

## SS. Simon and Jude School 2017 Summer Reading List

Dear Parents,

For your convenience, we have listed below the teachers' requirements for your children for the upcoming school year. The required reading books for grades 3-8 will be discussed in September and count as the first Language Arts mark. Suggested authors are listed for grades 1 and 2. (No tests or grades will be given.)

In addition to the required books, you may find additional titles recommended by the archdiocese by clicking on "Recommended Summer Reading" on our school website.

### STUDENTS ENTERING FIRST GRADE -

Any "I Can Read" Books Levels 1&2 or books by suggested authors below:

Karen Ackerman	Eric Carle	Tomi dePaola	Lois Ehlert	Carol Erickson	Dr. Seuss
Arnold Lobel	Eve Merriam	Ezra Jack Keats	Jerry Pickney	Leo Lionni	Shel Silverstein

### STUDENTS ENTERING SECOND GRADE-

Any books about Famous Inventors    Any books by Cynthia Rylant    Any books that interest them

### STUDENTS ENTERING THIRD GRADE-

Throw Your Tooth on the Roof -Shelby Beeler    Balto and the Great Race – Elizabeth Cody Kimmel

### STUDENTS ENTERING FOURTH GRADE-

Those Rebels, John and Tom by Barbara Kerley    The War with Grandpa by Robert Kimmel Smith

### STUDENTS ENTERING FIFTH GRADE –

Wonder- R.J. Palacio    Back in Time with Benjamin Franklin- Dan Gutman

### STUDENTS ENTERING SIXTH GRADE –

Drums, Girls and Dangerous Pie – Jordan Sonnenblick    The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Barnhill

### STUDENTS ENTERING SEVENTH GRADE-

Fever 1793- Laurie Halse Anderson    Esperanza Rising- Pam Munoz Ryan

### STUDENTS ENTERING EIGHTH GRADE-

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry- (will be provided by teacher)    Chasing Lincoln's Killer – James L. Swanson