

# Brunswick Academy

## Fourth Grade Summer Reading List

This is a list of suggested books for Summer reading. It covers a wide variety of reading levels and interest areas. You are encouraged to read any title by any of these authors, but you are not limited to this list. **You are required to read at least 2 chapter books this summer.** Attached are 2 graphic organizers for the books you select. Complete 1 graphic organizer for each book read and return them on the first day of school. **A grade will be given for Summer Reading.** Enjoy your Summer Reading!

### FICTION

Banks, *The Indian in the Cupboard*  
Bergen, *Sophie the Awesome*  
Burnett, *The Secret Garden*  
Clements, *A Week in the Woods*  
Creech, *Replay*  
Curtis, *The Mighty Miss Malone*  
Friedman, *Mallory vs. Max*  
George, *My Side of the Mountain*  
Hansen, *The Captive*  
Lupica, *Teamwork*  
Moss, *Amelia's Notebook* series  
O'Brien, *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh*  
O'Connor, *How to Steal a Dog*  
Paulsen, *Woods Runner*  
Peirce, *Big Nate in a Class by Himself*  
Pennypacker, *Clementine*  
Probst, *Stranded*  
Scholastic *Dear America* series  
Tarshis, *I Survived* series  
Wilder, *Little House* series

### VA. READERS CHOICE TITLES

Loyd, *Allergic*  
Woodson, *Before the Ever After*  
Roth, *Butterfly for a King*  
Klise, *Don't Check Out This Book*  
Slade, *Exquisite: The Poetry and Life of Gwendolyn Brooks*  
Dillard, *JD and the Great Barber Battle*  
Ferruolo, *Ruby in the Sky*  
Timberlake, *Skunk and Badger*  
Rimington, *The Elephant's Girl*  
Grossman, *The Silver Arrow*

### NON-FICTION

Berger, *Sting! A Book About Dangerous Animals*  
Buckley, *Ultimate Guide to Baseball*  
Chandler, *USB World History Ancient World*  
Claybourne, *100 Most Awesome Things on the Planet*  
DK, *Eyewitness* series  
Dubowski, *A Horse Named Seabiscuit*  
Duquette, *They Call Me Woolly*  
Earle, *Sea Critters*  
Golin, *The Passover Journey*  
Greenwood, *A Pioneer Sampler*  
Layden, *Super Bowl Super Quarterbacks*  
Mickle, *Barbaro: America's Horse*  
Ride, *The Third Planet*  
Robinson, *Promises to Keep: How Jackie Robinson Changed America*

### FANTASY

Barrows, *The Magic Half*  
Carman, *Land of Elyon* series  
Dahl, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*  
Eager, *Half Magic*  
Griffin, *The Witch Twins* series  
Kehret, *Ghost Dog Secrets*  
Klimo, *Dragon Keepers* series  
Lasky, *Horses of the Dawn*  
Levine, *Princess Tales* series  
Lewis, *Narnia* series  
Mlynowski, *Whatever After* series  
Riordan, *Percy Jackson & the Olympians*  
Rodda, *The Deltora Quest* series  
Selfors, *Smells Like Dog*

## **SPORTS**

Bowen, *AllStar Sportstory* series  
Buckley, *2015 Scholastic Year in Sports*  
Christopher, *Lacrosse Firestorm*  
Fawaz, *NBA High Flying Stars*  
Gutman, *Babe and Me*  
Lupica, *Summer Ball*  
Wallace, *Winning Season* series

## **HUMOR**

Adler, *Parachuting Hamsters and Andy Russell*  
Blume, *Fudge a Mania*  
Brook, *No Flying in the House*  
Cowell, *How to Train Your Dragon*  
Gutman, *The Get Rich Club*  
Katz, *United Jokes of America*  
Kinney, *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* series  
Kline, *Horrible Harry and the Goog*  
LaRue, *The Dog Rules*  
MacDonald, *Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle* series  
McDonald, *Judy Moody* series  
Spinelli, *Lizzie Logan* series  
Winkler, *Ghost Buddy* series

## **ANIMAL STORIES**

Avi, *Poppy*  
Baglio, *Racehorse in the Rain*  
Betancourt, *Pony Pal* series  
Gardiner, *Stone Fox*  
Glass, *Finding Danny*  
Haas, *Runaway Pony*  
Harlow, *Star in the Storm*  
Henry, *Misty of Chincoteague*  
Jones, *Champ*  
Kehret, *Shelter Dogs*  
Laskey, *Wolves of the Beyond*  
Pyron, *A Dog's Way Home*  
Rawls, *Where the Red Fern Grows*  
Reiche, *Freddy to the Rescue*  
St. John, *Dolphin Song*  
Sutherland, *Pet Trouble* series  
Wallace, *A Dog Named Kitty*  
White, *The Trumpet of the Swan*

## **SCIENCE FICTION**

Abbott, *Secrets of Droon* series  
Benton, *Franny K. Stein* series  
Duey, *Time Soldiers* series  
Etra, *Aliens for Breakfast*  
Lindbergh, *Nick of Time*  
Lisle, *Angela's Aliens*  
Scieszka, *The Time Warp Trio* series  
Service, *Stinker from Space*

## **POETRY**

Creech, *Love That dog*  
Fleischman, *Joyful Noise*  
Florian, *Zoo's Who*  
Hopkins, *Behind the Museum Door*  
Lilligard, *The Wild Bunch*  
McCord, *Everytime I Climb a Tree*  
Prelutsky, *The New Kid on the Block*  
Sidman, *Song of the Water Boatman & Other Pond Poems*  
Worth, *All the Small Poems and Fourteen More*

## **BIOGRAPHY**

Adler, *Picture Book Biography* series  
Brown, *Odd Boy Out: Young Albert Einstein*  
Cox, *Houdini*  
DePaola, *26 Fairmont Avenue*  
Editors of Time, *Time for Kids* biographies  
Freedman, *Lincoln, a Photobiography*  
McCurdy, *Escape from Slavery*  
Schroeder, *Ben Franklin: His Wit and Wisdom From A to Z*  
Sullivan, *Mr. President* Book of US Presidents  
*Who Was?* Series (multiple authors)

## **MYSTERIES**

Byars, *Herculeah Jones* series  
Defelice, *The Ghost of Cutler Creek*  
Cronin, *The Trouble with Chickens*  
Fitzhugh, *Harriet the Spy*  
Gregory, *Cabin Creek Mysteries* series  
Howe, *Bunnicula* series  
Riordan et al, *The 39 Clues* series  
Roy, *A to Z Mysteries* series  
Shannon, *Still More Mysteries to Solve*  
Soble, *Encyclopedia Brown* series

## **FOLKLORE**

Andersen, *The Little Mermaid*  
Berry, *Spiderman Anansi*  
Catanese, *The Thief and the Beanstalk*  
D'Aulaires, *Book of Greek Myths*  
Gross, *Knights of the Round Table*  
Hamilton, *The People Could Fly*  
Hodges, *Saint George and the Dragon*

Kellogg, *Pecos Bill*  
Locker, *Rip Van Winkle*  
Martin, *Birdwing*  
Zelinsky, *Rapunzel*