



How to Raise Readers

- ☺ Raising good readers takes time, not money.
- ☺ Take advantage of your local library's story hours, books, and summer programs.
- ☺ Find books on topics that interest your children.
- ☺ Don't stop with books. There are wonderful children's magazines available.
- ☺ Give your children plenty of opportunities to read.
- ☺ Establish quiet times and places at home for reading.
- ☺ Teach by example, READ yourself.
- ☺ Even if your children are proficient and eager readers, keep reading to them.
- ☺ Read to your children at a very early age.
- ☺ **Children who read or are read to, succeed!**

Authors Not To Be Missed!

Mary Jane Auch
Jan Brett
Marc Brown
Eve Bunting
Eric Carle
Donald Crews
Doreen Cronin
Katie Davis
Tomie DePaola
Lois Ehlert
Mem Fox
Ruth Heller
Kevin Henkes
Amy Hest
Ezra Jack Keats
Leo Lionni
Arnold Lobel
Bill Martin Jr.
Emily McCully
David McPhail
Robert Munsch
Laura Numeroff
H.A. Rey
Cynthia Rylant
Dr. Seuss
David Shannon
Marc Simont
William Steig
Bernard Waber
Melanie Watt
Rosemary Wells
Mo Willems
Audrey & Don Wood

***Suggested
Summer Reading 2011***
*For Students Entering
Kindergarten*



Region One Schools

Cornwall Consolidated
Kent Center
Lee H. Kellogg
North Canaan
Salisbury Central
Sharon Center

Governor Malloy is encouraging students to read this summer. Please accept his challenge. Record your books and return your list to your school librarian. If you are looking for more summer reading lists, go to *WebJunction*, a service of the Connecticut State Library

<http://ct.WebJunction.org/ct/summer-reading/-/articles/content/434282>

or

http://childrensbooks.about.com/od/forparents/tp/summer_reading.html

Favorite Picture Books

Dino-Soccer

by Lisa Wheeler

Interrupting Chicken

by David Ezra Stein

A Sick Day for Amos McGee

by Philip C. Stead

LMNO Peas by Keith Baker

Scaredy Squirrel

by Melanie Watt

The Quiet Book

by Deborah Underwood

Trashy Town

by Andrea Zimmerman

I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!

by Karen Beaumont

Baby Duck in the Rain

by Amy Hest

Compost Stew

by Mary McKenna Siddals

How I Became a Pirate

by Melinda Long

Are You Ready to Play Outside?

by Mo Willems

Me . . . Jane by Patrick McDonnell

RRRalph by Lois Ehlert

More Favorite Picture Books ~ K

Good Night Gorilla

by Peggy Rathmann

Doctor Meow's Big Emergency

by Sam Lloyd

Baby Brains

by Simon James

Machines At Work

by Byron Barton

Pigs Make Me Sneeze!

by Mo Willems

Higher! Higher! by Leslie Patricelli

The Very Noisy Night

by Diana Hendry and Jane Chapman

The Very Busy Spider

by Eric Carle

Beautiful Oops! by Barney Saltzberg

Llama Llama (series) by Anna Dewdney

Froggy (series) by Jonathan London

City Dog, Country Frog by Mo Willems

Kindergarten Rocks! By Katie Davis

My Garden by Kevin Henkes

Tweak Tweak by Eve Bunting

My Cold Went On Vacation by Molly Rausch

When Sophie Gets Angry--Really, Really

Angry... by Molly Bang

More Favorite Picture Books

The Great Fuzz Frenzy

by Janet Stevens

The Very Busy Bugs

The Very Dizzy Dinosaurs

by Jack Tickle

Gingerbread Baby

by Jan Brett

Pancakes, Pancakes!

by Eric Carle

My Kindergarten

by Rosemary Wells

Olivia Goes to Venice

by Ian Falconer

Fancy Nancy by Jane O'Connor

Silverlicious (Pinkalicious series)

by Victoria Kann

Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse

by Kevin Henkes

Sunflower House

by Eve Bunting

Time For Bed by Mem Fox

When I Was Five

by Arthur Howard

Bubba and Beau

by Kathi Appelt

Adventure Annie Goes to

Kindergarten

by Toni Buzzeo