



Suggested Reading List: Late Elementary (5th-6th Grades)

(These titles are presented in no particular order, represent choices for a particular class, selected from a host of possibilities. Parents and teachers are encouraged to modify these lists with their own favorites.)

5th Grade:

- *The Book of Three*, Alexander
- *Mr. Popper's Penguins*, Atwater
- *Beowulf*
- *The Magic Bicycle*, Bibee
- *A Door in the Wall*, DeAngeli
- *Hitty-Her First Hundred Years*, Field
- *Adam of the Road*, Gray
- *The Phantom Tollbooth*, Jester
- *Saint Patrick's Day*, Kessel
- *Lamb's Tales*, Lamb
- *The Boy's King Arthur*, Lanier
- *The Princess and the Goblin*, Macdonald
- *The Princess and Curdie*, Macdonald
- *The Dog of Pompeii*, Untermeyer
- *Crown and Jewel*, Massi
- *The Bridge*, Massi
- *The Two Collars*, Massi
- *Beauty*, McKinley
- *Straw into Gold*, Schmidt
- *Otto of the Silver Hand*, Pyle
- *Robin Hood*, Pyle
- *Cinderella*, Rackham
- *Roller Skates*, Sawyer
- *Tuck Everlasting*, Babbit
- *Call It Courage*, Sperry
- *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (and other tales of Narnia)*, Lewis
- *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*, Twain
- *Dancing Shoes, Ballet Shoes, Theatre Shoes*, Streatfield
- *The Jungle Books*, Kipling
- *A Little Princess*, Burnett
- *The Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler*, Konigsburg
- *The Moffats*, Estes
- *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH*,
- *Old Yeller*, Gipson
- *Rascal*, North
- *The Secret Garden*, Burnett
- *Wind in the Willows*, Grahame
- *The Dancing Bear*, Dickinson
- *The Family That Lived Under the Bridge*, Carlson
- *Strawberry Girl*, Lenski
- *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, Baum
- *Heidi*, Spyri
- *The Thirteen Clocks*, Thurber

- *The Jungle Book*, Kipling
- *Little Women*, Alcott
- *Pollyanna*, Porter
- *Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm*, Wiggins
- *Anne of Green Gables*, Montgomery
- *Little House series*, Wilder
- *Treasure Island*, Stevenson
- *Misty of Chincoteague*, Henry
- *Detectives In Togas*, Winterbourne

6th Grade:

- *Banner in the Sky*, Ullman
- *A Wrinkle in Time*, L'Engle
- *Black Ships Before Troy*, Sutcliffe
- *Book of Cowboys*, James
- *Boys Life of Edison*, Meadowcroft

- *By Pike and Dike, A Tale of the Rise of the Dutch Republic*, Henty
- *Caddie Woodlawn*, Brink
- *Daniel Boone and other biographies*, Daugherty
- *For the Temple: A Tale of the Fall of Jerusalem*, Henty
- *Henry Huggins*, Cleary
- *Number the Stars*, Lowry
- *Captains Courageous*, Kipling
- *Merry Adventures of Robin Hood*, Pyle
- *Story of King Arthur and his Knights*, Pyle
- *Uncle Tom's Cabin*, Stowe
- *Twenty and Ten*, Bishop
- *The Bronze Bow*, Speare
- *Kidnapped*, Stevenson
- *North to Freedom*, Holm