

Summer Reading 2021

Dear Franklin Families,

It's that time of year-summer, and with summer comes summer reading! Reading is a lifelong skill that needs to be nurtured and practiced regularly. Reading is exercise for the brain. Research shows that scholars who do not read over the summer lose at least two months of reading development. This is known as the "summer slide." On the other hand, scholars who read over the summer gain a month or more of reading development.

This summer incoming 1st-8th grade students will continue weekly iReady lessons through July 15, 2021. Grades 6-8 have a reading assignment. This assignment will be used the first week of school for the 2021-2022 school year. In addition, students are encouraged to choose books to read off of the Sunshine State Young Readers Award Books (SSYRAB) listed below. Finally, the Palm Beach County Library System link and family reading tips and ideas are also included below.

[Parent Reading Tips](#)

[Family Summer Reading Ideas](#)

[Palm Beach County Library System](#)

[Incoming Grades K-2 Suggested Reading List](#)

[Incoming Grades 3-5 Suggested Reading List](#)

[Incoming Grades 6-8 Suggested Reading List](#)

[Incoming 6th Grade Summer Reading Assignment-*Hatchet*](#)

[Incoming 7th Grade Summer Reading Assignment-*Drums, Girls, & Dangerous Pies*](#)

[Incoming 8th Grade Summer Reading Assignment-*Red Kayak*](#)

The MORE
that you read,
the MORE things
you will know.
The MORE that you
learn,
the MORE places you'll go.

