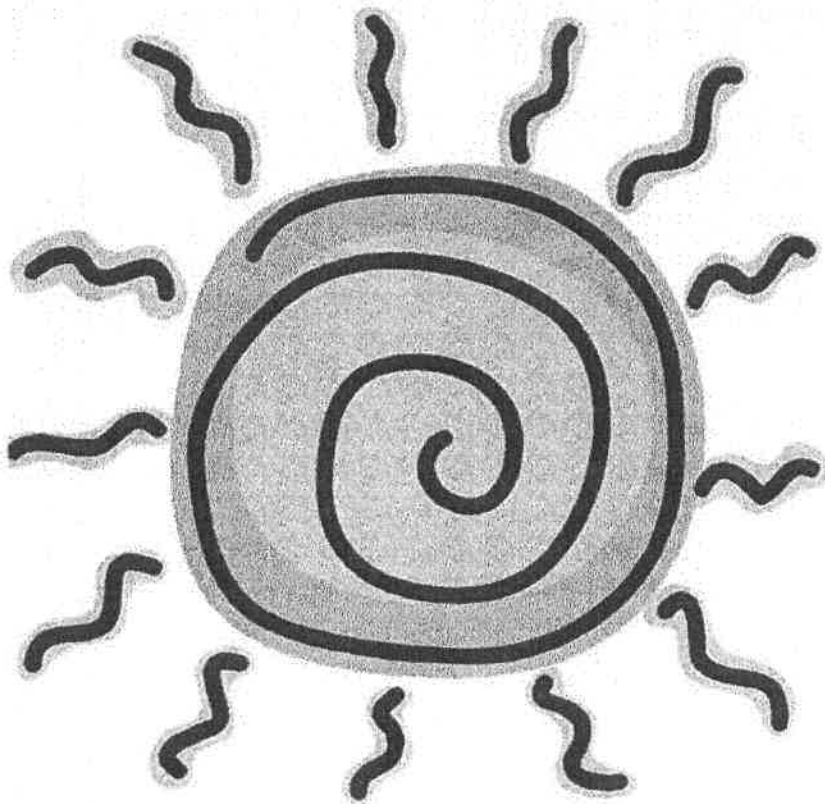


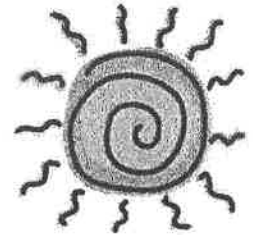
Getting Ready for Second Grade

A Summer Reading Packet
for Rising 2nd Graders



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Best Books for Second Graders



Great Books to Read Together

- Superfudge series, by Judy Blume
- Freckle Juice, by Judy Blume
- Flat Stanley, by Jeff Brown
- Fly Away Home, by Eve Bunting
- Ramona series, by Beverly Cleary
- Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, by Roald Dahl
- The BFG, by Roald Dahl
- Mercy Watson series, by Kate DiCamillo
- Amazing Grace, by Mary Hoffman
- Charlotte's Web, by E.B. White
- Jumanji, by Chris Van Allsburg
- Detective LaRue, by Mark Teague
- Judy Moody series, by Megan McDonald
- Horrible Harry series, by Suzy Kline
- Magic Tree House series, by Mary Pope Osborne
- Nate the Great series, by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat
- Encyclopedia Brown Boy Detective, by Leonard Shortall

Independent Reading

Students aim to end 1st grade at a Level I and end 2nd grade at a Level M. Below are some books that students can try over the summer as they prepare for 2nd grade.

Level I

Froggy Goes to School, by Jonathan London
The Gingerbread Man, by Rita Rose
New Shoes, Red Shoes, by Susan Rollings
Alligators All Around, by Maurice Sendak
Stanley, by Syd Hoff

Level J

City Mouse, Country Mouse, by John Wallner
Froggy Bakes a Cake, by Jonathan London
Henry & Mudge Series, by Cynthia Rylant
Mr. Puffer and Tabby Series, by Cynthia Rylant
Where the Wild Things Are, by Maurice Sendak

Level K

Arthur series, by Marc Brown
The Day Jimmy's Boa Ate the Wash, by Trinka Noble
Lionel at Large, by Stephen Krensky
Shelia Rae, the Brave, by Kevin Henkes
Principal's New Clothes, by Stephanie Calmenson

Level L

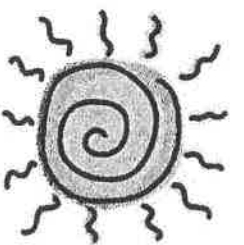
Cam Jansen series, by David Adler
George and Martha series, by James Marshall
Marvin Redpost: Alone in His Teacher's House, by Louis Sachar
Miss Nelson is Missing, by Harry Allard
Amelia Bedelia series, by Peggy Parish

Level M

cloudy with a chance of Meatballs, by Judi Barrett
Dr. De Sofo, by William Steig
Flat Stanley, by Jeff Brown
Magic Treehouse series, by Mary Pope Osborne
Back Lagoon series, by Mike Thaler

Name _____

My Summer Reading Log



Goal: This summer, I want to read at least _____ books.

Rate each of your books. Use stars:

☆ - ok ☆☆ - Good ☆☆☆ - Great ☆☆☆☆ - one of the best books ever!

Choose one of your favorites and write a book report about it to share in class.

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Second Grade Book Report


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Book Title _____


Author _____

Write and draw the story elements in the boxes below:

Characters 

Setting 

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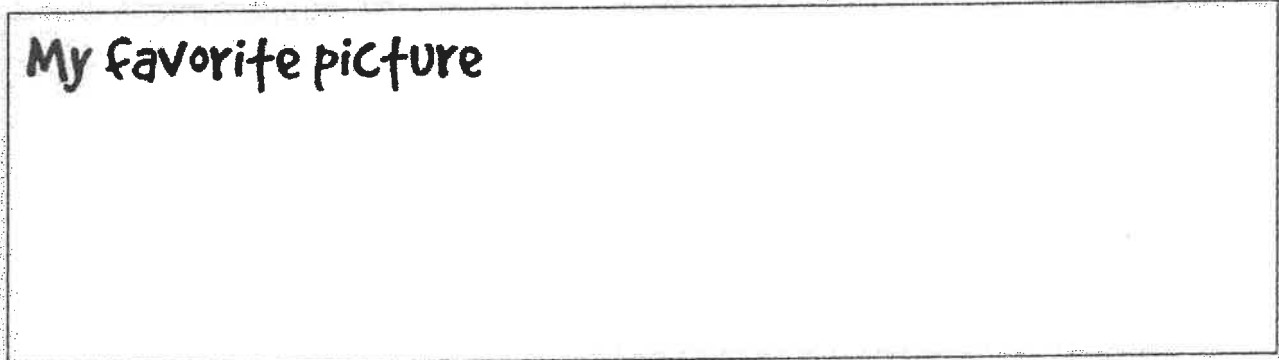
Solution 

I liked this book because _____

My favorite part of the book was when _____

This book reminded me of _____

My favorite picture



I would rate this book

☆ - ok

☆☆ - Good

☆☆☆ - Great

☆☆☆☆ - Fantastic!!!!

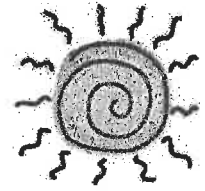
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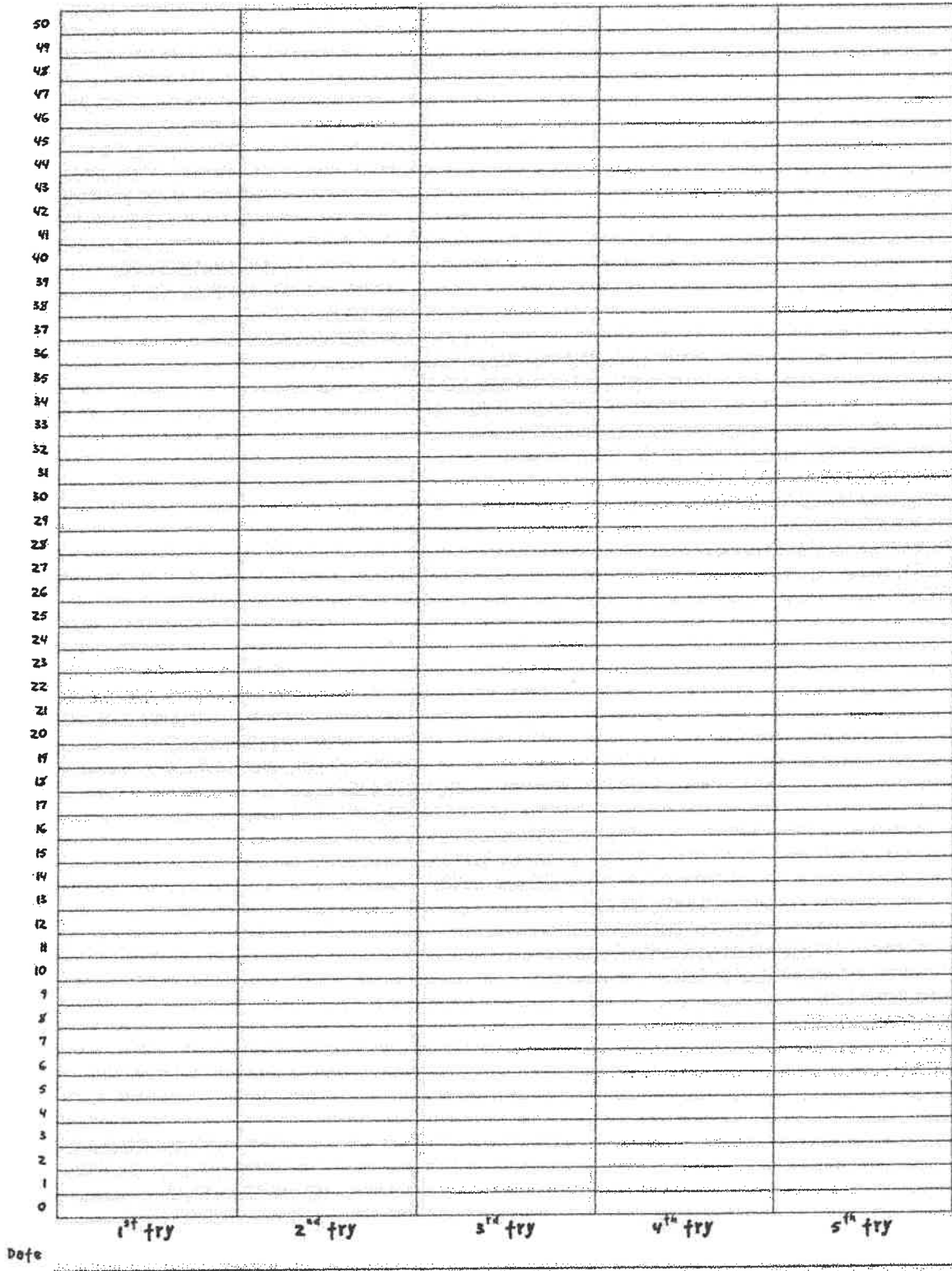
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's second grade Sight Word Tracker



Directions: Practice your sight words over the summer. Shade in the graph to show the number of sight words you read correctly. Watch your growth! ☺

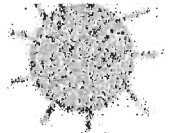


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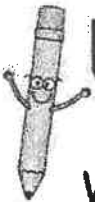
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What is your favorite thing to do in the summer?

Draw.



Write.

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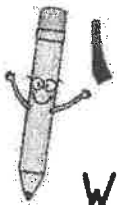
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What are you looking forward to in 2nd grade?

Draw. 



Write.

Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed middle line. There are ten sets of these lines for writing.