

Clayton Reads in Every Season

2018 Summer Reading List: Students Entering Grades K-2

Continue learning this summer by reading books of interest that will help develop reading skills. To ensure our students continue to increase their reading **fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension**, we are promoting summer reading and providing parents and students with necessary tools to support this effort.

Summer Reading Goals

Parents and students are encouraged to:

- Read every day for at least 30 minutes.
- Students entering grades K-2 should read at least 2 books each week including both fiction and nonfiction.
- Read aloud to beginning readers to prepare for future independent reading.
- Complete the Clayton County Reading Log on the back. Return it to school in August for a reward.

Suggested Titles

Ada Twist, Scientist by Beaty, Andrea (Lexile 550L, Realistic Fiction)

After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back Up Again by Santat, Dan (Lexile 550L, Fiction)

All Around Us by González, Xelena (Lexile 680L, Realistic Fiction)

Blue Sky, White Stars by Naberhaus, Sarvinder (Realistic Fiction)

Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut by Barnes, Derrick (Lexile 700L, Realistic Fiction)

Dad and the Dinosaur by Choldenko, Gennifer (Lexile 560L, Realistic Fiction)

A Different Pond by Phi, Bao (Lexile 620L, Realistic Fiction)

I Am a Story by Yaccarino, Dan (Lexile 480L, Realistic Fiction)

The Rooster Who Would Not Be Quiet! by Deedy, Carmen Agra (Lexile 550L, Realistic Fiction)

The Secret Subway by Corey, Shana (Lexile 810L, Nonfiction)

Strictly No Elephants by Mantchev, Lisa (Lexile 360L, Fiction)

Suggested Authors for Beginning Readers

Carle, Eric

Ehlert, Lois

Keats, Ezra Jack

Silverstein, Shel

Willems, Mo

Suggested Authors

Brown, Peter

Cronin, Doreen

DePaola, Tomie

DiCamillo, Kate

Henkes, Kevin

MacLachlan, Patricia

Pinkney, Jerry

Santat, Dan

Tonatiuh, Duncan

Weatherford, Carole Boston

Personalized Reading List

Visit the "Find a Book" website (www.lexile.com/fab/ga/) and match your child's abilities and interests.

How to Access Summer Readings

Clayton County Public Library

Visit any Clayton County Public Library Branch to check out books.

Open eBooks ()

Download the Open eBooks app on a tablet or smartphone and login using:

SEE ATTACHED BOOKMARK

Parents are encouraged to be involved in their children's reading by both helping them make appropriate selections they will enjoy and making reading a daily activity in the home.

Clayton Reads in Every Season Summer Reading Log

Name: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____

Instructions: For each book, list the **title** and **author** and record the **number of minutes** and **number of pages** each time you read. When you finish a book, have your parent/guardian initial.
You may use more than one row if you are still reading the same book.

Title of Book and Author	Minutes / # of Pages		Minutes / # of Pages		Minutes / # of Pages		Minutes / # of Pages		Minutes / # of Pages		Minutes / # of Pages		Parent/Guardian Initials						
	30	19	40	23	35	21	30	18	30	19	35	24		30	20	30	18	45	30
<i>Sample: Where the Red Fern Grows Author: Wilson Rawls</i>																			<i>EJL</i>