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June 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Our summer reading challenge theme is "A Universe of Stories!" Students are asked to read TEN books during the course of the summer. Please complete the attached reading log. In addition, students are required to fill out graphic organizers (attached) on TWO of the ten books. A suggested reading list is also attached and can be found on our website, but students should feel free to read whatever author they love or about any topic of interest. Students who successfully complete the Woodside Summer Reading Program will receive special recognition in the fall. Please ensure that your child submits a log as we would like all of our students to be recognized at the fall assembly.

All reading logs and response sheets should be returned to the student's new classroom teacher before September 20, 2019. Have a wonderful summer!

Respectfully,

Rebecca Aviles – Rodriguez
Principal

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Estimadas Familias:

La escuela Woodside está motivando a los estudiantes a participar en el programa de lectura durante el verano "Un Universo de Cuentos" (A Universe of Stories!). Los estudiantes deben leer **DIEZ** libros durante el verano. Por favor de completar el registro de lectura. También, los estudiantes tienen que completar una gráfica para **DOS** de los diez libros (esta adjuntado). Una lista de libros sugeridos está adjunta y aparece en nuestra página de web. Sin embargo, los niños tienen la libertad de elegir su autor preferido o el tema que más les gusta o interesa. Los estudiantes que terminen el programa de lectura durante del verano, recibirán un reconocimiento en el otoño. Por favor, asegúrese de que su hijo(a) envíe un registro, ya que nos gustaría que todos nuestros estudiantes sean reconocidos en la asamblea de otoño.

Todos los registros y las respuestas de la lectura deben ser devueltos al nuevo maestro de su hijo(a) antes del 20 de septiembre del 2019.

Espero que tengan un verano fabuloso.

Respetuosamente,

Rebecca Avíles – Rodriguez
Directora

**Name/Nombre:** _____

**Peekskill City School District - 2019**
**Summer Reading Challenge Log/ Registro para el reto de lectura durante el verano**

| Date/Fecha | Title/Título | Author/Autor |
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**Parent/Guardian Signature (Firma del Padre/Guardián):** _____

# Summer Reading Response-Fiction
# Respuestas para la Lectura del Verano - Ficción

Name/Nombre: _____

Date/Fecha: _____

Title/Título: _____

Author/Autor: _____

Tell about your favorite part. ¿Cúal es tu parte favorita?

Draw a picture of your favorite part./ Haz un dibujo de tu parte favorita.

# Summer Reading Response-Fiction
# Respuestas para la Lectura del Verano – No-ficción

Name/Nombre: _____

Date/Fecha: _____

Title/Título: _____

Author/Autor: _____

Write about something you learned./ Escribe sobre algo que aprendiste.

Draw a picture about what you learned./ Haz un dibujo de lo que aprendiste.

# Kindergarten and First Grade Summer Reading List

## Woodside Elementary School

*Remember, reading in any language is *so* important to your child's development and success in school*

**Consider any picture book by the following authors:**

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| Jan Brett | Peter Brown | Eric Carle | Lois Ehlert |
| Denise Fleming | Mem Fox | Kevin Henkes | Oliver Jeffers Ezra |
| Jack Keats | Jon Klassen | Leo Lionni | Patricia Polacco |
| Marisabina Russo | Marisabina Russo | Rosemary Wells | Mo Willems |

**Consider alphabet books such as:**

Lois Ehlert's--Eating the Alphabet
Bill Martin's--Chicka, Chicka, Boom, Boom,
Judy Sierra's--Sleepy Little Alphabet
Stephen Johnson's-Alphabet City

**Consider any version of a variety of folktales, fairy tales and nursery rhymes such as:**

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| Gingerbread Man | Goldilocks and the Three Bears | Hansel and Gretel |
| Henny Penny or Chicken Little | Jack and the Beanstalk | Little Red Hen |
| Little Red Riding Hood | Mother Goose Rhymes | Shoemaker and the Elves |
| Three Billy Goats Gruff | Three Little Pigs | Ugly Duckling |

**Consider emerging reader books (lots of pictures and just a few words) such as:**

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| Jez Alborough- Hug | Ruth Brown's- A Dark, Dark Tale | Donald Crews- Freight Train |
| Denise Fleming- Lunch | Bill Martin- Polar bear, Polar Bear | Peggy Rathmann- Goodnight Gorilla |

**Consider beginning-to-read chapter book series such as:**

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| Tedd Arnold- Fly Guy | Alyssa Capucilli- Buscuit | Arnold Lobel- Frog and Toad |
| James Marshall- Fox | Else Minarik- Little Bear | Mo Willems- Elephant and Piggy |
| Jean Van Leeuwen- Oliver and Amanda Pig | | |

**Consider non-fiction books on topics children love such as:**

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| Animals | Arts and Crafts | Cooking | Dinosaurs | Insects |
| Pets | Robots | Sharks | Snakes | Sports |
| Vehicles | | | | |

**Consider picture book biographies such as:**

Kathleen Krull- Wilma Unlimited
Jacqueline B. Martin- Snowflake Bentley
Doreen Rappaport- Martin's Big Words
Jonah Winter- Frida