



SUMMER READING

Entering 1st Grade BOOKLIST & PROJECT

Read **THREE** books from the Summer Reading list below. After reading the chosen three books, choose **ONE** book you read to complete your Summer Reading Project. Your summer reading project is due the first week of class and yields a quiz grade.



Harry the Dirty Dog—Gene Zion

Join Harry, the little white dog with black spots, who likes everything, except...getting a bath. When bath day comes, he runs off for a day of adventure, becoming dirtier and dirtier until he is a black dog with white spots! When he returns home, his family does not recognize him. How will he show them that he is their beloved Harry? Children will love to read this charming story over and over. – Amazon.com description



Fancy Nancy—I Can Read Beginning 1 Series

Meet Nancy, who believes that more is ALWAYS better when it comes to being fancy. She loves to wear fancy clothes, play with fancy toys, and most of all, use fancy words! But everyone in her family is just the opposite. From the top of her tiara down to her sparkly studded shoes, Nancy is determined to teach her family a thing or two about being fancy.

How Nancy transforms her parents and little sister for one enchanted evening makes for a story that is funny and warm—with or without the frills. This heartwarming story emphasizes the importance of family and the power of self-expression.

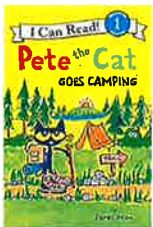
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Amelia Bedelia—I Can Read Beginning 1 Series

Ever wondered what the classic American children's book character Amelia Bedelia was like as a child? With a brightly colored, easy-carry handle and a Velcro-tabbed cover, this little suitcase includes five Level 1 I Can Read stories featuring young Amelia Bedelia, perfect for children learning to sound out words and sentences.

– Amazon.com description



Pete the Cat—I Can Read Beginning 1 Series

In Pete the Cat Goes Camping, Pete can't wait to go hiking, fishing, and eat s'mores by the campfire. But when he hears about the mysterious creature named Bigfoot, Pete can't help but wonder: Is Bigfoot real? Kids love exploring the outdoors, and they're sure to enjoy this funny story about Pete the Cat going camping for the first time (and overcoming his small fears). – Amazon.com description

Summer Reading Project:

After reading the chosen three books, your child is to pick their favorite one and draw a picture of the book, and tell their favorite part of the book.

On the first Friday of the new school year, they will need to be prepared to give a minute talk about their chosen book, dressed as a character from the book. This assignment will yield a quiz grade for your student.