

## Suggested Summer Reading List

For Students Entering Fifth Grade in August 2011

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Titles can be located at the [Leon County Public Library](#).

Also check the "[2011 Notable Children's Books](#)" list on the ALA web site.

Select other titles from authors listed. - Read and take tests at [BookAdventure](#).

### Biography

BULL'S EYE: A PHOTOBIOGRAPHY OF ANNIE OAKLEY by Sue Macy

HANDEL: WHO KNEW WHAT HE LIKED by M.T. Anderson

LINCOLN: A PHOTOBIOGRAPHY by Russell Freedman

VOICE THAT CHALLENGED A NATION by Russell Freedman

WHEN MARION SANG by Pam Munoz

WORLD AT HER FINGERTIPS: STORY OF HELEN KELLER by Joan Dash

### Non-fiction

APOLLO 13: SPACE EMERGENCY by Cole

BUILDING BIG by David Macaulay

REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR: AMERICAN AND JAPANESE TELL THEIR STORIES by Thomas B. Allen

SECRET OF A CIVIL WAR SUBMARINE by Sally Walker

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE AND THE GLOBE by Alike

### Poetry

BOOK OF PIGERICKS by Arnold Lobel

CARVER: A LIFE IN POEMS by Marilyn Nelson

CELEBRATE AMERICA: IN POETRY AND ART by National Museum of American Art

CASEY AT THE BAT: A BALLAD OF THE REPUBLIC SUNG IN THE YEAR 1888 by Ernest Lawrence Thayer

VOICES: POETRY AND ART FROM AROUND THE WORLD by Barbara Brenner

WOODY GUTHRIE: POET OF THE PEOPLE by Bonnie Christensen

### Fiction

BASEBALL SAVED US by Ken Mochizuki

BECOMING NAOMI LEON by Pam Muñoz Ryan

BIRCHBARK HOUSE by Lois Erdrich

CHASING VERMEER by Blue Balliett

EGYPT GAME by Zilpha Keatley Synder

GAWGON AND THE BOY by Lloyd Alexander

HOOT by Carl Hiaasen

HUNDRED PENNY BOX by Sharon Bell Mathis

JAR OF DREAMS by Yoshiko Uchida

JOEY PIGZA LOSES CONTROL by Jack Gantos

KIRA-KIRA by Cynthia Kadohata

LADY LOLLIPOP by Dick King-Smith

MIDWIFE'S APPRENTICE by Karen Cushman

MOLLY BANNNAKY by Alice McGill

MOP, MOONDANCE, AND THE NAGASAKI KNIGHTS by Walter Dean Myers

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ROLL OF THUNDER, HEAR MY CRY by Mildred D. Taylor  
A SINGLE SHARD by Linda Sue Park  
TALE OF DESPEREAUX by Kate DiCamillo  
TRUE ADVENTURES by Virginia Hamilton  
TRUE CONFESSION OF CHARLOTTE DOYLE by Avi  
WALK TWO MOONS by Sharon Creech  
WATSONS GO TO BIRMINGHAM by Christopher Curtis  
YOU WANT WOMEN TO VOTE, LIZZIE STANTON? by Jean Fritz