

SCBCS 2020 Summer Reading: Rising 4th Grade

Instructions: Students should read *a minimum of five books*. Two books are required and maybe counted towards the 5 minimum book count. These books may include selections from the provided grade level book list or other appropriate favorites.

Please list the titles of the books your student reads, on the Reading Log provided in the packet. Your teacher will collect the Reading Log on **Friday, August 21st**.

The required books listed below are to be read by the beginning of the school year. We will use these books as the first literature unit.

Required Reading

Title: The Hundred Dresses by Eleanor Estes

Title: Who was Sacagawea? by Dennis B. Fradin
(Complete the attached writing assignment- 1 page)

Required Writing Assignment: The Sacagawea Sentinel

Sacagawea is a remarkable figure in our history. She helped the Lewis and Clark Expedition in achieving their mission of exploring the Louisiana Territory and so much more.

Pretend you are Sacagawea and you were asked to write about your life in the Sentinel Newspaper. Make sure to brainstorm your ideas on a separate piece of paper. Then, order your ideas in chronological order. Don't forget since you are pretending that this is you, make sure to include pronouns like I, me, my, we, etc..

Recommended Reading List for Fourth Grade

1. The Magician's Elephant by Katie DiCamillo
2. Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume
3. The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe (Chronicles of Narnia) by C.S. Lewis
4. James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl
5. Jumanji by Chris Van Allsburg
6. The Toothpaste Millionaire by Jean Merrill
7. Wonder by R. J. Palacio
8. Long Shot: Never Too Small To Dream Big by Chris Paul
9. The Call of the Wild by Jack London
10. The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverley Cleary
11. Race the Wild: Rain Forest Relay by Kristin Earhart
12. Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets by JK Rowling
13. Because of Winn Dixie by Katie DiCamillo
14. Quarterback Comeback by Jake Maddox

Any (Broken) Fairy Tale book series by Liesly Shurtliff

Any Magic Treehouse book series by Mary Osborne Pope

Any The Baby Sitters Club book series by Ann M. Martin

Any The Diary of a Wimpy Kid book series by Jeff Kinney

*Non-Fiction Titles:

1. The Great Houdini by Monica Kulling
2. We'll Never Forget You, Roberto Clemente by Trudie Engel
3. Who is Michael Jordan? by Kirsten Anderson
4. Pop! The Invention of Bubble Gum by Meghan McCarthy

Any I Survived book series by Lauren Tarshis

