

St. Catherine of Siena School  
Summer Reading Lists: Summer 2010  
Course Reading: 2010-2011 School Year

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Concerned Adults:

On the following pages you will find the books for summer reading, divided by grade level. Additionally, the books that students will read in class during the school year (“course reading”) are also included.

This document has several pages. Continue to scroll down until you find the page that corresponds to your student’s grade level for the 2010-2011 school year.

Thank you,

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## Entering Fourth Grade

### Summer Reading

Read two of the following books.

Title	Author
Magic Tree House Series	
Nancy Drew Series	
Mr. Poppers Penguins	Atwater
Cover Up	John Feinstein
Spiderwick Chronicles	
Fourth Grade Rats	Spinelli
War with Grandpa	Smith
The Whipping Boy	S. Fleischman
Meanest Doll in the World	Martin
Little House Books	Laura Ingalls Wilder
Old Yeller	Gibson
Double Fudge	Judy Blume
Technical Foul	Wallace
Wishbone Books	Strickland and Tuller
Boxcar Children Series	
Skinnybones Series	
Lunch Money	Clements
The Wheel on the School	DeLong
Matt Christopher Books	Matt Christopher
Family Under the Bridge	Carlson
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	R. Dahl
Herbie Jones Moves On	Kline
Encyclopedia Brown	S. Donald
The Lucky Stone	L. Clifton
Number the Stars	Lowry
The Cricket in Times Square	Seldon
The Library Card	Spinelli
Wringer	Spinelli

### Course Reading

These books are required and will be read in class during the school year.

Title	Author
Island of the Blue Dolphins	Scott O'Dell
Stuart Little	E.B. White
The Tale of Despereaux	Kate DiCamillo

## **Entering Fourth Grade Summer Reading Activities**

Please choose two different activities for the two books you read.

1. Compare and contrast two characters in a story
2. Make a flow chart of all the important events in the book.
3. Make a book jacket with an inside summary.
4. Pretend that you are the main character and retell the story