

## Lower School Summer Reading

May 2024

Dear Parents,

Summer is here!!!! We are so grateful for a safe and successful school year. Please be reminded of the importance of ensuring that your child reads, reads, and reads this summer.

Summer reading loss refers to the decline in children's reading development that can occur during summer vacation times when children are away from the classroom. Research states that "Children who do not read during the summer can lose two to three months of reading skills.

Kids who do read tend to gain a month of reading proficiency."

We highly recommend **20 minutes of reading at least 4 days a week**. Try different ways of reading with your child: Take turns reading, ask questions about what is read, and illustrate your favorite part of the book.

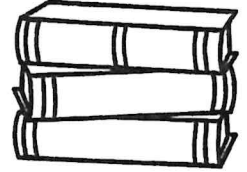
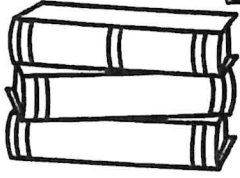
Thanks for your encouragement and interest in your child's reading experiences.

Please return the attached reading log (completed) to your teacher by August 22, 2024.

Students new to TCA have until October 18, 2024 to return the reading log.

HAPPY READING!!!!!!!!!!

# Books I've Read This Summer



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My child \_\_\_\_\_ has successfully completed the required reading for summer 2024.

Parent Signature

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