**Fifth Grade Reading List**

Parents, your child must read two fiction and two non-fiction books. Then they must complete book reports that are attached to the lists. All four book reports are due on the first day of school and will be taken for a grade! All books are Accelerated Reading books.

**Fiction**

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| **Title** | **Author** |
| American Girl Books | Any Author |
| Mr. Popper’s Penguins | Richard Atwater |
| Tuck Everlasting | Natalie Babbitt |
| Frindle | Andrew Clements |
| Bud, Not Buddy | Christopher Paul Curtis |
| The Mighty Miss Malone | Christopher Paul Curtis |
| Elijah of Buxton | Christopher Paul Curtis |
| The City of Ember | Jeanne DuPrau |
| The House of the Scorpion | Nancy Farmer |
| Inkheart Series | Corneila Funke |
| Ruby Red Series | Kerstin Geir |
| Just Ella | Margaret Peterson Haddix |
| Everything on a Waffle | Polly Horvath |
| Nancy Drew Series | Carolyn Keene |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid Series | Jeff Kinney |
| The Giver Series | Lois Lowry |
| Any Book by the Author (Sports Related Books) | Mike Lupica |
| Charlie Bone Series | Jenny Nimmo |
| The Borrowers | Mary Norton |
| Island of the Blue Dolphins | Scott O’Dell |
| Treasure Hunters Series | James Patterson |
| Any Book by the Author | Gary Paulsen |
| Here Lies Arthur | Philip Reeve |
| Olympians Series | Rick Riordan |
| Harry Potter Series | J.K. Rowlings |
| Esperanza Rising | Pam Munoz Ryan |
| The Wednesday Wars | Gary D. Schmidt |
| Series of Unfortunate Events Series | Lemony Snicket |
| The Sign of the Beaver | Elizabeth George Speare |
| Bone Series | Jeff Smith |
| Crash | Jerry Spinelli |
| Goosebumps Series | R.L. Stine |
| Casey at Bat | Ernest Lawrence Thayer |
| Surviving the Applewhites | Stephanie S. Tolan |
| The Chronicles of Harris Burdick | Chris Van Allsburg |
| Moon Over Manifest | Clare Vanderpool |
| 101 Ways to Bug Your Parents | Lee Wardlaw |
| Any Book by the Author | Geronimo Stilton |
| The Ballad of the Pirates Queens | Jane Yolen |

**Non-Fiction**

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| **Title** | **Author** |
| William Shakespeare and the Globe | Aliki |
| Who Was Anne Frank? | Ann Ambrason |
| Who was Milton Hershey? | James Buckley, Jr. |
| VOTE! | Eileen Christelow |
| And Then What Happened, Paul, Revere? | Jean Fritz |
| What’s the Big Idea, Ben Franklin? | Jean Fritz |
| Rosa | Nikki Giovanni |
| Action Jackson | Jan Greenberg |
| Who Was Babe Ruth? | Joan Holub |
| Top of the World: Climbing Mount Everest | Steve Jenkins |
| Flight: The Journey of Charles Kindbergh | Robert Burleigh |
| The Magic of Mythical Creatures | Colleayn O. Mastin |
| Who was Rosa Parks? | Yona Zeldis McDonough |
| Bad News Outlaws | Vaunda Micheaux Nelson |
| To Fly: The Story of the Wright Brothers | Wendie C. Olde |
| My Life in Dog Years | Gary Paulsen |
| Woodsong | Gary Paulsen |
| When Marian Sang | Pam Munoz Ryan |
| To Dance: A Ballerina’s Graphic Novel | Siena Cherson Siegel |
| A Drop of Water | Walter Wick |
| Welcome to the Sea of Sand | Jane Yolen |

Parents, if “series” or “all titles” are listed, your child may pick any book from the series or by the author to read and do a book report due the first day of school. They do not have to read every book.