SUMMER READING FOR STUDENTS ENTERING 4TH GRADE

Book 1: Required Reading – Stone Fox by John Reynolds Gardiner

Book 2: Choose a book from the following list:

On the Banks of Plum Creek (Wilder)
Chocolate Fever (Smith)
Mouse and the Motorcycle (Cleary)
Runaway Ralph (Cleary)
Stuart Little (White)
Shiloh (Naylor)
The Report Card (Clements)
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing (Blume)
Million Dollar Shot (Gutman)

Your Choice of:

- Books Written by Matt Christopher
- Encyclopedia Brown Books (Sobel)
- The Boxcar Children Series (Warner, Gertrude Chandler)

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SUMMER READING INFORMATION

St. Ignatius has a Summer Reading Program for all students entering 2nd through 8th grades. Each student is **required** to read at least two (2) books. The teachers choose one book and the other is chosen by the student from a grade level list. The students need to read the books during summer vacation and **will be held accountable for these books**.

- Each student will take an Accelerated Reader test online for their required reading. This may be taken during the summer in the library or computer room or the first week of school.

Reading classes, during the first two weeks of school, will be devoted to discussions, testing, and projects involving the books read over the summer. **The students will be graded on these activities**. This will be their first Reading grade (s) of the school year.

All books on the list can be found at our school library, the public libraries, or any of the bookstores in the area.

We recommend that you purchase the required book, as the student will need them for Reading classes at the beginning of the school year.

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