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Summer Reading Program

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To: All Parents/Guardians of 2017-2018 St. Theresa School Students

Please find attached, information regarding St. Theresa School's *Summer Reading Program*. We are quite pleased to announce that we have recently updated the school wide program and suggested reading lists.

Our main goal in updating our *Summer Reading Program* was to include books that are interesting to our students. In so doing, we are hoping to maintain a program where our students are reading throughout the summer, more for the enjoyment of it and less for the assignment of it.

Attached is information for the students entering second grade. Each student is required to read *five* books during the summer months. If possible, at least one of these books should be non-fiction. Attached is a short recommended book list. However, any book approved by you will be accepted. In addition to reading, students will be required to complete a written activity for *one* of the five books, either the "Ice Cream Cone" book report or the "What Did You Think of the Story" book report. All students who complete this assignment and return the Summer Reading Log Sheet signed by you will receive 2 points on their 1st trimester Reading grade.

In closing, I would like to thank you, the parents and guardians, for your continued support of our Summer Reading Program. When home and school work together, it is our students who benefit the most. It is our goal that the students retain their learning over the summer, so that they return for the new school year prepared and ready to learn more!

May you be blessed with a wonderful Summer,

Mrs. Colleen Weiss
Principal

Summer Reading Log Sheet

Student's Name: _____

Grade student will be entering in August 2017: _____

Book Title and Author Name	Parent Signature
1.	
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3.	
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Please hand in this Log Sheet to your Reading Teacher on the second day of school. You will need to hand in your written activity sheet along with this reading log. You will receive 2 points on your 1st marking period Reading grade.

Summer Reading List Grade 2

Title	Author	Description	Fiction/Non-Fiction	Level
Amelia Bedelia (series)	P. Parish	Everyone loves Amelia Bedelia, the literal minded housekeeper.	Fiction	Easy to Challenging
Geronimo Stilton (series)	E. Piemme	In the series, the title character is a talking mouse who lives in New Mouse City on Mouse Island	Fiction	Average
Library Mouse (series)	D. Kirk	Library Mouse shows every child how to be a writer.	Fiction	Average
A-Z Mysteries (series)	R. Roy & J. Guernsey	Dink, Josh, and Ruth Rose are kids who solve exciting historical mysteries.	Fiction	Challenge
Cam Jansen (series)	D. A. Adler	This is a mystery and suspense series with Cam, Eric, and Aunt Molly.	Fiction	Challenge
Discover More (series)	Various Authors	Social Studies and Science series that explores interesting topics.	Non-Fiction	Average
Just Behave, Pablo Picasso!	J. Winter & K. Hawkins	Picasso is one of the most famous artists of the 20 th Century whose rebellion and creativity is sure to inspire.	Non-fiction	Challenge
If you Decide to Go to the Moon	F. McNulty	Blast off to the moon in a rocket and take an outer-space journey as if you were and astronaut.	Non-fiction	Average
Ron's Big Mission	N. & D. Tate	In the segregated world of South Carolina in the 1950's, obtaining a library card is a courageous mission.	Non-Fiction	Challenge
The Boris Series (Branches early chapter books)	A. Joyner	A new early chapter book series where adventure is always around the corner.	Fiction	Easy
The Notebook of Doom (series)	T. Cummings	Monsters + Humor + Fun = The Notebook of Doom!	Fiction	Easy
Pirates Don't Change Diapers	M. Long & D. Shannon	Jeremy Jacob and his friends want to play pirates, but they end up babysitting his baby sister who howls louder than a storm on the high seas.	Fiction	Easy
Sophie Mouse Adventures (series)	P. Green	8 Year old Sophie Mouse has adventures with her friends of Silverlake Forest. These chapter books have easy-to-read language and illustrations on every page.	Fiction	Challenge
Stink – The Incredible Shrinking Kid	M. McDonald	Stink is the younger brother of Judy Moody. He is very discouraged because he is the shortest person in his class and it appears that he is shrinking. His adventures are enhanced by a series of comic strips, drawn by Stink himself.	Fiction	Challenge
Humphrey's Tiny Tales (series)	B.G. Birney	A series of books written about the lovable hamster, Humphrey. He is the classroom hamster in Room 26 of Longfellow School and is looked after by all the children in the class.	Fiction	Average
Phoebe G. Green (series)	V. Hiranandani	Curious third-grader Phoebe G. Green is an incessant list maker and Sage's BFF. This series attempts to convey several lessons about growing pains to young readers with age-appropriate humor via an outspoken, loveable, take-charge narrator.	Fiction	Challenge

Name: _____

Date: _____

Tell me...What did you think about the story?

What is the title of the story?

Who is the author?

What did you think of it?

My Name:

Book's Name, Author:

Setting (where, when):

Major Characters:

**What was the best part
of the story?**

My Name:

New Words:

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