



Reading Assignment Summer 2021
Directions for Rising Second Grade Students

Dear Parents,

Research has shown that the best predictor of reading achievement is the amount of time spent reading. The best thing to do with your child is to read to them, read with them, and give them opportunities for independent reading. Please encourage positive reading experiences so that your child will look forward to completing the summer work.

This reading assignment is a requirement for all incoming second graders and will be graded for 25 points (5 points per story map).

1. Please choose 5 books to read over the summer. Please see the book list for suggestions, but you may choose any books you would like.
 - o 4 fiction books
 - o 1 non-fiction book
2. After reading, your child will then complete a story map for each book read. Each story map will be worth 5 points for a total of 25 points. There is one map that can be printed for the 4 fiction books and 1 form for the non-fiction book.
3. Each child must turn in a story map for each book (5 total) on the first day of school, Monday, August 30, 2021.
4. We encourage students to read more than 5 books this summer, but it is only necessary to read and complete 5 story maps for the assignment.
5. Happy reading! ☺
6. Along with reading practice, students are encouraged to practice on the Language Arts XXXIX. This is not required, but available for your use.

Sincerely,

The Second Grade Teachers
