

## KCA Summer Reading Challenge

Reading and writing are fundamental parts of learning! This shouldn't stop just because school is out for the summer! We want to encourage all of our students to keep their nose in a book, a pencil in their hand, and their minds sharp.

In addition to their required summer reading assignment, we are offering a special summer reading challenge! This is a fun stress-free challenge for your student to complete if they choose to. There are different reading and writing challenges for them to complete throughout the months of June and July.

Below are a few suggestions to make reading fun for your student:

1. Encourage them to read books that they like.
2. Keep a reading log of all the different books that they are reading. It will be exciting to watch the list grow!
3. Have them read to their younger siblings.
4. Improve your reading skills by practicing everyday!
5. Return your completed Reading Charts between August 7-14 and earn **SPECIAL PRIZES!!**

We cannot wait to learn about all the different books that everyone reads this summer! Surely, some new favorites will be found!

### Looking for book recommendations? Just ask KCA Teachers!

Ms. Holly - Anne of Green Gables by Lucy Maud Montgomery  
Mrs. Seanna - The Magic Treehouse Series by Mary Pope Osbourne  
Mrs. Twine - The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins  
Mrs. Penninger - Junie B. Jones by Barbara Park  
Miss Brown - Among the Hidden - by Margaret Peterson Haddix  
Ms. Sterns - The Little Critter Series - by Mercer Mayer  
Mrs. Stephenson - Sideways Stories from Wayside School by Louis Sachar  
Mrs. Elmore - How to Eat Fried Worms - by Thomas Rockwell  
Mrs. Overman - The Magicians Nephew - by C. S. Lewis  
Mrs. Allen - Holes - by Louis Sachar  
Ms. Herman - Number the Stars - by Lois Lowry  
Coach Lewis - the Secret School - by Avi  
Mrs. Lucinda - Little House on the Prairie by Laura Ingall's Wilder  
Mrs. Wolf - The Hiding Place - by Corrie Ten Boom  
Mrs. Cornelson - The Series of Unfortunate Events - by Lemony Snicket

**\*\*See back of page for REQUIRED Summer Reading Books\*\***

# June Summer Reading Challenge

## 2024-25 Required Summer Reading

1st grade - No specific book required.

2nd grade - A Pocket Full of Kisses by Audrey Penn

3rd grade - Because of Winn Dixie by Kate DiCamillo

4th grade - Shiloh by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

5th grade - The Magician's Nephew by C. S. Lewis

6th grade - Holes by Louis Sachar

7th grade - Restart by Gordon Korman

8th grade - A Long Walk to Water by Linda Sue Park

Read with a family member!



Read in the library!



Draw a picture of something that happened in your book.



Read your friend's favorite book!

Write about your favorite place to read.



Read in the car (even if it's not raining)



Read by the water (pool, beach, pond, creek, etc.)



















Read on a rainy day



# June Summer Reading Challenge

Please read any book of your choice for at least 20 minutes per day. Each square equals one day of reading. Draw an X over each square as you complete the challenge. Cross off at least one square under each letter to spell the word "read".

R	E	A	D
 <p>Read a book involving a mystery!</p>	 <p>Read a new book!</p>	 <p>Read with a friend!</p>	<p>Write what you liked or didn't like about one of the books you read.</p> 
 <p>Read a story about an animal!</p>	<p>Write a different ending for one of the books read this month.</p> 	<p>Read to a stuffed animal or pet!</p> 	<p>Read an old favorite!</p> 
<p>Read with a family member!</p> 	<p>Read in the library!</p> 	<p>Draw a picture of something that happened in your book.</p> 	 <p>Read your friend's favorite book!</p>
<p>Write about your favorite place to read.</p> 	<p>Read in the car (even if it's not moving)</p> 	<p>Read by the water (pool, beach, pond, creek, etc.)</p> 	<p>Read on a rainy day</p> 



# JUNE



















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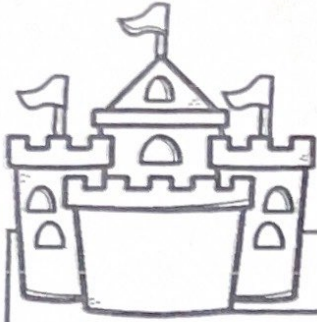
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# July Summer Reading Challenge

Please read any book of your choice for at least 20 minutes per day. Each square equals one day of reading. Draw an X over each square as you complete the challenge. Cross off at least one square under each letter to spell the word "read".

R	E	A	D
 <p>Draw a picture of the villain in your book</p>	<p>Read a nonfiction book!</p> 	<p>Read with a friend!</p> 	<p>Read a book recommended from a KCA teacher!</p> 
<p>Read a fairytale or superhero book!</p> 	 <p>Write about the main character from your book showing up at your front door.</p>	 <p>Read a grown up's favorite book when they were kids!</p>	<p>Read in your bed!</p> 
 <p>Read any chapter book!</p>	<p>Read to a grandparent/older person</p> 	<p>Write about what you liked or didn't like about your book.</p> 	<p>Read on a swing</p> 
 <p>Read with a flashlight!</p>	<p>Read in a blanket fort!</p> 	 <p>Read outside!</p>	 <p>Write about helping the main character in your book.</p>



# JULY



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