



Third Grade Literature List

Picture books highlighted in grey are only acceptable for summer reading and 1st quarter book reports.

Books chosen for 2nd, 3rd and 4th quarters must be **chapter** books within the range of the student's **reading level** (based on the Zone of Proximal Development of the STAR assessment.)

Some series are on literature lists for multiple grades. Students may not use a book for a book report that they have read previously.

* An asterisk following a book title indicates that most books in that series are approved.

Title	Author	Reading Level
<i>All of a Kind Family</i>	Taylor	4.9
<i>American Girl (series) *</i>	(various)	3.5-5.8
<i>And Then What Happened, Paul Revere?</i>	Fritz	5.8
<i>Babushka's Doll</i>	Polaccio	2.3
<i>Bartholomew and the Oobleck</i>	Seuss	3.2
<i>Beezus and Ramona</i>	Cleary	4.8
<i>Billy and Blaze (series) *</i>	Anderson	2.0-3.9
<i>Boxcar Children (series) *</i>	Warner	2.5-5.0
<i>Brighty of the Grand Canyon</i>	Henry	5.8
<i>Charlotte's Web</i>	White	4.4
<i>Childhood of Famous Americans (series) *</i>	(various)	1.9-6.7
<i>Classic Starts (series) *</i>	(various)	3.6-6.6
<i>Cornerstones of Freedom (series) *</i>	(various)	5.3-8.9
<i>Courage of Sarah Noble</i>	Dagliesh	3.9
<i>Cricket in Times Square</i>	Selden	4.9
<i>Ellen Tebbits</i>	Cleary	4.9
<i>Emily's Runaway Imagination</i>	Cleary	6.1
<i>Emperor's New Clothes, The</i>	Anderson	5.5
<i>Encyclopedia Brown (series) *</i>	Sobol	3.1-5.3
<i>Flora and Ulysses</i>	Di Camillo	4.3
<i>Frederick</i>	Lionni	2.9
<i>George Washington's Breakfast</i>	Fritz	4.1
<i>Girl Who Loved Wild Horses</i>	Goble	4.4
<i>Great Brain, The</i>	Fitzgerald	4.8



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<i>Hank the Cowdog (series) *</i>	Erickson	3.5-6.1
<i>Henry and Ribsy *</i>	Cleary	4.8
<i>Horrible Harry (series) *</i>	Kline	3.3
<i>Horse and His Boy, The</i>	Lewis	5.3
<i>I Survived (series) *</i>	Tarshis	3.4-5.5
<i>Jackie Robinson and the story of the all-black...</i>	O'Connor	4.0
<i>Jar of Dreams, A</i>	Uchida	5.6
<i>Legend of the Bluebonnet, The</i>	dePaola	3.7
<i>Legend of the Indian Paintbrush, The</i>	dePaola	4.5
<i>Nana Upstairs and Nana Downstairs</i>	dePaola	3.7
<i>One and Only Ivan, The</i>	Applegate	3.6
<i>On the Banks of Plumb Creek</i>	Wilder	4.6
<i>Ox-Cart Man</i>	Hall	4.2
<i>Ralph S. Mouse</i>	Cleary	5.0
<i>Rightful Owner, The</i>	Stuart	4.6
<i>Roxaboxen</i>	McLerran	4.3
<i>Socks</i>	Cleary	5.4
<i>Taste of Blackberries, A</i>	Smith	4.6
<i>Town Mouse, Country Mouse</i>	Brett	4.4
<i>Velveteen Rabbit, The</i>	Williams	4.2
<i>When I Was Young in the Mountains</i>	Rylant	3.7
<i>Who Was (series) See teacher with individual title because not all are approved and some have difficult reading levels.</i>	(various)	2.9-7.3