



**Southeast Delco School District
2020-2021**



Entering 1st Grade Recommended Summer Reading List

To build a love of reading and community all students are asked to read at least eight (8) books this summer, but are encouraged to read as many books as possible. They will then complete the attached book log and have it signed. Below are suggested titles as well as recommended authors. Students are invited to read as much as possible!

Your child may read these books independently, or they can be read aloud by an adult.

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| Aliki | My Five Senses |
| Carlson, Nancy | First Grade, Here I Come |
| Cronin, Doreen | Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type |
| Cunnane, Kelly | For You are a Kenyan Child |
| Ehlert, Lois | Growing Vegetable Soup |
| Henkes, Kevin | Kitten's First Full Moon |
| Hodgkins, Fran & True Kelly | How People Learned to Fly |
| London, Jonathan | Froggy Goes to School |
| Moss, Lloyd | Zin! Zin! Zin! A Violin |
| Pfeffer, Wendy | From Seed to Pumpkin |
| Rey, H. A. | Curious George Goes to the Beach |
| Robbins, Ken | Autumn Leaves |
| Rylant, Cynthia | Puppy Mudge |
| Sendak, Maurice | Chicken Soup With Rice |
| Willems, Mo | Knuffle Bunny |

I. Look for fiction books by these authors*:

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| Tedd Arnold | Steven Kellogg | Cynthia Rylant |
| Eric Carle | Leo Lionni | Eileen Spinelli |
| Mem Fox | Arnold Lobel | Rosemary Wells |
| Paul Galdone | Bill Martin Jr. | Mo Willems |
| Steven Jenkins | David McPhail | Jane Yolen |

II. Explore nonfiction books by these authors*:

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| Kelly Doudna | Gail Gibbons | Seymour Simon |
| Margery Facklam | Tana Hoban | Melanie Walsh |
| Helen Frost | Jean Marzollo | |

*Some authors write for older children too. Parents, be sure to check the appropriateness of books chosen.