

Lake Castle Madisonville Private School, Inc

Summer Reading & Writing

2014–2015

Students in grades 4th-8th must read the **assigned books plus two other books** from the lists and prepare book reports on **each** using the formatting provided for each grade level. In addition to the book report, students must be prepared to take a test on the **required reading** upon returning to school in August. The completed book reports and the **Parent Verification forms** stapled to the back of the reports must be returned in August.

Students Entering 4th Grade

Required reading: Shiloh by Reynolds Naylor

Book Report Format: 4th & 5th Book Report Form

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>ISBN #</u>
Shiloh	Naylor	978-0689835825
4 TH Grade Rats	Spinelli	978-0590442442
Trumpet of the Swans	White	978-0064408671
Maniac Magee	Spinelli	978-0316809063
Helen Keller	Graff	978-0440404398
Little House in the Big Woods	Wilder	978-0060581808
The Chocolate Touch	Catling	978-0688161330

Students Entering 5th Grade

Required reading: Stand Tall by Joan Bauer

Book Report Format: 4th & 5th Book Report Form

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>ISBN #</u>
Stand Tall	Bauer	978-0142404276
Summer of Swans	Byars	978-0140314205
From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler	Konisburg	978-0689853548
James and the Giant Peach	Dahl	978-0140374248
The Whipping Boy	Fleischman	978-0060521228
The Secret Garden	Burnett	978-0393926354
The Miracle Worker	Gibson	978-1416590842

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Students Entering 6th Grade

Required reading: Tuck Everlasting by Babbitt

6th-8th Book Report Format – For **each** book, choose one question from letters A-D.

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>ISBN #</u>
Tuck Everlasting	Babbitt	978-0312369811
Dragonwings	Yep	978-0064400859
Lord of the Rings	Tolkien	978-0618640157
Witch of Blackbird Pond	Speare	978-0440495963
The Black Stallion	Farley	978-0679827005
M. C. Higgins the Great	Hamilton	978-1416914075
Little House on the Prairie	Wilder	978-0060581817

Students Entering 7th Grade

Required reading: Slave Dancer by Fox

6th-8th Book Report Format – For **each** book, choose one question from letters A-D.

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>ISBN #</u>
Slave Dancer	Fox	978-1416971399
Call It Courage	Sperry	978-0689713910
The Yearling	Rawlings	978-0689846236
Ella Enchanted	Levine	978-0064407052
The Pearl	Steinbeck	978-0140177374
Little Women	Alcott	978-1593081089
Kidnapped	Stevenson	978-0439295789
Harry Potter (any)	Rowling	

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Students Entering 8th Grade

Required reading: The Richest Man in Babylon by Clason

8th Required Book Report Questions – Choose one question from letters E-H.

6th-8th Book Report Format – For **each** additional book, choose one question from letters A-D.

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>ISBN #</u>
The Richest Man in Babylon	Clason	978-0451205360
Brian's Song	Blinn	978-0553266184
The Old Man and the Sea	Hemingway	978-0684801223
Sea Wolf	London	978-1604245165
Tuesdays with Morrie	Albom	978-0767905923
The Martian Chronicles	Bradbury	978-0062079930
Death on the Nile	Christie	978-0062073556
Summer of My German Soldier	Greene	978-0142406519
Frankenstein	Shelley	978-1593081157
The Book Thief	Zusak	978-0-385-75472-9