



TheCalvary
ACADEMY

2nd Grade
2023-2024



Required Summer Work



Prevent the Summer Slide!

Studies show that children who do not read during the summer lose up to 2 months of reading performance. This means that by the time a student is in upper elementary, they may be 2 1/2 years behind!

How do we prevent the summer slide?

1. Be sure your child reads at least 20 minutes a day.
2. Visit your local library.
3. Set a good example.
4. Read to and with your child.
5. Read for different purposes.
6. Play games with words.
7. If you have access to an electronic device, there are tons of interactive books and apps that address phonics and reading skills. Scholastic has a great summer program.

<https://kids.scholastic.com/kids/games/homebase/>



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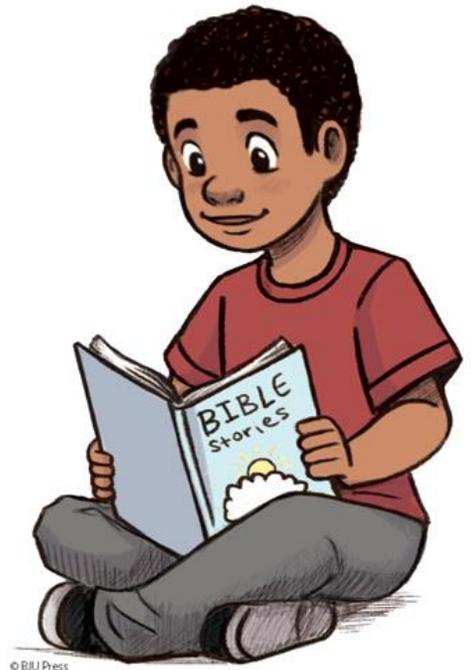
Due August 28th

Work counts as a quiz grade in each subject.

1. Complete a **Summer Workbook**.
2. **Read Henry and Mudge: The Tall Treehouse** and complete the attached **Book Report page**.
3. **Read 12 books** and complete the **Reading Log**.
4. Choose your favorite book and complete the **Book Butterfly Report**.

Recommended Books

- A to Z Mysteries by Ron Roy
- Amelia Bedelia books by Peggy Parish
- Blueberries for Sal by Robert McCloskey
- Cam Jansen Series by Adler
- Curious George books by H. A. Rey
- Digby & Kate series by Barbara Baker
- Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
- Frog and Toad books by Arnold Lobel
- Henry and Mudge book by Cynthia Rylant
- Humphrey's Tiny Tales series by Betty Birney
- I Can Read books
- Mercy Watson series by Kate DiCamillo
- Mike Mulligan by Virginia Lee Burton
- Miss Nelson is Missing by Allard/Marshall
- Mr. Putter and Tabby series by Rylant and Howard
- Nate the Great books by Marjorie Wineman Sharmat
- Pete the Cat books by Eric Litwin
- Pony Scouts series by Catherine Hapka



My Book report

My name:

The title of my book is:



Character

My favourite character was:

Four words about this character:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Setting

This book was:

- Awesome
- OK
- One I didn't like

The story

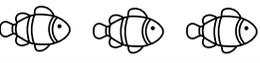
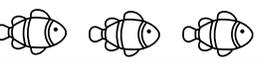
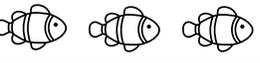
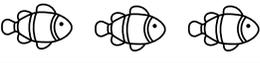
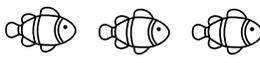
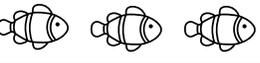
Beginning

Middle

End

My favorite event

Name: _____

Title	Author	Rating	Signature
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			
11.			
12.			

My favorite book was

because

_____.



BOOK BUTTERFLY

By _____

Plot

What is your favorite part of the story?

Character

Who was your favorite character? Why?

Setting

Where did the story take place?

Main Idea

What is the main idea of the story?

Title

Author

by _____

Problem

What is the main problem in the story?

Rating

I give this book

_____ stars!

Personal Response

How did the book make you feel? Why?

Solution

How does that problem get solved?

Personal Connection

What did the book remind you of?