

## Independent Reading Suggestions

(Arranged by DRA level with genres listed)

<u>Level DRA 28-30 Books</u>	<u>Level DRA 34- 38 Books</u>	<u>Level DRA 40 Books</u>
<p><i>Cam Janson</i> by David Adler (series) (My)</p> <p><i>Arthur</i> by Marc Brown (series) (F)</p> <p><i>The Chalk Box Kid</i> by Bulla (RF)</p> <p><i>The Stories Julian Tells</i> by A.Cameron (RF)</p> <p><i>Man Out at First</i> by Matt Christopher (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Goblins Don't Play Video Games</i> by Dadey and Jones (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Pee Wee Scouts</i> by Judy Denton (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>The Art Lesson</i> by Tomi dePaola (B)</p> <p><i>Polk Street Kids</i> by P. R. Giff (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Rip Roaring Russell</i> by J. Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Alexander and the Wind-up Mouse</i> by Leo Lionni (look for his other books) (F)</p> <p><i>Blueberries for Sal</i> by Robert McCloskey (RF)</p> <p><i>Make Way for Duckling</i> by Robert McCloskey (F)</p> <p><i>Junie B. Jones</i> by Barbara Parks (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>The Littles</i> by John Peterson (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Magic Tree House</i> by Osborne (series) (HF / F)</p> <p><i>Marvin Redpost</i> by Louis Sachar (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Time Warp Trio</i> by Jon Scieszka (series) (HF / F)</p> <p><i>My Father's Dragon</i> by R.G. Stiles (F)</p> <p><i>A Chair for My Mother</i> by Vera Williams (RF)</p> <p><i>Cherries and Cherry Pits</i> by Vera Williams (RF)</p>	<p><i>Henry Huggins</i> by Beverly Cleary (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Ramona</i> by Beverly Cleary (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Amber Brown</i> by Paula Danziger (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Fantastic Mr. Fox</i> by Roald Dahl (look for his other books) (F)</p> <p><i>Bunnicula</i> by Howe (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Adventures of Ali Baba Bernstein</i> by Joanna Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Aldo Ice Cream</i> by Joanna Hurwitz (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Mrs. Pigglewiggles</i> by John Peterson (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Sideways Stories from Wayside School</i> by Louis Sachar (series) (F)</p> <p><i>Boxcar Children</i> by Warner (series) (My)</p> <p><i>Magic School Bus</i> by Joanna Cole (series) (I)</p>	<p><i>Mr. Popper's Penguins</i> by Atwater (F)</p> <p><i>Souder</i> by William Armstrong (RF)</p> <p><i>Little House</i> books by Wilder (series) (HF)</p> <p><i>Hatchet</i> by Gary Paulsen (RF)</p> <p><i>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</i> by Dahl (F)</p> <p><i>Meet Felicity – American Girl</i> (series) (HF)</p> <p><i>Anastasia Krupnik</i> by Lois Lowry (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Zooman Sam</i> by Lois Lowry (series) (RF)</p> <p><i>Poppy</i> by Avi (F)</p> <p><i>Nancy Drew Mysteries</i> by C.Keene(series) (My)</p> <p>From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler by E.L. Konigsburg (RF)</p> <p><i>Charlotte's Web</i> by E. B. White (F)</p> <p><i>Stuart Little</i> by E. B. White (F)</p> <p><i>How to Eat Fried Worms</i> by T. Rockwell (RF)</p> <p><i>Frindle</i> by Andrew Clements (look for his other books) (RF)</p> <p><i>Jumanji</i> by Chris Van Allsburg (look for his other books) (F)</p> <p><i>Chasing Redbird</i> by Sharon Creech (F)</p> <p><i>Sarah, Plain and Tall</i> by Patricia MacLachlan (series) (HF)</p>

F = fantasy book  
P = poetry

I = Informational book  
B = biography

My = Mystery book  
HF = historical fiction

RF = realistic fiction  
SF = science fiction