

**2023 Summer Reading List**

As recommended by Atlanta Public Schools Library Media Services

| **Pre K & Kindergarten** | **1st Grade** |
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| ***Bathe the Cat*** by Alice B. McGinty | ***The Yawns Are Coming!*** By Christopher Eliopoulos |
| ***Little Red and the Cat Who Loved Cake*** by Barbara Lehman | ***Invasion of the Unicorns*** by David Biedrzycki |
| ***Little Witch Hazel*** by Phoebe Wahl | ***Nigel and the Moon*** by A. Eady |
| ***Over the Shop*** by JonArno Lawson | ***Something’s Wrong*** by Jory John |
| ***Grandpa Grumps*** by Katrina Moore and Xindi Yan | ***There’s a Ghost in this House*** by Oliver Jeffers |
| ***Biscuit Series*** by Alyssa Satin Capucilli | ***David Series*** by David Shannon |
| ***Pete the Cat Series*** by James Dean | ***If You Give…Series*** by Laura Numeroff |
| ***The Pigeon Series*** by Mo Willems | ***Itty-Bitty Kitty Corn*** by Shannon Hale |
| **2nd Grade** | **3rd Grade** |
| ***How to Be a Pirate*** by Isaac Fitzgerald | ***Frederico and the Wolf*** by Rebecca J. Gomez |
| ***We Will Rock Our Classmates*** by Ryan T. Higgins | ***Across the Bay*** by Carlos Aponte |
| ***We Are Water Protectors*** by Carole Lindstrom | ***The Barnabus Project*** by Terry Fan |
| ***Sofia Martinez: el cumpleanos de la abuela*** by Jacqueline Jules | ***The Magnificent Makers: How To Test a Friendship*** by Theanne Griffith |
| ***Yellow Dog Blues*** by Alice Faie Duncan and Chris Raschka | ***Twins*** by Varian Johnson |
| ***Gibberish*** by Young Vo | ***Lotus Bloom and the Afro Revolution*** by Sherri Winston |
| ***Amy Wu and the Patchwork Dragon*** by Kat Zhang | ***Root Magic*** by Eden Royce |
| ***Click, Clack…Series*** by Doreen Cronin | ***Measuring Up*** by Lily LaMotte |
| ***The Oldest Student*** by Rita Lorraine Hubbard and Oge Mora | ***Dog Man…Series*** by Dav Pilky |
| **4th & 5th Grades** | |
| ***Honeybee: The Busy Life of Apis Mellifera*** by Candace Fleming | ***Allergic***by Megan Wagner Lloyd |
| ***The Legend of Gravity: A tall basketball tale*** by Charly Palmer | ***Room to Dream*** by Kelly Yang |
| ***Thirst*** by Nancy Paulsen | ***The Total Eclipse of Nestor Lopez*** by Adrianna Cuevas |
| ***The Midnight Children*** by Dan Gemeinhart | ***Ride On*** by Faith Erin Hicks |
| ***The List of Unspeakable Fears*** by J Kasper Kramer | ***Honestly Elliott*** by Gillian McDunn |
| ***Mwikalw and the Forbidden Mask*** by Shiko Nguru | ***Tumble*** by Celia C. Perez |
| ***Air: A Novel*** by Monica Roe | ***Omar Rising*** by Aisha Saeed |
| ***The Summer of June*** by Jamie Sumner | ***Sincerely Sicily*** by Tamika Burgess |
| **6th - 8th Grade** | **9th - 12th Grade** |
| ***Class Act*** by Jerry Craft | ***All My Rage*** by Sabaa Tahir |
| ***Ground Zero*** by Alan Gratz | ***The Agathas*** by Kathleen Glasgow and Liz Lawson |
| ***Shot Clock*** by Caron Butler & Justin A. Reynolds | ***All That’s Left in the World*** by Erik J. Brown |
| ***Becoming Brianna*** by Terri Libenson | ***The Chandler Legacies*** by Abdi Nazemian |
| ***Before the Ever After*** by Jacqueline Woodson | ***Confessions of an Alleged Good Girl*** by Joya Goffney |
| ***Falling Short*** by Ernesto Cisneros | ***The Darkness Outside Us*** by Eliot Screfer |
| ***Miss Quinces*** by Kat Fajardo | ***The Heartbreak Bakery*** by A.R. Capetta |
| ***Golden Girl*** by Reem Faruqi | ***Hollow Fires*** by Samira Ahmed |
| ***Super Troop***  by Bruce Hale | ***How Moon Fuentez Fell in Love with the Universe*** by Raquel Vasquez Gililand |
| ***How to Find What You’re Not Looking For***  by Veera Hiranandani | ***I Must Betray You*** by Ruta Sepetys |
| ***Attack of the Black Rectangles*** by Amy Sarig King | ***Into the Sublime*** by Kate A. Boorman |
| ***Too Bright to See*** by Kyle Lukoff | ***Kneel*** by Candace Buford |
| ***Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun*** by Tola Okogwu | ***Love Times*** by Lane Clark |
| ***Ellen Outside the Lines*** by A.J. Sass | ***My Mechanical Romance*** by Alexene Farol Follmuth |
| ***Maizy Chen’s Last Chance*** by Lisa Yee | ***Right Where I Left You*** by Julian Winters |
| ***Swim Team*** by Johnnie Christmas | ***See You Yesterday*** by Rachel Lynn Solomon |
| ***Frizzy*** by Claribel A. Ortega | ***The Sunbearer Trials*** by Aiden Thomas |
| ***Miles Morales Suspended: A Spider-Man Novel*** by Jason Reynolds | ***This Poison Heart*** by Kalynn Bayron |
| ***It’s the End of the World and I’m In My Bathing Suit*** by Justin A. Reynolds | ***Tonight We Rule the World*** by Zack Smedley |