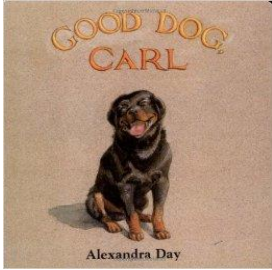




2nd Grade Summer Reading List

Required Reading: *Good Dog, Carl* by Alexandra Day



This is a wordless book that uses only pictures to tell the story. It allows the reader to use the pictures in the book and his/her imagination to create the storyline which includes a beginning, middle, and end. The story should match what is happening in the pictures.

For ease, use sticky notes on the appropriate pages in the wordless book to help organize sentences. Once this is done, have your child write their short story in simple paragraph form.

Choice List: Choose two books.

Read at least two books from the choice list. Put a check mark beside each book read and return the list to your teacher during the first week of school along with a creative written story for the above required reading. The books marked with an asterisk (*) are of an easier reading level.

- _____ A Chair for My Mother by Vera B. Williams *
- _____ Owl Moon by Jane Yolen *
- _____ Roxaboxen by Barabara Cooney *
- _____ The Biggest Bear by Lynd Kendall Ward *
- _____ Blaze and the Lost Quarry (or others in series) by C.W. Anderson *
- _____ Birthday for Frances (or others in series) by Lillian Hoban *
- _____ George and Martha series by James Marshall *
- _____ Paul Revere – any biography by Augusta Stevenson
- _____ Mary Pope Osborne series
- _____ Usborne Time Traveler series
- _____ Beatrix Potter Books by Beatrix Potter
- _____ The Cam Jansen Mystery series by David A. Adler
- _____ The Boxcar Children's series by Gertrude Chandler Warner
- _____ Mouse on the Motorcycle series by Beverly Cleary
- _____ The Chalk Box Story by Don Freeman
- _____ Time of Wonder by Robert McCloskey
- _____ The Ugly Duckling by Hans Christian Andersen
- _____ The Littles by John Lawrence Peterson
- _____ Matilda by Roald Dahl

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_____Two Good Friends by Judy Delton

_____The Magic Finger by Roald Dahl

_____Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats T. S. (Thomas Stearns) Eliot

_____Miss Rumphius by Barbara Cooney

_____The Snow Spider by Jenny Nimmo

_____Just So Stories by Rudyard Kipling

_____The Trumpet of the Swan by E.B. White