Shannon
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
- The Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister
- There's a Wocket in my Pocket by Dr. Suess
- The Little Red Hen by Jerry Pinkney
- Three Billy Goats Gruff by Marcia Brown
- The Mitten by Jan Brett
- The Snowy Day by Ezra Keats
- Corduroy by Don Freeman
- Make Way for Ducklings by Robert McCloskey
- The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle
- Where the Wild Things Are by Maurice Sendak
- Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type by Doreen Cronin

- Frog and Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel
- Owl Moon by Jane Yolen
- Yo! Yes! By Chris Rashka
- If You Give a Mouse a Cookie by Laura Numeroff
- Llama Llama Mat at Mama by Anna Dewdner
- My Lucky Day by Keiko Kesza
- Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus-Mo Willems
- The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
- There is a Bird on Your Head by Mo Willems
- Widget by Lyn Rossiter
- Max's Words by Kate Banks
- The Apple Pie that Papa Baked by Lauren Thompson
- Bear Snores On by Karma Wilson
- The Dot by Peter Reynolds
- I Wish I Had Duck Feet by Theo LeSeig