

St. Michael's Episcopal School Summer 2021 Reading List for Rising
Third Grade

ACTION ADVENTURE

Barnett, Mac *Mac B.*, *Kid Spy* (series)
Coe, Victoria *Fenway and Hattie* (series)
Cowell, Cressida *The Wizards of Once* (series)
DiCamillo, Kate *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane*
Emerson, Marcus *The Super Life of Ben Braver* (series)
Gaiman, Neil *Fortunately, the Milk*
Ginns, Russell *Samantha Spinner and the Super Secret Plans*
McMullen, Beth *Mrs. Smith's Spy School for Girls* (series)
Phelan, Matt *Knights vs. Dragons*
Stewart, Trenton Lee *The Mysterious Benedict Society* (series)
Van Eekhout, Greg *Voyage of the Dogs*

ANIMALS

Applegate, Katherine *The One and Only Ivan**, *The One and Only Bob*
Birney, Betty *The World According to Humphrey* (series)
Byars, Betsy *Cat Diaries: secret writings of the MEOW Society; Dog Diaries: secret writings of the WOOF Society*
Cameron, W. Bruce *Ellie's Story : a dog's purpose novel* (series)
Charman, Katrina *The Titanic* (Survival Tail series)
Creech, Sharon *Saving Winslow*
Tubb, Kristin *A Dog Like Daisy*

COOL CLASSICS

Dahl, Roald *The BFG; Fantastic Mr. Fox; James and the Giant Peach; Matilda;*
DiCamillo, Kate *The Tale of Despereaux*
Jutser, Norton *Phantom Tollbooth*
White, E. B. *Charlotte's Web**; *Stuart Little*
Napoli, Donna Jo *Treasury of Greek Mythology*

FLY WITH FANTASY

Avi *Poppy* (series)
Broach, Elise *The Miniature World of Marvin and James*
Brown, Peter *The Wild Robot; The Wild Robot Escapes*
Chokshi, Roshani *Aru Shah and the End of Time* (series)
Colfer, Chris *The Wishing Spell* (series)
Cowell, Cressida *How to Train Your Dragon* (series)
DiCamillo, Kate *Flora & Ulysses**

George, Jessica Day *Tuesdays at the Castle* (series)
Haddix, Margaret Peterson *Under Their Skin* (series)
Hale, Shannon *Princess in Black* (series)
Harris, Neil Patrick *The Magic Misfits* (series)
Healy, Christopher *The Hero's Guide to Saving Your Kingdom* (series)
Kessler, Liz *The Tail of Emily Windsnap* (series)
Klimo, Kate *The Dragon in the Sock Drawer* (series)
Martin, Ann *The Doll People* (series)
Mass, Wendy *Bob*
Miedoso, Andres *The Haunted House Next Door* (Desmond Cole Ghost Patrol series)
Mlynowski, Sarah *Upside Down Magic* (series)
Phelan, Matt *Knights vs. Dinosaurs* (series)
Potter, Ellen *Big Foot and Little Foot* (series)
Reeve, Philip *Cakes in Space* (series)
Vernon, Ursula *Harriet the Invincible* (series)
Viorst, Judith *Lulu and the Brontosaurus* (series)

GRAPHIC NOVELS

Bell, Cece *El Deafo**
Benton, Jim *Catwad. It's Me* (series)
Blabey, Aaron *The Bad Guys* (series)
Brockington, Drew *Catstronauts: mission moon* (series)
Brown, Jeffrey *Jedi Academy* (series); *Lucy & Andy Neanderthal* (series)
Hale, Nathan *One Dead Spy* (series)
Hatke, Ben *Mighty Jack* (series), *Little Robot*, *Zita the Spacegirl* (series)
Holm, Jennifer *Squish 1: Super Amoeba* (series)
Holm, Jennifer and Matthew *Comics Squad: recess!* (series)
Krosoczka, Jarrett *Lunch Lady and the Cyborg Substitute* (series)
Mc Donnell, Patrick *The Mutts Diaries* (series)
O'Neill, Kate *Aquicorn Cove*
Peirce, Lincoln *Big Nate and Friends* (series)
Pilkey, Dav *Dog Man* (series)
Simpson, Dana *Phoebe and Her Unicorn* (series)
Telegemeier, Raina *Smile; Kristy's Great Idea* (Baby-sitters Club series)
Wang, Jen *Stargazing*
Winick, Judd *Hilo. Book 1, The Boy who Crashed to Earth* (series)

JUST THE FACTS

Buckley, James *Year in Sports 2020*
Chin, Jason *Grand Canyon**
Claybourne, Anna *100 Most Awesome Things on the Planet*

DK Eyewitness (any book in the series)
Denenberg, Dennis *50 American Heroes Every Kid Should Meet*
Floca, Brian *Moonshot: the flight of Apollo 11*
Harrison, Vashti *Little Leaders: bold women in black history; Little Legends: exceptional men in black history;*
Jenkins, Steve *How to Swallow a Pig: step-by-step advice from the animal kingdom*
Keating, Jess *Shark Lady: the true story of how Eugenie Clark became the ocean's most fearless scientist*
Lassieur, Allison *The Attack on Pearl Harbor: an interactive history adventure* (series)
Levit, Joseph *Sports Illustrated Kids' Big Book of Why*
Levy, Debbie *I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsburg makes her mark*
Manzanero, Paula *The Who Was? History of the World*
Mickle, Shelley *Barbaro: America's Horse*
Montgomery, Sy *Inky's Amazing Escape: how a very smart octopus found his way home*
Myron, Vicki with Brett Witter *Dewey the Library Cat*
New Scientist *Where Do Astronauts Put Their Dirty Underwear?*
National Geographic Kids *Weird but True: 301 outrageous facts* (series)
Patent, Dorothy *Made for Each Other: why dogs and people are perfect partners*
Price, Sean *The Kids' Guide to Titanic*
Rosenstock, Barb *Otis and Will Discover the Deep: the record-setting dive of the Bathysphere*
Shetterly, Margot Lee *Hidden Figures: the true story of four black women and the space race*
Tarshis, Lauren *I survived: five true stories of survival*
Tavares, Matt *Growing Up Pedro; Henry Aaron's Dream*
Thermes, Jennifer *Grandma Gatewood Hikes the Appalachian Trail*
Walliman, Dominic *Professor Astro Cat's Space Rockets*
Who is/Who Was Biography books (series)
What Was the Boston Tea Party? (What Was ...? series)
Where is the Great Wall? (Where is ...? series)

LOL

Barnett, Mac *The Terrible Two* (series)
Barrows, Annie *The Best of Iggy*
Brailer, Max *The Last Kids on Earth* (series)
Bruehl, Nick *Bad Kitty Gets a Bath* (series)
DiCamillo, Kate *Bink & Gollie* (series)
Evans, Douglas *The Elevator Family*
Falatko, Julie *Two Dogs in a Trench Coat Go to School* (series)
Griffiths, Andy *The 13-Story Treehouse* (series)
Gubler, Matthew *Rumple Buttercup*

Gutman, Dan *Miss Daisy is Crazy!* (series)
Marciano. Johnny *Klawde: evil alien warlord cat* (series)
O'Doherty, David *Danger is Everywhere: a handbook for avoiding danger* (series)
Peirce, Lincoln *Big Nate in a Class by Himself* (series); *Max & the Midknights*
Sachar, Louis *Sideways Stories from Wayside School* (series)
Spratt, R.A. *The Adventures of Nanny Piggins* (series)
Stilton, Geronimo *The Kingdom of Fantasy* (series)
Vernon, Ursula *Dragonbreath* (series)

POETRY

Alexander, Kwame *The Undefeated**
Creech, Sharon *Love that Dog*
Dahl, Road *Vile Verses*
Florian, Douglas *Friends and Foes: poems about us all*
Harris, Chris *I'm Just No Good at Rhyming: and other nonsense for mischievous kids and immature grown-ups*
Mora, Pat *Bookjoy, Wordjoy*
Prelutsky, Jack *My Dog May be a Genius; The New Kid on the Block* Silverstein,
Shel *A Light in the Attic; Everything On It; Where the Sidewalk Ends* Kennedy,
Caroline *Poems to Learn by Heart*

REAL WORLD

Amato, Mary *News From Me, Lucy McGee*
Applegate, Katherine *Crenshaw*
Arnold, Elana *A Boy Called BAT* (series)
Birdsall, Jeanne *The Penderwicks: a summer tale of four sisters, two rabbits, and a very interesting boy* (series)
Blume, Judy *Soupy Saturdays with the Pain and the Great One* (series)
Clements, Andrew *Frindle, No Talking; Lost and Found*
Creech, Sharon *Moo*
Davies, Jacqueline *The Lemonade War* (series)
DiCamillo, Kate *Because of Winn-Dixie*
Dominguez, Angela *Stella Diaz has Something to Say* (series)
Fagan, Cary *Wolfie & Fly*
Glaser, Karina Y. *The Vanderbeekers of 141st Street*
Harper, Charise *Lights, Camera, Cook!* (Next Best Junior Chef series)
Johannes, Shelley *Beatrice Zinker, Upside Down Thinker* (series)
Ostow, Micol *Louise Trapeze is Totally 100% Fearless* (series)
Sternberg, Julie *Like Pickle Juice on a Cookie* (series)

SPORTS

Christopher, Matt *The Kid Who Only Hit Homers (series)*; *Soccer Hero*
Lupica, Mike *Hot Hand (series)*
Wallace, Rich *Ball Hogs (series)*

TAKE ME BACK

Avi *Iron Thunder: the battle between the Monitor & the Merrimac: a Civil War novel*
Dear America (series)
Hart, Alison *Darling, Mercy Dog of World War I (series)*
Klimo, Kate *Ginger (Dog Diaries series)*
MacLachlan, Patricia *Sarah, Plain and Tall** (series)
Mattick, Lindsay *Winnie's Great War*
Myers, Laurie *Lewis and Clark and Me: a dog's tale*
Ryan, Pam Munoz *Riding Freedom*
Selznick, Brian *The Invention of Hugo Cabret; Wonderstruck; The Marvels*
Tarshis, Lauren *I Survived the Sinking of the Titanic, 1912 (series)* Wilder,
Laura *Ingalls Little House in the Big Woods (series)*

WHO DID IT?

American Girl Mysteries (series)
Angelberger, Tom *Inspector Flytrap (series)*
Barnett, Mac *The Case of the Case of Mistaken Identity (series)*
Butler, Dori H. *The Buddy Files: the case of the lost boy (series)*
Clover, Andrew *Rory Branagan, Detective*
Korman, Gordon *Notorious*
Montgomery, Louis B. *The Case of the Stinky Socks (series)* Pastis, Stephan
Mistakes Were Made (Timmy Failure series) Roy, Ron *A to Z Mysteries (series)*;
The January Joker (series); *Who Cloned the President? (series)*
Smith, Steven *Summer of the Woods (series)*
Spratt, R.A. *Friday Barnes, Girl Detective (series)*
Swanson, Matthew *The Real McCoys (series)*

*Newbery Award or Honor Book