

Berean Academy

Summer Reading Requirements for Students Entering Fourth Grade

Number of Pages: 250 to 500

Assessment: Record reading data on the Berean Academy Reading Log (due the first day of school)

Non-Fiction: It is highly recommended that at least two selections be non-fiction. The current reading list does not include non-fiction titles, so parents will need to choose age appropriate non-fiction selections for their children.

Read Alouds: An adult may read aloud up to 150 pages to the child, as long as the selections are at least sixth-grade level.

New Students: Students new to Berean Academy who enroll after July 15 will have their number of pages reduced to 100. New students who enroll close to the first day of school may have an alternative set of guidelines established by the administration or faculty.

Selections: The second page of this packet contains a list of recommended books for this age group; however parents and students are not limited to this list. To locate additional titles, visit <http://www.renlearn.com/store/> and click the “Quiz Search” link. Enter a title or author in the search box to find the level of the book. The level represents a rough correlation to school grade equivalence. Students entering fourth grade should read books at the 4.0 level or (preferably) higher.

**Fourth Grade Summer Reading Titles
(Reading levels vary.)**

| <u>Author</u> | <u>Title</u> |
|--------------------------|---|
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | <i>Boxcar Children</i> |
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | <i>The Mystery of the Pirate's Map</i> |
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | <i>The Mystery of the Missing Cat</i> |
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | <i>The Mystery of the Mixed-Up Zoo</i> |
| Gertrude Chandler Warner | <i>Mystery Ranch</i> |
| Franklin Dixon | <i>Mystery of the Flying Express</i> (Hardy Boys) |
| Franklin Dixon | <i>Mystery of the Desert Giant</i> (Hardy Boys) |
| Carolyn Keene | <i>Mystery of the Ivory Charm</i> (Nancy Drew) |
| Carolyn Keene | <i>Mystery of the Ski Jump</i> (Nancy Drew) |
| Lois Gladys Leppard | <i>Mandie and the Secret Tunnel</i> |
| Lois Gladys Leppard | <i>Mandie and the Singing Chalet</i> |
| Lois Gladys Leppard | <i>Mandie and the Medicine Man</i> |
| Lee Roddy | <i>The Legend of Fire</i> |
| Lee Roddy | <i>Burden of Honor</i> |
| Valerie Tripp | <i>Meet Kit</i> |
| Valerie Tripp | <i>Meet Molly</i> |
| Barbara Park | <i>Junie B. Jones is not a Crook</i> |
| Dick King-Smith | <i>Mixed-up Max</i> |