

THE MASTER'S SCHOOL OF SAN MARCOS

Fifth Grade Reading List

Entering fifth grade summer reading requirement:

The student must read **three books** total from this list:

JULIE OF THE WOLVES George, Jean Craighead
BIG RED Kjelgaard, Jim
NUMBER THE STARS Lowry, Lois
THE GOLDEN GOBLET McGraw, Eloise
HEIDI Spyri, Johanna

The student must answer the following questions in writing for each book read. Each answer must be written in a complete sentence or sentences. The written answers will be turned in the first week of school and graded. The grades will go into the student's reading grade for the first quarter.

1. What is the book about?
2. What connections were there between the story and your experience or knowledge?
3. What problems are there in the story?
4. How is the main problem in the story solved?

Monthly Outside reading requirement:

Students will read each month, September through April, from the reading list below plus any of the books above not read during the summer. At least one of the books must be non-fiction. Books may be read over two months with teacher approval.

Book List

Fiction

Any book by George, Jean Craighead
Any book by Henty, G.A.
Any CHRONICLES OF NARNIA book by Lewis, C.S. except for THE LION, THE WITCH, AND THE WARDROBE
Any book by Lowry, Lois
Any book by Pyle, Howard except OTTO OF THE SILVER HAND
Any book by St. John, Patricia
Any book by Sutcliff, Rosemary

THE WOLVES OF WILLOUGHBY CHASE Aiken, Joan
THE BEAST OF LOR Bulla, Clyde R.
LITTLE LORD FAUNTLEROY Burnett, Frances Hodgson
THE LITTLE PRINCESS Burnett, Frances Hodgson
THE SECRET GARDEN Burnett, Frances Hodgson

TROUBLE RIVER Byars, Betsy
 SUMMER OF THE SWANS Byers, Betsy
 TEN BRAVE MEN Daugherty, S.
 A CHRISTMAS CAROL, Dickens Charles
 CORONADO'S CHILDREN Dobie, J. Frank
 HANS BRINKER or THE SILVER SKATES Dodge, Mary Mapes
 TWENTY-ONE BALLOONS Du Bois, William
 HITTY, HER FIRST 100 YEARS Field, Rachel
 THE CAT OF BUBASTES Henty, G. A.
 JOEL/A BOY OF GALILEE Johnson, Annie Fellows
 THE JUNGLE BOOK Kipling, Rudyard
 STRAWBERRY GIRL Lensky, Lois
 PIPPI LONGSTOCKINGS Lindgren, A.
 ANNE OF GREEN GABLES, L. M. Montgomery or others by this author
 GENTLE BEN Morey, Walt
 POLLYANNA Porter, Eleanor
 THE SWORD AND THE SUNDIAL Prokop, Phyllis
 SUMMER OF THE MONKEYS Rawls, Wilson
 STAR OF LIGHT St. John, Patricia
 BLACK BEAUTY Sewell, Anna
 EAGLE OF THE NINTH Sutcliff, Rosemary
 THE LANTERN BEARERS Sutcliff, Rosemary
 THE MARK OF THE HORSE LORD Sutcliff, Rosemary
 THE SILVER BRANCH Sutcliff, Rosemary
 WARRIOR'S SCARLET Sutcliff, Rosemary
 AROUND THE WORLD IN EIGHTY DAYS Verne, Jules
 JOURNEY TO THE CENTER OF THE EARTH Verne, Jules
 CHILDREN OF THE FOX Walsh, Jill Paton
 REBECCA OF SUNNYBROOK FARM Wiggin, Kate Douglas

Non-fiction

Any Landmark book not read previously and of adequate difficulty as approved by teacher
 Any book by Freedman, Russell

A PROMISE IS TO KEEP Agle, Nan Hayden (921 BEN)
 SHIPWRECK AT THE BOTTOM OF THE WORLD Armstrong, Jennifer (919.89 ARM)
 THE LITTLE WOMAN Aylward, Gladys (921 AYL)
 THE OTHER SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN Valens, E. G. (921 KIN)
 BOYS OF GRIT WHO BECAME MEN OF HONOR Wallace, Archer (920WAL)
 BOYS OF GRIT WHO CHANGED THE WORLD Wallace, Archer (920WAL)
 BOYS OF GRIT WHO NEVER GAVE UP Wallace, Archer (920WAL)

