

# Reading Resources



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Tristar Reads has created a few fun reading lists to help students of all ages and reading levels chose the right books this summer. Make sure to follow Tristar Reads (@TristarReads) on Twitter and Facebook for more book recommendations throughout the summer!

## **Silly Books for Kindergarteners**

*The Cat, the Dog, Little Red, the Exploding Eggs, the Wolf, and Grandma*, by Diane Fox  
*There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly*, by Lucille Colandro  
*The End (Almost)*, by Jim Benton  
*Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!*, by Mo Willems  
*Interrupting Chicken*, by David Ezra Stein  
*Skippyjon Jones*, by Judy Schachner  
*Bink and Gollie*, by Kate DiCamillo and Alison McGhee

## **Books for Young English Language Learners**

*Olinguito, from A to Z!*/*Olinguito, de la A a la Z!*, by Lulu Delacre  
*Yaks Yak: Animal Word Pairs*, by Linda Sue Park  
*Best Word Book Ever*, by Richard Scarry  
*Green Eggs and Ham*, by Dr. Seuss  
*The Story of Doctor Dolittle: Animal Talk*, by Hugh Lofting  
*Goodnight Moon*, by Margaret Wise Brown  
*Curious George*, by H.A. Rey  
*V is for Volunteer: A Tennessee Alphabet*, by Michael Shoulders

## **Books for Elementary School Readers (Ages 6 - 8)**

*James to the Rescue*, by Elise Broach  
*Lincoln and Kennedy: A Pair to Compare*, by Gene Barretta  
*Rules of the House*, by Mac Barnett  
*Follow the Moon Home*, by Meilo So  
*The Hole Story of Doughnuts*, by Pat Miller  
*Flat Stanley*, by Jeff Brown  
*Sarah, Plain and Tall*, by Patricia MacLachlan

## **Books for Elementary School Readers (Ages 8 - 10)**

*Judy Moody Saves the World*, by Megan McDonald  
*Fantastic Mr. Fox*, by Roald Dahl  
*Diary of a Wimpy Kid*, by Jeff Kinney  
*Matilda*, by Roald Dahl  
*Charlotte's Web*, by E.B. White  
*Wonder*, by R.J. Palacio  
*Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing*, by Judy Blume

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## **Books for Middle School Readers (Ages 11 - 13)**

*Alamo All Stars*, by Nathan Hale  
*Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, by Roald Dahl  
*Holes*, by Louis Sachar  
*Number the Stars*, by Lois Lowry  
*The Westing Game*, by Ellen Raskin  
*Tuck Everlasting*, by Natalie Babbitt  
*Harry Potter*, by J.K. Rowling  
*Princess Academy*, by Shannon Hale

## **Classic Books for High School Readers**

*To Kill a Mockingbird*, by Harper Lee  
*Nineteen Eighty-Four*, by George Orwell  
*Lord of the Flies*, by William Golding  
*Animal Farm*, by George Orwell  
*Catcher in the Rye*, by J.D. Salinger  
*The Grapes of Wrath*, by John Steinbeck  
*The Handmaid's Tale*, by Margaret Atwood  
*The Great Gatsby*, by F. Scott Fitzgerald

## **Great Adventures for All Ages**

*Alice in Wonderland*, by Lewis Carroll  
*The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, by L. Frank Baum  
*The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, by C.S. Lewis  
*The Last Olympian*, by Rick Riordan  
*The Hobbit*, by J.R.R. Tolkien  
*My Father's Dragon*, by Ruth Stiles Gannett  
*The Neverending Story*, by Michael Ende  
*The Phantom Tollbooth*, by Norton Juster and Susan Nanus

## **Books About Real Life Adventures**

*The Hive Detectives: Chronicle of a Honey Bee Catastrophe*, by Loree Griffin Burns  
*Cars on Mars: Roving the Red Planet*, by Alexandra Siy  
*Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11*, by Brian Floca  
*Soar, Elinor!*, by Tami Lewis Brown  
*Untamed: The Wild Life of Jane Goodall*, by Anita Silvey  
*Who Were the Wright Brothers?*, by James Buckley Jr.  
*How We Crossed the West: The Adventures of Lewis and Clark*, by Rosalyn Schanzer  
*Shooting for the Moon: The Amazing Life and Times of Annie Oakley*, by Stephen Krensky

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