

2019 Summer Reading Ideas Rising Kindergarten



For our “All School Read” this year, we have chosen *Gobi, A Little Dog with a Big Heart* by Dion Leonard. Please enjoy this book with your family, as well as some of the other suggestions below. We simply want rising first graders to choose titles that interest and engage them!

Picture Books

1. *Please, Open This Book!* by Adam Lehrhaupt
2. *Love You Forever* by Robert Munsch
3. *Caps for Sale* by Esphyr Slobodkina
4. *Rainbow Fish* by Marcus Pfister
5. *We Are Growing* by Mo Willems
6. *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Pena
7. *Mike Sullivan and the Steam Shovel* by Virginia Lee Burton
8. *The Dot* by Peter H. Reynolds
9. *Sam and Dave Dig a Hole* by Mac Barnett
10. *They All Saw a Cat* by Brendan Wenzel
10. *Mighty Mighty Construction Site* by Sherri Duskey Rinker
11. *The Story of Ferdinand* by Munro Leaf
12. *Sylvester and the Magic Pebble* by William Steig

13. ***Panda Pants*** by Jacqueline Davies
14. ***Horrible Bear!*** by Ame Dyckman
15. ***Most Magnificent Thing*** by Ashley Spiers
16. ***Do Unto Otters: A Book About Manners*** by Laurie Keller
17. ***Stellaluna*** by Janell Cannon
18. ***Rosie Revere, Engineer*** by Andrea Beaty

19. ***Knuffle Bunny*** by Mo Williams
20. ***King Bidgood's in the BathTub*** by Audrey and Don Wood
21. ***If you Give and Mouse a Cookie*** by Laura Numeroff
22. ***A Chair for My Mother*** by Vera B. Williams
23. ***Amazing Grace*** by Mary Hoffman and Caroline Binch
24. ***The Story About Ping*** by Marjorie Flack and Kurt Weise

Non-fiction

1. ***Mighty Machines in Action*** (Blast Off Readers) by R. Pettiford
2. ***Amazing Trains*** (Blast Off Readers) by C. Leighton
3. ***Awesome Dogs*** (Blast Off Readers) by N. Sommer
4. ***Cool Robots*** (Pebble Plus series) by Kathryn Clay
5. ***Tiny Dogs*** (Pebble Plus series) by Allan Morey
6. ***Big Dog*** (Pebble Plus series) by Allan Morey
7. ***Cool Cats*** series (Blast Off Readers) by Christina Leaf
8. ***Awesome Dogs*** series (Blast Off Readers)
by Christina Leighton
9. ***Hippos Are Hugh!*** by Jonathan London
10. ***Arctic A to Open This Book!, Warning: Do Not Open This Book!***

Picture Books about Kindergarten

1. ***On the First Day of Kindergarten*** by Tish Rabe
2. ***Kindergarten Rocks!*** by Katie Davis
3. ***The Twelve Days of Kindergarten*** by Deborah Lee Rose
4. ***Countdown to Kindergarten*** by Alison McGhee
5. ***The Pirate of Kindergarten*** by George Lyon
6. ***Planet Kindergarten*** by Sue Ganz-Schmitt
7. ***The Kissing Hand*** by Audrey Penn

8. *Wemberly Worried* by Kevin Henkes
9. *My Kindergarten* by Rosemary Wells
10. *Chrysanthemum* by Kevin Henkes
11. *Kindergarten Cat* by Patrick Lewis
12. **Leo the Late Bloomer** by **Robert Kraus**