



Fourth Grade Summer Reading List

“There once as a world where everyone loved books, even the animals. Everyone loved to read so much that when they read their books, they became what they read. When they closed their books, they became themselves again...only smarter.”

The World that Loved Books by Stephen Parlato

Reading good literature can open the mind to the imagination and allow you to explore new places and new ideas. It gives you the opportunity to learn and grow. In the grammar school at Libertas we want to instill the love of reading great literature by recommending books that ignite the imagination in our students. Summer is a great time to read books and continue learning while we are taking a formal break from school. Provided below is a list of books. Please choose one book from this list for your child to read. Please list the book read on the line below and sign this paper. You can return it to your child’s teacher either Ice Cream Social night or the first day of school. This will be counted as an assignment for first quarter.

<i>Wizard of Oz</i>	L. Frank Baum
<i>Freddy the Pig</i> +	Walter R. Brooks
<i>Prince Caspian</i> (Encouraged: 4 th grade reads <i>Voyage of the Dawn Treader</i>)	C.S. Lewis
<i>The Lion, the Witch, & the Wardrobe</i>	C.S. Lewis
(If you are a student new to LCS and have not read previously)	
<i>Ballet Shoes</i> +	Noel Streatfield
<i>The Penderwicks</i> +	Jeanne Birdsall
<i>Charlie & the Chocolate Factory</i>	Roald Dahl
<i>Rwendigo Tales</i> +	J. A. Myhre
<i>Mary Poppins</i> +	P.L. Travers
<i>Redwall</i> +	Brian Jacques
<i>Henry and the Chalk Dragon</i>	Jennifer Trafton
<i>Prairie School</i> +	Louis Lenski
<i>The Green Ember</i> +	S.D. Smith
<i>Raffie on the Run</i>	Jacqueline Resnick
<i>King of the Wind</i>	Margaret Henry
<i>The Tale of Despereaux</i>	Kate DiCamillo
<i>Precious Ramotswe Mysteries for Young Readers</i> +	Alexander McCall Smith
<i>School Ship Tobermory</i> Alexander	McCall Smith
<i>The Book of Three</i> +	Lloyd Alexander
<i>Some Writer! The Story of E.B. White</i>	Melissa Sweet
<i>Rats, Bulls, and Flying Machines</i>	Deborah M. Prum
<i>Finding Narnia: The Story of C.S. Lewis and his Brother</i>	Caroline McAlister

+ Indicates books that can be read in a series

Book Title: _____

Print Student’s Name: _____

Parent’s Signature: _____