

**Trinity Christian Academy**  
Parents' Summer Read-Aloud List  
Rising Kindergarteners

Below is a list of classic children's literature to read to your child this summer. We encourage you to spend at least 15 minutes daily reading aloud to your child, but every little bit is valuable. As an incentive, check off each book as you read it and show your child's teacher on the first day of school. Please note that not all of these books will be available at your local library.

Anderson, C.D., *Billy and Blaze* (series)  
Andreae, Giles, *Giraffes Can't Dance*  
Anno, Mitsumasa, *Anno's Counting Book*  
Barklem, Jill, *The High Hills*  
Barnett, Mac, *Extra Yarn*  
Barrett, Judi, *Animals Should Definitely Not Wear Clothing*  
Becker, Bonnie, *A Visitor for Bear*  
Bemelmans, Ludwig, *Madeline* (series)  
Bennett, Kelly, *Not Norman*  
Bloom, Beck, *Wolf*  
Bomer, Norm, *Willow*  
Brett, Jan, *The Hat*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Town Mouse Country Mouse*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Mitten*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Fritz and the Beautiful Horses*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Annie and the Wild Animals*  
Briggs, Raymond, *The Snowman Storybook*  
Brown, Margaret Wise, *The Sleepy Men*  
Bulla, Clyde Robert, *Dandelion Hill*  
Burton, Virginia Lee, *The Little House*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Katy the Snowplow*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Maybelle the Cable Car*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel*  
Calhoun, Mary, *Hot Air Henry*  
Cannon, Janell, *Stellaluna*  
Carle, Eric, *Have You Seen My Cat*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Pancakes Pancakes*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Rooster Who Set Out to See the World*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Very Busy Spider*  
Child, Lauren, *I Want a Pet*  
Degen, Bruce, *Jamberry*  
DiPucchio, Kelly, *Gilbert Goldfish Wants a Pet*  
Doherty, Berlie, *The Magic Bicycle*  
Flack, Marjorie, *The Story About Ping*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Angus Lost*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Angus and the Ducks*  
Gag, Wanda, *The ABC Bunny*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Millions of Cats*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Funny Thing*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Nothing At All*  
Goodall, John S., *The Adventures of Paddy Pork*  
Hall, Algy Craig – *Fine as We Are*

Heine, Helme, *Friends*  
Hoban, Russell, *Bedtime for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *A Bargain for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Bread and Jam for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *A Baby Sister for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Best Friends for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *A Birthday for Frances*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Little Brute Family*  
Holabird, Katharine, *Angelina Ballerina* (series)  
Howard, Jane R., *When I'm Sleepy*  
Jeffers, Oliver, *Up and Down*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Lost and Found*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *This Moose Belongs to Me*  
Kraus, Robert, *Leo the Late Bloomer*  
Krauss, Ruth, *The Carrot Seed*  
Leaf, Munro, *The Story of Ferdinand*  
Marshall, James, *Yummers*  
McCloskey, Robert, *Blueberries for Sal*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Make Way for Ducklings*  
McPhail, David, *The Bear's Toothache*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Grandfather's Cake*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Sisters*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Lost!*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Pig Pig Grows Up*  
Milne, A.A., *Now We Are Six*  
Murphy, Jill, *Five Minutes' Peace*  
Numeroff, Laura Joffe, *If You Give... (Series)*  
Oxenbury, Helen, *The Helen Oxenbury Nursery Storybook*  
Penn, Audrey, *The Kissing Hand*  
Pfister, Marcus, *The Rainbow Fish (Series)*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Sleepy Owl*  
Piper, Watty, *The Little Engine That Could*  
Potter, Beatrix, *The Tale of Peter Rabbit*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Tale of Benjamin Bunny*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Tale of Two Bad Mice*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Story of a Fierce Bad Rabbit*  
Rey, H. A., *Curious George (Series)*  
Rosen, Michael, *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*  
Scott, Ann Herbert, *On Mother's Lap*  
Sendak, Maurice, *Chicken Soup With Rice*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Pierre: A Cautionary Tale*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *One Was Johnny*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Where the Wild Things Are*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *In the Night Kitchen*  
\_\_\_\_\_, *Little Bear* (series)  
\_\_\_\_\_, *The Nutshell Library*

Seuss, Dr., *Dr. Seuss's ABC*

\_\_\_\_\_, *The Cat in the Hat*

\_\_\_\_\_, *One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish*

\_\_\_\_\_, *McElligot's Pool*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Horton Hears a Who*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Horton Hatches an Egg*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Yertle the Turtle*

Stead, Philip, *A Sick Day for Amos McGee*

Steig, William, *Brave Irene*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Yellow and Pink*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Doctor DeSoto*

Swift, Hildegard Hoyt, *The Little Red Lighthouse and the Great Gray Bridge*

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

Waber, Bernard, *Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile* (series)

\_\_\_\_\_, *The House on East 88<sup>th</sup> Street*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Ira Sleeps Over*

Wood, Audrey, *The Napping House*

\_\_\_\_\_, *Quick As a Cricket*

\_\_\_\_\_, *The Little Mouse, The Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear*

Wright, Blanche, *The Real Mother Goose*

Zion, Gene, *Harry the Dirty Dog* (series)

\_\_\_\_\_, *The Meanest Squirrel I Ever Met*