

## Summer Reading and Activities for upcoming 1<sup>st</sup> Graders

1	Super Chicken	Mary Jane Auch
2	Eleanor	Barbara Cooney
3	Miss Rumphius	Barbara Cooney
4	Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type	Barbara Cronin
5	Lucky Day	Keiko Kasza
6	The Wolf's Chicken Stew	Keiko Kasza
7	<b><i>Three Hens and a Peacock</i></b>	<b><i>Lester Laminack</i></b>
8	Saturday's and Tea Cakes	Lester Laminack
9	<b><i>Coat of Many Colors</i></b>	<b><i>Dolly Parton</i></b>
10	<b><i>Sandwich Swap</i></b>	<b><i>Queen Rania of Jordan Al-Abdullah</i></b>
11	Bug Zoo	Andy Harkness; Disney Hyperion
12	<b><i>Each Kindness</i></b>	<b><i>Jacqueline Woodson</i></b>

- The books that are bold and italicized are the books that they MUST read over the summer.
- I put more books on this list. I would like them to read AT LEAST 10 books in all this summer.
- Parents can read TO the student or the student can choose to read by THEMSELVES.

**Here are the projects that they can choose to do, please choose 3 activities:**

1. Make a comic strip representing the book:

<https://www.storyboardthat.com/storyboard-creator>

2. Create a travel brochure for the setting of your book:

<http://www.readwritethink.org/parent-afterschool-resources/activities-projects/design-travel-brochure-30297.html>

[http://www.brother.com/creativecenter/en\\_us/buisness/brochure/travel/ENUS\\_VACATION-BRO\\_3.htm](http://www.brother.com/creativecenter/en_us/buisness/brochure/travel/ENUS_VACATION-BRO_3.htm)

3. Make a wanted or lost poster of the book characters:

<http://www.postermywall.com/index.php/g/wanted-posters>

4. Representing the book characters, make puppets and act out the story.
5. Create a postcard of someplace mentioned in your book. Write on your postcard as if you were a main character in the book.
6. Use your parent's phone (with permission and guidance) to record commercials for the books that you've read!
7. Draw a map of the various places in your book.
8. Locate the classified advertisements. Locate something that you think your chosen book character would want or need. Explain why you think this is the case. Cut and paste the ad on a piece of paper. Write on the same paper or staple a blank piece of paper to this sheet.