

# Book Suggestions for 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Students



The book suggestions listed below are just some of the many selections available for students to read over the summer. Please visit the Hagedorn Library Learning Center webpage on the Buckley website to check out the “**Books for Kids**” link for other places to find, read or listen to books. In addition, please visit the “**Summer Reading and Writing Requirements**” link if there is any question regarding what students are required to complete over the summer.

[Amanda Pig and the Really Hot Day](#) by Jean Van Leeuwen

[Boo’s Dinosaur](#) by Betsy Byars

[Buffalo Bill and the Pony Express](#) by Eleanor Coerr

[The Chalk Box Kid](#) by Clyde Robert Bulla

[Elvis the Rooster and the Magic Words](#) by Denys Cazet

[Emma’s Yucky Brother](#) by Jean Little

[If You Ever Get Lost: The Adventures of Julia and Evan](#)  
by Barbara Ann Porte

[Iris and Walter, True Friends](#) by Elissa Haden Guest

[Fly Guy](#) by Tedd Arnold

[The Girl Who Spun Gold](#) by Virginia Hamilton

[The Giving Tree](#) by Shel Silverstein

[Golly Sisters Go West](#) by Betsy Byars

[Horace and Morris But Mostly Dolores](#) by James Howe

[Joe Cinders](#) by Marianne Mitchell

[Lou Gehrig: The Luckiest Man](#) by David Adler

[The Magician’s Boy](#) by Susan Cooper

[Martha Blah Blah](#) by Susan Meddaugh

[Mildred and Sam](#) by Sharleen Collicott

[Mr. Putter and Tabby Pour Tea](#) by Cynthia Rylant

[My Soccer Mom From Mars](#) by E. Hass

[Oye, Celia!: A Song for Celia Cruz](#) by Katie Scieurba

[Princess Lulu Goes to Camp](#) by Kathryn Cristaldi

[Stuart Goes to School](#) by Sara Pennypacker

[Surviving Brick Johnson](#) by Laurie Myers

[Three Stories You Can Read To Your Cat and Three Stories You Can Read To Your Dog](#) by Sara Swan Miller

[You Can’t Eat Your Chicken Pox, Amber Brown](#) by Paula Danziger

## **Series Titles**

[Arthur](#) by Lillian Hoban

[Boxcar Children](#) by Gertrude Chandler Warner

[Cam Jansen](#) by David A. Adler

[Fancy Nancy](#) by Jane O’Connor

[Flat Stanley](#) by Jeff Brown

[Frog and Toad](#) by Arnold Lobel

[Horrible Harry](#) by Suzy Kline

[High-Rise Private Eyes](#) by Cynthia Rylant

[Jigsaw Jones](#) by James Preller

[Junie B. Jones](#) by Barbara Park

[Kids of the Polk Street School](#) by Patricia Reilly Giff

[Magic Tree House](#) by Mary Pope Osborne

[My Weird School](#) by Dan Gutman

[Poppleton Series](#) by Cynthia Rylant