



Village Green Elementary 2017 Required Summer Reading

Summer Reading provides students with an opportunity for recreational reading, personal exploration, and continued intellectual growth. It may also serve as an essential component of the instructional process in schools. Research has shown that students who engage in reading throughout the summer improve academically during the following school year. *Village Green Elementary* is happy to announce our **required** summer reading list. **These books are available at your public libraries and neighborhood book stores. For your convenience, we will have the books available for sale from May 24th until June 2nd.**

**Circle the desired titles and enclose order form in an envelope with the exact \$.
CASH only. No change will be provided. One form per order please.**

Student's Name: _____ Teacher: _____ Date: _____

K going into 1 st grade	1 st grade going into 2 nd grade	2 nd grade going into 3 rd grade	3 rd grade going into 4 th grade	4 th grade going into 5 th grade
<u>Ice Cream Soup</u> By Ingalls, Ann \$ 5.00	<u>Little Bear</u> By Minarik, Else Holmelund \$5.00	<u>Snow Monsters Do Drink Hot Chocolate</u> By Dadey, Debbie free	<u>Werewolves Don't Go to Summer Camp</u> By Dadey, Debbie free	<u>The Boy at the End of the World</u> By van Eekhout, Greg \$9.00
<u>Turtle and Snake Go Camping</u> By Spohn, Kate \$ 5.00	<u>Dinosaur Time</u> By Parish, Peggy \$ 5.00	<u>The Snow Day from the Black Lagoon</u> By Thaler, Mike free	<u>Zipper</u> By Miles, Ellen free	<u>How to Hide a Crocodile & Other Reptiles</u> By Heller, Ruth \$ 5.00
		<u>Animals in Camouflage</u> By Tildes, Phyllis Limbacher \$8.00	<u>Beaks</u> By Collard III, Sneed B \$8.00	

This is the required summer reading for the students in the gifted program:

GIFTED 2 nd grade going into 3 rd grade	GIFTED 3 rd grade going into 4 th grade	GIFTED 4 th grade going into 5 th grade
<u>Dark Day in the Deep Sea</u> By Osborne, Mary Pope \$ 6.00	<u>A Boy and a Bear in a Boat</u> By Shelton, Dave \$7.00	<u>My Diary from the Edge of the World</u> By Anderson, Jodi Lynn \$ 8.00
<u>Sea Monsters: A Nonfiction Companion to Dark Day in the Deep Sea</u> By Osborne, Mary Pope \$7.00	<u>Quest for the Tree Kangaroo: An Expedition to the Cloud Forest of New Guinea</u> by Montgomery, Sy \$10.00	<u>Animals at the EDGE: Saving the World's Rarest Creatures</u> By Baillie, Jonathan and Marilyn Baillie \$10.00

All students are required to read the assigned books and complete their summer reading journal (provided by the school). Journals are due the following school year and will be a graded assignment. In addition, students will take AR quizzes on the assigned books. Happy Summer Reading!