



# SUMMER READING

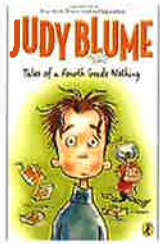
## Entering 4th Grade BOOKLIST

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.



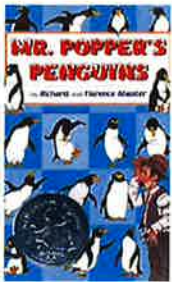
### **Wonder—R.J. Palacio**

August Pullman was born with a facial difference that, up until now, has prevented him from going to a mainstream school. Starting 5th grade at Beecher Prep, he wants nothing more than to be treated as an ordinary kid—but his new classmates can't get past Auggie's extraordinary face. Beginning from Auggie's point of view and expanding to include his classmates, his sister, and others, the perspectives converge to form a portrait of one community's struggle with empathy, compassion, and acceptance. This is a refreshing new narrative full of heart and hope. — Amazon.com description



### **Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing—Judy Blume**

Two is a crowd when Peter and his little brother, Fudge, are in the same room. Grown-ups think Fudge is absolutely adorable, but Peter and his pet turtle, Dribble, know the truth. From throwing temper tantrums to smearing mashed potatoes on the wall, Fudge causes mischief wherever he goes! — Amazon.com description



### **Mr. Popper's Penguins—Florence and Richard Atwater**

It was hard enough for Mr. Popper to support himself, Mrs. Popper, Bill, and Janie Popper. The addition of 12 penguins to the family made it impossible to make ends meet. Then Mr. Popper had a splendid idea—the talented penguins would be a sensation on the stage. And so they were.... A classic of American humor, this story of a gentle house painter and his high-stepping penguins has delighted children for generations. — Amazon.com description



### **The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle— Hugh Lofting**

Doctor Dolittle heads for the high seas in perhaps the most amazing adventure ever experienced by man or animal! Told by 9-and-a-half-year-old Tommy Stubbins, crewman and future naturalist, Doctor Dolittle and company survive a perilous ship wreck and land on the mysterious, floating Spider monkey Island. There he meets the Great Glass Sea Snail who holds the key to the biggest mystery of all.

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