2025-2026 SUMMER READING

Kindergarten:

- 1. The Kissing Hand By Audrey Penn
- 2. When God Made You By Matthew Paul Turner

1st Grade:

- 1. Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? By: Bill Martin Jr./Eric Carle
- 2. <u>Sammy and the Magic of Photosynthesis: Exploring the Importance of Plants for Our Planet</u> By: Nina Meme
- 3. Archeologists on a Dig, Kid Scientists By: Sue Fliess
- 4. Hop On Po By Dr. Seuss
- 5. The Sheep Who Followed a Bee By Steph Rose

2nd Grade:

<u>The Clown of God</u> by Tommie DePoala <u>The Quiltmaker's Gift</u> by Jeff Brumbeau and Gail de Marcken

3rd Grade:

The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary

4th Grade:

Mr. Popper's Penguins by Florence and Richard Atwater

5th Grade:

Book One: The Magician's Nephew by C.S. Lewis

Publisher: HarperCollins ISBN: 0-06-023497-0

Book Two (optional for boys): *The Cure of Ars* by Milton Lomask

Publisher: Ignatius Press ISBN: 0-89870-600-0

Book Three (optional for girls): Mother Seton and the Sisters of Charity by Alma Power-Waters

Publisher: Ignatius Press ISBN: 978-0-89870-766-3

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

6th Grade:

Will Wilder Book 1- The Relic of Perilous Falls by Raymond Arroyo - ISBN 978-0-553-53962-2

Compare Will to his friends Andrew, Simon, and Cami.

- 1. What does each of them contribute to the search for the relic?
- 2. What talents does each of them have to offer?
- 3. How are the four different?
- 4 6 sentences in cursive due when we return to school.

7th Grade:

Will Wilder Book 2-The Lost Staff of Wonders by Raymond Arroyo- ISBN 978-0-553-539-70-7

1. Identify each of the obstacles/monsters Will faces and the different ways he overcomes them. Remember: sometimes we are our own obstacle.

Multiple paragraphs in CURSIVE.

8th Grade:

Will Wilder Book 3- The Amulet of Power by Raymond Arroyo- ISBN 978-0-553-53971-4

1. Compare: How were Will's friendships tested throughout the book? Describe a time when a friendship of yours was tested and how did you overcome it.

Essay Format - in CURSIVE