

Crossroads Academy

Incoming Fourth Grade Required Summer Reading

Read, read, read!!! Reading is the cornerstone of scholarship and academic success. Reading for fun has been identified as a crucial factor in building vocabulary and increasing comprehension (essential literacy skills). Summer vacation is the perfect time to encourage this practice. Each student should be reading every day over the summer for a sustained period of time (at least 30 minutes in one sitting, per day). Crossroads Academy teachers recommend setting aside a certain time of day to establish a reading routine. Be sure to include books on your list of items to pack for vacation trips!

Students should keep a record of the time they spend reading on the attached reading log.

Your child should bring in this form and the reading log on the first day of school.

In addition to the books of their choice, your child is required to read Holes by Louis Sachar. This is a fun summer read as a tangled web of events, through multiple generations, unfolds into an elegant conclusion. The book is included with your summer packet. Each book is numbered and will be expected to be returned on the first day of school. When school begins, we will be discussing this story and completing several assignments based on the book.

Fourth Grade Required Book: Holes by Louis Sachar

Book # _____

Name: _____

My Three Favorite Books from the Summer

1. Title: _____

Author: _____

2. Title: _____

Author: _____

3. Title: _____

Author: _____

Parent Signature: _____

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Student Signature: _____

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
19-Jun	20-Jun	21-Jun	22-Jun	23-Jun	24-Jun	25-Jun
26-Jun	27-Jun	28-Jun	29-Jun	30-Jun	1-Jul	2-Jul
3-Jul	4-Jul	5-Jul	6-Jul	7-Jul	8-Jul	9-Jul
10-Jul	11-Jul	12-Jul	13-Jul	14-Jul	15-Jul	16-Jul
17-Jul	18-Jul	19-Jul	20-Jul	21-Jul	22-Jul	23-Jul
24-Jul	25-Jul	26-Jul	27-Jul	28-Jul	29-Jul	30-Jul
31-Jul	1-Aug	2-Aug	3-Aug	4-Aug	5-Aug	6-Aug
7-Aug	8-Aug	9-Aug	10-Aug	11-Aug	12-Aug	13-Aug
14-Aug	15-Aug	16-Aug	17-Aug	18-Aug	19-Aug	20-Aug
21-Aug	22-Aug	23-Aug	24-Aug	25-Aug	25-Aug	26-Aug
27-Aug	28-Aug	29-Aug				