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2021 RECOMMENDED SUMMER READING LIST

Picture Books

- Alma and How She Got Her Name by Juana Martinez-Neal
- All Are Welcome by Alexandra Penfold
- The Bad Seed series by Jory John
- Brick By Brick by Heidi Woodward Sheffield
- The Box Turtle by Vanessa Roeder
- Don't Worry, Little Crab by Chris Haughton
- Eyes That Kiss in the Corners by Joanna Ho
- Grumpy Monkey by Susan Lang
- I am Every Good Thing by Derrick Barnes
- I Talk Like a River by Jordan Scott
- Jabari Jumps by Gaia Cornwall
- Just Like Me by Vanessa Brantley-Newton
- My Best Friend, Sometimes by Naomi Danis
- My Friend Earth by Patricia MacLachlan
- We are Water Protectors by Carol Lindstrom and Michaela Goade

Chapter Books

BEGINNER CHAPTER BOOKS

- Dragonbreath series by Ursula Vernon
- Dragons in a Bag series by Zetta Elliott
- Ivy and Bean by Annie Barrows
- Jada Jones series by Kelly Starling Lyons
- Narwhal and Jelly series by Ben Clanton
- Princess in Black by Shannon Hale

LATER CHAPTER BOOKS & GRAPHIC NOVELS

- Brown Girl Dreaming by Jacqueline Woodson
- Front Desk by Kelly Yang
- Merci Suárez Changes Gears by Meg Medina
- New Kid by Jerry Craft
- Other Words for Home by Jasmine Warga
- The Parker Inheritance by Varian Johnson
- The War that Saved my Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
- Who is/Who Was series by Various Authors

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