

Saint Peter of Alcantara School

Summer Reading Assignments

2019

Please see information for the grade(s) your child(ren) will attend in September.

Assignments are due September 3, 2019.

Grade	Assignment	Author	Title
K	Please read aloud with your child(ren) every day. Enjoy a variety of stories, poetry and informational books. Choose books from our suggested list or select family favorites. Complete attached Summer Reading Response .	Barton, Bethany Blevins, Wiley Brown, Margaret Wise Intriago, Patricia Litwin, Eric Verde, Susan Willems, Mo Yeh, Kat Yolen, Jane Yoon, Salina Various Various Various	<i>Give Bees a Chance</i> <i>Big Box of Shapes</i> <i>North, South, East, West</i> <i>Dot</i> <i>Pete the Cat: Rocking in My School Shoes</i> <i>I Am Human: A Book of Empathy</i> <i>Should I Share My Ice Cream?</i> <i>The Friend Ship</i> <i>How Do Dinosaurs Go to School?</i> <i>Bear's Big Day</i> <i>Let's-Read-and-Find-Out Science 1 (Series)</i> <i>National Geographic Kids (Series)</i> <i>Step into Reading (Series)</i>
1	Please read aloud with your child(ren) every day. Enjoy a variety of stories, poetry and informational books. Choose books from our suggested list or select family favorites. Complete attached Summer Reading Response .	Brown, Peter dePaola, Tomie Galdone, Paul Henkes, Kevin Kranz, Linda Robbins, Dean Slobodkina, Esphyr Underwood, Deborah Verde, Susan Willems, Mo Yamada, Kobe Various Various Various	<i>The Curious Garden</i> <i>Strega Nona</i> <i>The Little Red Hen</i> <i>Wemberly Worries</i> <i>Only One You</i> <i>Margaret and the Moon</i> <i>Caps for Sale</i> <i>The Quiet Book</i> <i>I Am Human: A Book of Empathy</i> <i>Waiting is Not Easy!</i> <i>Because I Had a Teacher</i> <i>Let's-Read-and-Find-Out Science 2 (Series)</i> <i>National Geographic Kids (Series)</i> <i>Step into Reading (Series)</i>
2	Select two books to read and complete attached Memory Bag About a Book for one.	Barracca, Debra Brown, Jeff Clements, Andrew Danziger, Paula Lowry, Lois Osborne, Mary Pope	<i>The Adventures of Taxi Dog</i> <i>Flat Stanley (Series)</i> <i>Dogku</i> <i>Get Ready for Second Grade, Amber Brown</i> <i>Gooney Bird Greene</i> <i>Magic Tree House (Series)</i>

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3	Select two books to read and complete attached Memory Bag About a Book for one.	Various Various	<i>Who Was...?</i> (Series) <i>What Was...?</i> (Series)
4	Select two books to read and complete attached Photo Album for one.	Gutman, Dan Floca, Brian LaMarche, Jim Mattick, Lindsay Pearce, Jackson Yang, Gene Luen	<i>Geography (My Weird School Fast Facts)</i> <i>Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11</i> <i>The Raft</i> <i>Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear</i> <i>Pip Bartlett's Guide to Magical Creatures</i> <i>Secret Coders (Series)</i>
5	Read both required books. Complete attached Poem & Essay Assignments for both books. <u>Please hand write all work.</u>	Balliet, Blue Myron, Vicki Paulson, Gary Weeks, Sarah	<i>Chasing Vermeer</i> <i>Dewey the Library Cat: A True Story (Young Readers Edition)</i> <i>Hatchet</i> REQUIRED <i>Pie</i> REQUIRED
6	Read both required books. Complete attached Poem & Essay Assignments for both books. <u>Please hand write all work.</u>	Konigsburg, E.L. Lakin, Patricia Malone, Marianne Snyder, Zilpha Keatley	<i>A View From Saturday</i> REQUIRED <i>Steve Jobs: Thinking Differently</i> REQUIRED <i>Sixty-Eight Rooms #1</i> <i>The Egypt Game</i>
7	Read both required books. Complete attached Poem & Essay Assignments for both books. <u>Please hand write all work.</u>	Law, Ingrid Mass, Wendy Raskin, Ellen Ullman, James Ramsey	<i>Savvy</i> REQUIRED <i>Every Soul a Star</i> <i>The Westing Game</i> <i>Banner in the Sky</i> REQUIRED
8	Read both required books. Complete attached Poem & Essay Assignments for both books. <u>Please hand write all work.</u>	Fleischman, Paul Lee, Harper Pausch, Randy Steinbeck, John	<i>Seedfolks</i> <i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i> REQUIRED <i>The Last Lecture</i> REQUIRED <i>The Pearl</i>

This booklist was prepared by the Principal & Teachers of Saint Peter of Alcantara School.

See our website for School Library Summer Hours.

Visit the Summer Reading display for our school at the Port Washington Public Library.

Kindergarten

Summer Reading Response

Plan a special time for reading together every day. As you read, encourage your child to ask questions and discuss parts of the book he or she finds interesting.

Select one story (picture book, fiction) and one informational (non-fiction) book to complete this worksheet.

Parents - write the title & author of each book.

Favorite
Book!

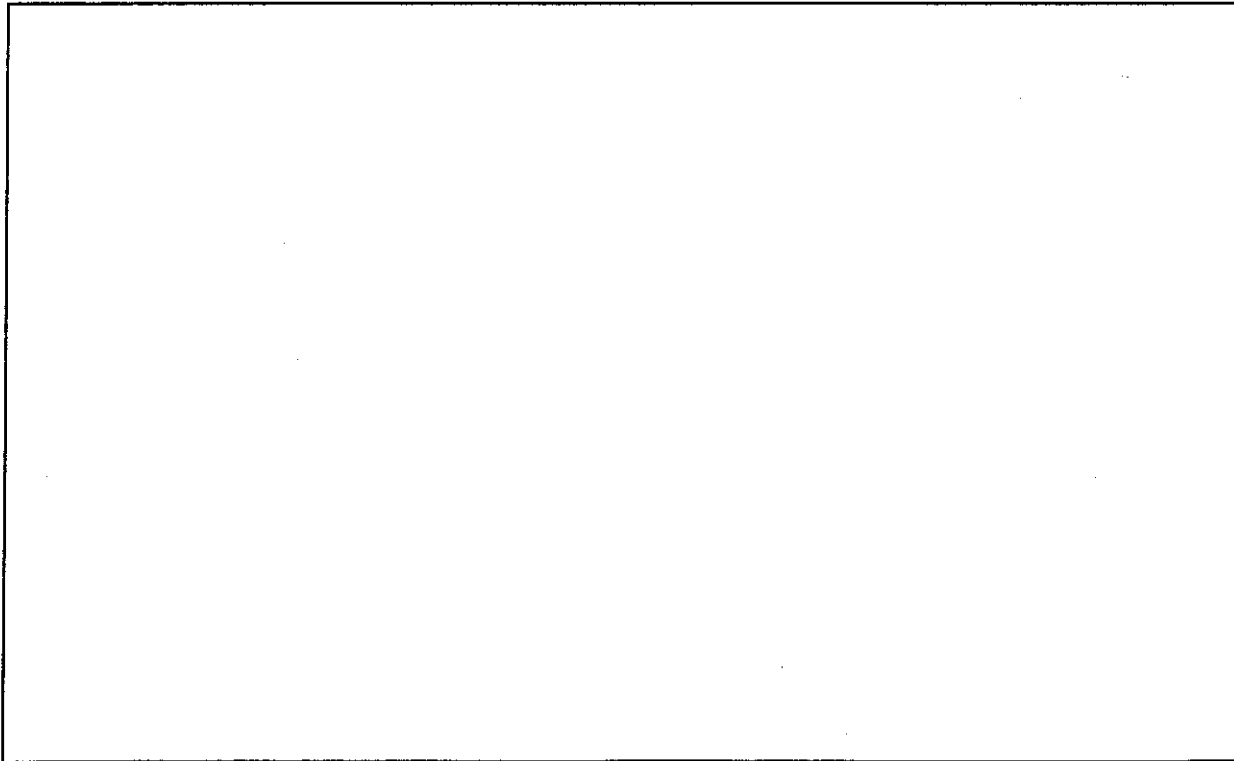
Book 1: **Story (picture book, fiction)**

Title & Author

Book 2: **Informational (non-fiction)**

Title & Author

Kids - draw a picture of your favorite part of your favorite book.



Parents - write your child's description of the picture.

First Grade

Summer Reading Response

Plan a special time for reading together every day. As you read, encourage your child to ask questions and discuss parts of the book he or she finds interesting.

Select one story (picture book, fiction) and one informational (non-fiction) book to complete this worksheet.

Parents - write the title & author of each book.

Favorite
Book!

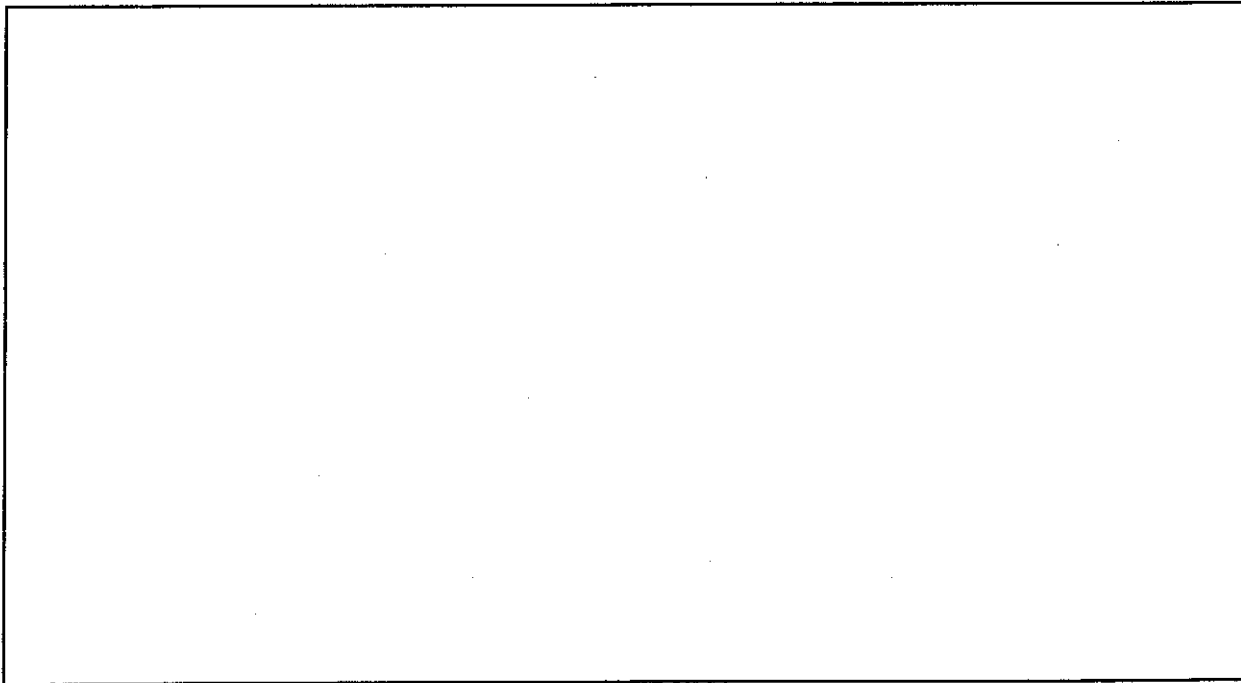
Book 1: **Story (picture book, fiction)**

Title & Author

Book 2: **Informational (non-fiction)**

Title & Author

Kids - draw a picture of your favorite part of your favorite book.



Parents - write your child's description of the picture.



Memory Bag About a Book

Directions

2nd
Grade



Make a list of the story elements, making sure that you retell the story. Beside each element, write down an object to represent each one. Find the objects and put them in a bag (brown grocery bag, gift bag, cloth bag, whatever!) You will use the items in your bag to retell the story to the class. Fill out the sheet below.

Story Elements	Bag Item	Why You Chose The Item
Character		
Setting		
Problem (s)		
Events		
Solution		

Please complete for ONE of the books you read.



Memory Bag About a Book

Directions

3rd Grade



Make a list of the story elements, making sure that you retell the story. Beside each element, write down an object to represent each one. Find the objects and put them in a bag (brown grocery bag, gift bag, cloth bag, whatever!) You will use the items in your bag to retell the story to the class. Fill out the sheet below.

Story Elements	Bag Item	Why You Chose The Item
Character		
Setting		
Problem (s)		
Events		
Solution		

Please complete for ONE of the books you read.

4th Grade

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Summer Reading Assignment for Incoming Fourth Graders

Photo Album Directions

Draw six photos that show the most important people, places, events, or objects from your book.

For each photo, write a caption paragraph describing each photo and any other important information about the photo.

Fold a sheet of construction paper in half. On the front, write a title for your album. Include the book title, author and your name. On the inside and back cover, glue your photos and captions.

5-8 grades

**SUMMER ASSIGNMENT 2019
STUDENTS GOING INTO GRADES**

5-----6-----7-----8

PLEASE HAND WRITE ALL WORK

DUE 9/3/19

1. ALL STUDENTS READ BOTH REQUIRED BOOKS
AND DO THIS ASSIGNMENT FOR BOTH BOOKS.

2. **WRITE AN ORIGINAL POEM**
(MINIMUM 12 LINES) USE THE CHARACTERS AND
SIGNIFICANT MOMENTS THAT HAPPENED IN THE
BOOK TO WRITE THE POEM. IT DOES NOT HAVE TO
RHYME. BE SURE TO CREATE 3 EXAMPLES OF
FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE IN YOUR POEM.(SIMILES,
METAPHORS, ONOMATOPOEIA, IMAGERY,
PERSONIFICATION, HYPERBOLE, ALLITERATION,
ETC.,ETC.,ETC.)

3. **ESSAY:** EXPLAIN THE LESSONS YOU LEARNED
FROM READING THE BOOK? BE SPECIFIC, USE TEXT
TO SUPPORT YOUR ESSAY. REFER TO PAGE
NUMBERS.