

**NKSD Second Grade Summer Reading List**  
**June 14, 2019**

**Beginning/Middle Second Grade/Levels J and K**

Boy and Bot by Ame Dyckman

Owl at Home by Arnold Lobel

Mouse Soup by Arnold Lobel

Henry and Mudge Series by Cynthia Rylant

Little Bear by Elise Minarik

The Pigeon Wants a Puppy by Mo Willems

The Pigeon Needs a Bath by Mo Willems

Mr. Putter and Tabby Turn the Page by Cynthia Rylant

**(Theodor Seuss Geisel Award, 2015)** and other Mr. Putter and Tabby books in the series

Black Cat (poetry) by Christopher Meyers

The Littles, Littles First Reader Series by John Peterson

Froggy Learns to Swim by Jonathan London and other Froggy books in the series

Fox and His Friends by James Marshall

Frog and Toad Series by Arnold Lobel

Diary of a Worm by Doreen Cronin

Who Sank the Boat? By Pamela Allen

Black Lagoon series by Mike Thaler

More Parts by Tedd Arnold

Nate the Great Series by Sharmat M. Weinman

The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend by Dan Santat (**Caldecott Medal, 2015**)

Arthur's Loose Tooth by Lillian Hoban

Don't Let Pigeon Stay Up Late by Mo Willems

Knuffle Bunny by Mo Willems

King and Kayla and the Case of the Missing Dog Treats by Dori Hillestad Butler (**Theodor Seuss Geisel Award, 2018**)

## **Nonfiction**

Bat Loves the Night by Nicola Davies

Around the Pond by Lindsey Barrett George

This is Soccer by Margaret Blackstone

Splish! Splash! Animal Baths by April Pulley Sayre

Always Inventing: A True Story of Thomas Alva Sayre by Frank Murphy

One World, One Day by Barbara Kerley

Fighting Fires by Seymour Simon

## **Middle/End Second Grade**

### **Levels L/M**

## **Fiction**

Gaston by Kelly DiPucchio

Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by Judith Viorst

Tacky in Trouble by Helen Lester

Tops and Bottoms by Janet Stevens

Akiak: A Tale From the Iditarod by Robert Blake  
Amelia Bedelia series by Peggy Parish  
Miss Nelson series by Harry Allard  
Horrible Harry series by Suzie Kline  
Down Girl and Sit: Smarter Than Squirrels by Lucy Nolan  
Town Mouse and Country Mouse by Jan Brett  
Freckle Juice by Judy Blume  
Second Grade Ape by Daniel Drinkwater  
The One in the Middle is the Green Kangaroo by Judy Blume  
The Lost Locket (Nancy Drew Notebook series) by Carolyn Keene  
The Lighthouse Family: The Storm by Cynthia Rylant  
Ivy and Bean Series by Annie Barrows  
Drooling and Dangerous: The Riot Brothers Return by Mary Amato  
The Lucky Baseball Bat (and other sports novels) by Matt Christopher  
The Good, The Bad, and The Slimy (Rotten School Series) by R.L. Stine  
Stink and the Midnight Zombie series by Megan McDonald  
Judy Moody Saves the World series by Megan McDonald  
Junie B. Jones First Grader series by Barbara Park  
Leroy Ninker Saddles Up by Kate DiCamillo  
The Magic Treehouse Series by Mary Pope Osborne

Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Pena (**John Newbery Medal and Caldecott Honor Book**)

Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear by Lindsey Mattick (**Randolph Caldecott Award**)

A Different Pond by Bao Phi (Caldecott Honor Book, 2018)

## **Nonfiction**

NBA Action From A-Z by Brendan Hanrahan

What Happened to the Dinosaurs? By Franklyn M. Branley

Pierre the Penguin: A True Story by Jean Marzollo

Actual Size by Steve Jenkins

Hungry Hungry Sharks by Joanna Cole

Buddy: The First Seeing Eye Dog by Eva Moore

Chibi: A True Story From Japan by Barbara Brenner

The Boat Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta

Picture Book of.... Biographies Series by David Adler

Robots (National Geographic Kids) by Melissa Stewart

Mars (National Geographic Kids) by Elizabeth Carney

