

Students Entering 3rd Grade Summer Reading

Each student will be responsible for reading the book **The Chocolate Touch** by Patrick Skene Catling. Incoming students will be expected to be able to answer questions about the plot, characters, and setting of the story. In addition to reading **The Chocolate Touch**, students should choose at least two additional books of their choice. These should be at an appropriate reading level.

Popular books/series include, but are not limited to:

Amelia Bedelia (series)	Parish, Peggy
Cam Jansen (series)	Adler, David A,
Geroge And Martha (series)	Marshall. James
Judy Moody (series)	McDonald, Megan
Miss Nelson Books (series)	Allard, Harry
Pinky And Rex (series)	Howe, James
Black Lagoon (series)	Thaler, Mike
Ginger Brown (series)	Wyeth, Sharon
Deputy Dan (series)	Rosenbloom, Joseph
Horrible Harry (series)	Kline, Suzy
Dinosaur Days	Milton, Joyce
Dolphin	Morris, Robert Ada
From Flower to Honey	Nelson, Robin
Alexander and the...(series)	Viorst, Judith
Arthur (series)	Brown, Marc
Sports Stories (series)	Christopher, Matt
Bailey School Kids (series)	Dadey, Debbie
Polk Street School (series)	Giff, Patricia Reilly
Magic Treehouse (series)	Osborne, Mary Pope
Junie B Jones (series)	Park, Barbara
Russell (series)	Hurwitz, Johanna
Mary Marony (series)	Kline, Suzy
Freckle Juice	Blume, Judy
Molly's Pilgrim	Cohen, Barbara
The One In The Middle Is The Green Kangaroo	Blume, Judy
Too Many Tamales	Soto, Gary
Abe Lincoln's Hat	Brenner, Martha
Buddy, The First Seeing Eye Dog	Moore, Eva
Five True Dog Stories	Davidson, Margaret
George Washington's Mother	Fritz, Jean
How A House Is Built	Gibbons, Gail
Kate Shelley And The Midnight Express	Wetterer, Margaret K.
A Picture Book Of Rosa Parks	Adler, David A.
Titanic: the Disaster That Shocked The World	Dubowski, Mark
A-Z Mysteries (series)	Roy, Ron
Amber Brown (series)	Danziger, Paula
Encyclopedia Brown (series)	Sobel, David
The Stories Julian Tells (series)	Cameron, Ann
Herbie Jones (series)	Kline, Suzy
Chicken Sunday	Polacco, Patricia

How to Be Cool in the 3rd Grade
 My Name Is Maria Isabel
 Shoeshine Girl
 All Pigs Are Beautiful
 Helen Keller: Courage In the dark
 How A Book Is Made
 Jackie Robinson And the Story Of All-Black Baseball
 Just A Few Words, Mr. Lincoln
 My Great-Aunt Arizona
 Pompeii - Buried Alive!
 Shark Attack!
 The Titanic: Lost.....And Found
 Babysitters Club (series)
 Baseball Saved Us
 The Boxcar Children (series)
 Chocolate Fever
 Class Clown, Class President, Baseball Fever
 The Courage Of Sarah Noble
 Aldo Applesauce (series)
 Henry (series)
 The Mouse And the Motorcycle (series)
 Pippi Longstocking (series)
 Ramona (series)
 Ant Cities
 Baseball's Best: Five True Stories
 Corn Is Maize
 How My Family Lives In America
 I Am Rosa Parks Parks, Rosa with
 Is there Life In Outer Space?
 The Story Of Ruby Bridges
 Ten True Animal Rescues
 What's The Big Idea, Ben Franklin?
 Space Station Plot and Other Cases
 Gigantic Ants and Other Cases

Douglas, Ann
 Ada, Alma F.
 Bulla, Clyde R.
 King-Smith, Dick
 Hurwitz, Johanna
 Alike
 O'Connor, Jim
 Fritz, Jean
 Houston, Gloria
 Kunhartz, Edith
 Dubowski, Cathy East
 Donnelly, Judy
 Martin, Ann M
 Mochizuki, Ken
 Warner, Gertrude C.
 Smith, Robert K.
 Hurwitz, Johanna
 Dalglish, Alice
 Hurwitz, Johanna
 Cleary, Beverly
 Cleary, Beverly
 Lindgren, Astrid
 Cleary, Beverly
 Dorros, Arthur
 Gutelle, Andrew
 Alike
 Kuklin, Susan
 Jim Haskins
 Branley, Franklyn M
 Coles, Robert
 Betancourt, Jeanne
 Fritz, Jean
 Simon, Seymour
 Simon, Seymour

To check if it is an appropriate level, have your child read a page. If they make 5 mistakes it is probably too difficult and could be frustrating.

Happy reading!