



**Saint Bridget School
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Dear Rising Third Graders,

We are looking forward to seeing you in the fall. To help you get ready for third grade, we would like for you to read some special books this summer. Make this the summer that you get your OWN public library card. Be involved in choosing the books you want to read! Local libraries have several sections in their Children's area. You can choose books from the Fiction, Non-Fiction, Fantasy, or Biography sections. Feel free to ask the children's librarians for their advice. Consider joining your local library's "Summer Reading Program" and you may earn some fun prizes for the books you read!

This summer you will be asked to complete a Summer Reading Bingo Card. You are asked to complete five squares in a row (horizontal, vertical, or diagonal) to get bingo. Please be sure to write the title of the book in each square. **Bingo cards need to be turned in on the first day of school.** We can't wait to meet you in August! Have a great summer!

Sincerely,

The Third Grade Teachers

<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a biography</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a book about planets</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a mystery book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a friend's favorite book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>
<p>Read a comic book or magazine</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a book of Ancient Greece or Rome</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Re-read your favorite book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a nonfiction book about the earth</p> <p>Title: _____</p>
<p>Read a book that is part of a series</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a book by an author you have never read before</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Join your local library's summer reading program</p>	<p>Read a riddle or a joke book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>
<p>Read a nonfiction book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a book that was made into a movie</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a sports or outdoor book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a poetry book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>
<p>Read a book that has won an award</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read a fantasy or science fiction book</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Read an animal story</p> <p>Title: _____</p>	<p>Choice</p> <p>Title: _____</p>

Rising Third Grade Suggested Summer Reading

The following books are suggestions for some great summer reading. This list has been compiled from several sources such as the American Library Association, the Newberry and Caldecott winner and honors list, and state award winners. The books on this list are not required nor is this an all inclusive list. Parents are encouraged to help students make the best choice for the student.

Fiction Books

Fantastic Mr. Fox by Roald Dahl

Bad Guys by Aaron Blabey

Cam Jansen by David A. Adler

Owl Diaries by Rebecca Elliott

The Boxcar Children by Gertrude Chandler Warner

Rise of the Balloon Goons by Troy Cummings

How Not to Start Third Grade by Cathy Hapka

Nonfiction Books

Hidden figures: the true story of four black women and the space race
by Margery Lee Shetterly

A Weed is a Flower The Life of George Washington Carver by Alike
Scholastic Readers Level 4

Me and the Sky by Beverley Bass and Cythia Williams

Who Would Win Series by multiple authors

Hippos Can't Swim and Other Fun Facts by Laura Lyn DiSiena

Award Winners

We are Water Protectors by Carole Lindstrom

Wolf in the Snow by Matthew Cordell

Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Pena

Fry Bread: A Native American Family Story by Kevin Noble Maillard

Sea Otter Heroes: The Predators that Saved an Ecosystem by Patricia Newman