

4th Grade



Recommended Reading List

Looking for some good books to read, but don't know where to begin?
These books are recommended reads by our staff of librarians. Many of the authors listed below have other great books for this age group. Read and enjoy!

J Fiction Books

Who Stole the Wizard of Oz by Avi
The Strange Case of Origami Yoda (series) by Tom Angleberger
The Frog Princess (series) by E. D. Baker
Runt by Marion Dane Bauer
Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs by Betty Birney
The Penderwicks (series) by Jeanne Birdsall
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume
Because of Mr. Terupt by Rob Buyea
Al Capone Does My Shirts by Gennifer Choldenko
Ramona (series) by Beverly Cleary
Things Not Seen by Andrew Clements
Help, I'm a Prisoner in the Library by Eth Clifford
The Girl Who Threw Butterflies by Mick Cochrane
Gregor the Overlander (series) by Suzanne Collins
Millions by Frank Cottrell
Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher by Bruce Coville
Granny Torrelli Makes Soup by Sharon Creech
The Twits by Roald Dahl
Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo
Spiderwick Chronicles (series) by Tony DiTerlizzi
Hardy Boys Mysteries (series) by Franklin Dixon
Harriet the Spy by Louise Fitzhugh
Stone Fox by John R. Gardiner
Eleven by Patricia Reilly Giff
The Thing About Georgie by Lisa Graff
The Homework Machine by Dan Gutman
Million Dollar Strike by Dan Gutman
Bird Lake Moon by Kevin Henkes
Bunnicula (series) by Deborah Howe
Nancy Drew Mysteries (series) by Carolyn Keene
Chasing the Falconers (series) by Gordon Korman
Pippi Longstocking by Astrid Lindgren
The Doll People (series) by Ann M. Martin
Shiloh (series) by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
Midnight for Charlie Bone (series) by Jenny Nimmo
How to Steal a Dog by Barbara O'Connor

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Mick Harte was Here by Barbara Park
Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson
Lawn Boy by Gary Paulsen
Soup by Robert Newton Peck
Young Man and the Sea by Rodman Philbrick
I, Freddy (series) by Dietlof Reiche
Holes by Louis Sachar
The Cricket in Times Square by George Seldon
Encyclopedia Brown (series) by Donald Sobel
The Fairies of Nutfolk Wood by Barb Ullman
Sammy Keyes and the Hotel Thief (series) by Wendelin Van Draanen
Trumpet of the Swan by E. B. White
Hank Zipzer: Niagara Falls or Does It? (series) by Henry Winkler

Non Fiction Books

All Stations! Distress!: April 15, 1912 The Day the Titanic Sank by Don Brown, 363.123 BRO
Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story From China by Ed Young, 398.21 RED
My Teacher is a Dinosaur by Loreen Leedy, 550 LEE
Nic Bishop Spiders by Nic Bishop, 595.44 BIS
One Tiny Turtle by Nicola Davies, 597.92 DAV
Penguins by Seymour Simon, 598.47 SIM
Owls by Gail Gibbons, 598.97 GIB
Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 13 by Brian Floca, 629.454 FLO
An Eye For Color: The Story of Josef Albers by Natasha Wing, 750.92 ALBERS
Uncle Andy's by James Warhola, 750.92 WARHOL
You Never Heard of Sandy Koufax?! by Jonah Winter, 796.357092 KOUFAX
Mirror Mirror: A Book of Reversible Verse by Marilyn Singer, 811.54 SIN
My Dog May Be A Genius by Jack Prelutsky, 811.54 PRE
Frankenstein Makes a Sandwich by Adam Rex, 811.6 REX

Biographies

Abraham Lincoln: the Boy Who Loved Books by Kay Winters, J Biography LINCOLN
Rosa by Nikki Giovanni, J Biography PARKS
Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes by Eleanor Coerr, J Biography SASAKI



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