



Recommended Reading for Summer 2025 at the Elm Grove Library

Grades K-1

Cranky Crabby Crow (Saves the World) by Corey R. Tabor

Dog vs. Strawberry by Nelly Buchet

Flitter Flutter at the Butterfly House by Fran Manushkin (Katie Woo and JoJo on the Go! reader series)

The Great Dinosaur Sleepover by Linda Bailey

The Hare Who Wouldn't Share by Steve Small

Just Like Millie by Lauren Castillo

Knight Owl and Early Bird by Christopher Denise

Lone Wolf Goes to School by Kiah Thomas (early chapter book series)

The Man who Didn't Like Animals by Deborah Underwood

Night Light by Michael Emberley (graphic reader)

Rosie's Wild Ride by Paige Murray

To See an Owl by Matthew Cordell

The Yellow Bus by Loren Long



Grades 2-3

All the Best Dogs by Emily Jenkins (chapter book)

The Kids in Mrs. Z's Class: Poppy Song Bakes a Way by Karina Yan Glaser (chapter book series)

Knight Owl and Early Bird by Christopher Denise (picture book)

Lone Wolf Goes to School by Kiah Thomas (early chapter book series)

Math Mysteries: The Triplet Threat by Aaron Starmer (chapter book)

Meet the Mini-Mammals by Melissa Stewart (NF picture book)

Night Light by Michael Emberley (graphic reader)

Orris and Timble: Lost and Found by Kate DiCamillo (chapter book)

(Grades 2-3)

Rosie's Wild Ride by Paige Murray (picture book)

Shark Girl by Kate Beaton (picture book)

Stalactite & Stalagmite by Drew Beckmeyer (NF picture book)

Stella & Marigold by Annie Barrows and Sophie Blackall (chapter book)

To See an Owl by Matthew Cordell (picture book)



Grades 4-5

All the Best Dogs by Emily Jenkins

First Big Book of How by Sally Symes and Saranne Taylor (NF)

The First State of Being by Erin Entrada Kelly

Hurricane by Jason Chin (NF)

Impossible Creatures by Katherine Rundell (Fantasy)

Last Chance Academy: A Study in Secrets by Debbi Michiko Florence (Mystery/Puzzles)

The Long Way Around by Anne Nesbet (Outdoor adventure)

Meet the Mini-Mammals by Melissa Stewart (NF)

Popcorn by Rob Harrell (contemporary school story)

Rebellion 1776 by Laurie Halse Anderson (Hist Fic)

Sequels to look for:

A Copycat Conundrum by Lisa Yee (Sequel to *A Royal Conundrum*)

I Survived the Black Death 1348 by Lauren Tarshis (*I Survived* series)

Mr. Lemoncello's Fantabulous Finale by Chris Grabenstein

Stinetinglers 2 by R.L. Stine (suspense)

A Wolf Called Fire by Rosanne Parry (companion to *A Wolf Called Wander*)





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Grades 6-7

The Bletchley Riddle by Ruta Sepetys and Steve Sheinkin (Historical Fiction)

Boy 2.0 by Tracey Baptiste (Sci Fi/Contemporary)

The First State of Being by Erin Entrada Kelly (Sci Fi/Contemporary)

Impossible Creatures by Katherine Rundell (Fantasy)

Last Chance Academy by Debbi Michiko Florence (Mystery/Puzzles)

The Long Way Around by Anne Nesbet (Outdoor adventure)

No Purchase Necessary by Maria Marianayagam (Contemporary)

Popcorn by Rob Harrell (Contemporary)

Rebellion 1776 by Laurie Halse Anderson (Hist Fic)

We Are Big Time by Hena Khan (Graphic/Sports)

Work: Interviews with People Doing Jobs They Love by Shaina Feinberg (NF)

Grade 8

Better than Revenge by Kasie West (contemporary/romance)

The Bletchley Riddle by Ruta Sepetys and Steve Sheinkin (Hist Fic)

Boy 2.0 by Tracey Baptiste (Sci Fi/Contemporary fiction)

Brownstone by Samuel Teer and Mar Julia (Graphic)

Mystery Royale by Kaitlyn Cavallancia (Mystery/Puzzles)

No Purchase Necessary by Maria Marianayagam (Contemporary)

Rebellion 1776 by Laurie Halse Anderson (Hist Fic)

We Are Big Time by Hena Khan (Graphic/Sports)

The Wild Huntress by Emily Lloyd-Jones (Fantasy/Adventure)

Work: Interviews with People Doing Jobs They Love by Shaina Feinberg (NF)