

FPDS

Welcome to First Grade at FPDS!

We know you are looking forward to a summer filled with family activities. Our hope and prayer would be that you would make special time to read this summer. We would like to partner with you in encouraging your child to read this summer. Our goal is to encourage the enjoyment of reading and to acquaint students with a variety of authors. We would like your child to read **TWO** books independently from the list below this summer. You may find these at your local library, on Amazon, or any other book stores.

Biscuit Goes to School by Alyssa Satin Capucilli

Rick is Sick by David M. McPhail

Big Brown Bear by David M. McPhail

Big Pig and Little Pig by David M. McPhail

Below you will find an extra list of suggested titles that your child might enjoy reading. These books **are not required**, but simply suggestions as many of you seek to find books at the appropriate level for additional practice. As you read with your child this summer, please fill in the reading log that is attached. Please turn in the reading log on the first day of school.

Books Beginning Readers Typically Enjoy Reading:

- Greenlight Readers by a variety of popular authors
- Brand New Readers Series by Candlewick Press
- Books with repetitive texts such as Brown Bear, Brown Bear or Five Little Ducks

Beginning Chapter Books:

- Henry and Mudge (series) by Cynthia Rylant
- Frog and Toad (series) by Arnold Label
- Fox and His Friends (series) by Edward Marshall
- Amanda Pig (series) by Jean Van Leeuwen
- Little Bear (series) by Else Minarik

More Challenging Books First Graders Typically Enjoy:

- Cam Jansen (series) by David Adler
- Nate the Great (series) by Marjorie Sharmat
- Magic Tree House (series) by Mary Pope Osborne

We also would like for you to review the MEMORY WORDS that your child learned in Kindergarten by practicing spelling them several times on paper. Your child will have a WRITTEN ASSESSMENT on these words during the first week of school. In addition, we ask that you also review the Sight Words from the Dolche Word List your child learned in Kindergarten. Your child will have an ORAL READING assessment of these words the first full week of school.

MEMORY WORDS

a	the	no	put	like	you	I	of	for	to	said
was	saw	any	with	do	has	is	all	two	out	on
see										

DOLCHE WORD LIST

a	and	big	can	for	go	help	I	in	is
it	jump	make	me	not	red	run	said	see	the
to	two	up	we	you	all	am	at	be	black
but	did	do	get	into	like	must	no	on	out
ran	saw	too	under	want	was	well	went	will	with
yes	an	ask	as	had	has	her	him	his	just
let	of	put	stop	best	fast	its	off	pull	sit
tell	us	cut	got	hot	if	long	pick	six	ten

REMINDER! YOU CAN CONTINUE TO ACCESS SUPERKIDS ONLINE FUN THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER. WE SUGGEST GOING BACK AND REREADING THE STORIES YOUR CHILD HAS READ IN KINDERGARTEN ONLINE.

Have a wonderful summer and HAPPY READING!

The First Grade Teachers



Summer Reading Log

Title

Author

#of pages/
minutes

Parent
Initials

