

**Saint Mary School**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Grade - Summer Reading**



Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we close out another wonderful school year, please take a moment to celebrate all of the successes your child has made this year. Your child has grown in so many ways, including being able to read with more independence and confidence.

In order to keep your child's reading journey going, I ask that he/she complete the following reading assignment:

- Please read *three books* and complete the attached reading log. Feel free to use the suggested reading list to help them choose books that are of interest to them.
- Choose *one book* that was read and complete the attached book report.

Your child can enjoy these books in a variety of ways. They can read the books on their own, listen to an adult read to them, participate in an online reading program, or participate in a reading program at your local library.

I have also included some "Reading Tips" to help both you and your child make the most of their reading this summer.

Have a wonderful and relaxing summer!

~ Mrs. Ellis

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reading Log

	Book #1	Book #2	Book #3
Title			
Author			
Date of completion			



# My Book Report



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The title of the book I read was \_\_\_\_\_

It was written by (author) \_\_\_\_\_

The main character of the story was \_\_\_\_\_

My favorite part of the book was \_\_\_\_\_

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Draw your favorite part of the story on the back of this page.

Rate this book by coloring in the correct group of stars.



I loved this book.



The book was O.K.



I did not like it.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Suggested Reading List

*National Geographic Everything Rocks and Minerals* by Steve Tomecek

*The New Kid on the Block* by Jack Prelutsky & James Stevenson

*Pie* by Sarah Weeks

*Polar Bear Math: Learning About Fractions from Klondike and Snow* by Ann Whitehead  
Nagda & Cindy Bickel

*Sarah Plain and Tall* by Patricia MacLachlan

*Shiloh* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Sideways Stories from Wayside School series by Louis Sachar

*A Snicker of Magic* by Natalie Lloyd

*Stone Fox* by John Reynolds Gardiner

*Ramona Quimby* series by Beverly Cleary

*The Tale of Despereaux* by Kate DiCamillo

*Tuck Everlasting* by Natalie Babbitt

*You Never Heard of Sandy Koufax?* By Jonah Winter and Andre Carrilho

The 39 Clues series by various authors

*Baseball Saved Us* by Ken Mochizuki & Dom Lee

*Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo

Big Nate series by Lincoln Peirce

*Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis

Bunnicula series by Deborah and James Howe

Clementine series by Sara Pennypacker & Maria Frazee

Dear America series by various authors

Encyclopedia Brown series by Donald J. Sobol