



Mrs. Gross' 4th Grade Recommended Reading List

***Personal Recommendations**

**** Common Core Recommendations**

Please choose two (2) books to read during summer vacation! I highly recommend By the Great Horn Spoon.

- Adler, David. Mystery of the Stolen Diamonds
- Avi True. Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
- Babbitt, Natalie. Tuck Everlasting**
- Balliet, Blue. Chasing Vermeer**
- Banks, Lynne Reid. The Indian in the Cupboard*
- Bellairs, John. The House with a Clock in Its Walls
- Blume, Judy. Superfudge
- Blume, Judy. Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing*
- Brittain, Bill. The Wish Giver
- Burnett, Frances. The Secret Garden**
- Carroll, Lweis. Alice's Adventures in Wonderland**
- Catling, Patrick Skene. Chocolate Touch*
- Cleary, Beverly. Dear Mr. Henshaw
- Cleary, Beverly. Henry Huggins
- Clements, Andrew. Frindle
- Coerr, Eleanor. Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes
- Coville, Bruce. Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher
- Coville, Bruce. My Teacher is an Alien
- Curtis, Christopher Paul. Bud, Not Buddy**
- Curtis, Christopher Paul. Elijah of Buxton**
- Cushman, Karen The Midwife's Apprentice
- Cushman, Karen. The Ballad of Lucy Whipple
- Dahl, Roald. James and the Giant Peach*
- Dahl, Roald. Matilda*
- DeFelice, Cynthia. Weasel
- Eager, Edward. Half magic
- Farley, Walter. The Black Stallion**
- Farmer, Nancy. A Girl Named Disaster
- Fitzhugh, Louise. Harriet the Spy
- Fleischman, Paul The Half-a-Moon Inn
- Fleischman, Sid. The Whipping Boy* and By the Great Horn Spoon*
- Gardiner, John Reynolds. Stone Fox
- George, Jean Craighead. Julie of the Wolves
- George, Jean Craighead. My Side of the Mountain
- Goble, Paul. The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses
- Grahame, Kenneth. The Reluctant Dragon
- Hall, Phillip. Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry

- Hamilton, Virginia. House of Dies Drear
- Hamilton, Virginia. M.C. Higgins, the Great **
- Honeycutt, Natalie. The All New Jonah Twist
- Horvath, Polly. Everything on a Waffle
- Howe, James. Bunnacula
- Hutchins, H.J. The Three And Many Wishes Of Jason Reid
- Ibbotson, Eve. The Secret of Platform 13
- Juster, Norton. The Phantom Tollbooth**
- Karr, Kathleen. The Great Turkey Walk
- Kellogg, Steven. Paddle-To-The-Sea
- Kessler, Liz. The Tail of Emily Windsap**
- Konigsburg, E. L. From the Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*
- Lawson, Robert. Ben and Me
- L'Engle, Madeline. A Wrinkle in Time*
- Lewis, C.S. The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*
- Levine, Gail Carson. Ella Enchanted*
- Lin, Grace. Where the Mountain Meets the Moon**
- Lowry, Lois. All about Sam
- Lowry, Lois. Number the Stars*
- MacLachlan, Patricia. Sarah, Plain and Tall*
- McSwigan, Marie. Snow Treasure
- Mowat, Farley. Owls in the Family
- Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds. Shiloh
- O'Brien, Robert. Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh*
- O'Dell, Scott. Island of the Blue Dolphins**
- Orlev, Uri. Island on Bird Street
- Park, Barbara. The Kid in the Red Jacket
- Paterson, Kathryn. Bridge to Terabithia*
- Paterson, Kathryn. The Great Gilly Hopkins
- Paulsen, Gary. Hatchet*
- Philbrick, Rodman. The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg**
- Randsome, Arthur. The Fool of the World and the Flying Ship
- Riordan, Rick. The Lightning Thief series
- Roberts, Ken. Nothing Wright
- Roberts, Willo Davis. The Girls with Silver Eyes
- Rowling, J.K. The Harry Potter Series*
- Ryan, Pam Munoz. Esperanza Rising*
- Rylant, Cynthia. Cobble Street Cousins series
- Rylant, Cynthia. The Van Gogh Cafe
- Sachar, Louis. Holes*
- Saint-Exupery, Antoine de. The Little Prince **
- Selden, George. The Cricket in Times Square*
- Smith, Doris Buchanan. A Taste of Blackberries
- Smith, Robert Kimmel. Chocolate Fever
- Sobol, Donald J. Encyclopedia Brown
- Speare, Elizabeth George. Sign of the Beaver
- Speare, Elizabeth George. Witch of Blackbird Pond*
- Stolz, Mary. Cat Walk
- Wilder, Laura Ingalls. Little House on the Prairie*
- Yolen, Jane. The Mary Celeste: An Unsolved Mystery from History