



# Saint John Paul II 2018 ~ 2019 Summer Reading Selections

## Grades Pre-K~ Grade 2



### Traditional Literature and Poetry for Reading, Listening, and Viewing

#### Traditional Literature

Aesop's fables  
Rudyard Kipling's *Just So Stories*  
Selected Grimm and  
Hans Christian Andersen fairy tales  
Selected French fairy tales  
The Bible as literature: Tales including  
Jonah and the whale, Daniel and the  
lion's den, Noah and the Ark, Moses  
and the burning bush, the story of  
Ruth, David and Goliath

#### Poetry

Mother Goose nursery rhymes  
John Ciardi  
Rachel Field  
David McCord  
A.A. Milne  
Christina Rossetti

### Picture Book Authors and Illustrators

Edward Ardizzone  
Ludwig Bemelmans  
Margaret Wise Brown  
John Burningham  
Virginia Lee Burton  
Randolph Caldecott  
Edgar Parin and Ingri D'Aulaire  
Wanda Gág  
Theodore Geisel (Dr. Seuss)  
Kate Greenaway  
Shirley Hughes  
Crockett Johnson

Ruth Kraus  
Robert Lawson  
Munro Leaf  
Robert McCloskey  
A. A. Milne  
Else Holmelund  
Minarik  
William Pène du Bois  
Beatrix Potter  
Alice and Martin  
Provinsen  
H. A. and Margaret  
Rey

Maurice Sendak

### Suggested Books

#### Pre K, K I & K II

Eating the Alphabet by Lois Elbert  
Don't Forget the Bacon by Pat Hutchins  
Will I Have a Friend? by Miriam Cohen  
Harold and the Purple Crayon by C. Johnson  
Count the Ways, Little Bear by J. London  
The Napping House by Audrey Wood

#### Grade 1

Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good,  
Very Bad Day by Judith Viorst  
Bedtime for Frances by Russell Hoban  
Berenstain Bears by Stan and Jan Berenstain  
Blueberries for Sal by Robert McCloskey  
The Madeline books by Ludwig Bemelmans  
The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

#### Grade 2

The Adventures of Pinocchio by Carlo Collodi  
The Arthur books by Marc Brown  
Strega Nonna by Tomie De Paola  
The Paper Crane by Molly Bang  
The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein  
Danny and the Dinosaurs by Syd Hoff  
Stopping by the Woods by Robert Frost