

## Fun Summer Reading and Listening For Rising Third Graders• 2021

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### Beginning Chapter, Fiction, and Picture Books

1. Barnaby, Hannah. *Monster and Boy*. (J BEG CHP)
2. Colton, Nicola. *The Cool Cat Club*. (J BEG CHP)
3. Freeman, Martha. *Little Red Hoodie*. (J FIC, EB)
4. Goebel, Jenny. *Adelita: A Sea Turtle's Journey*. (J PIC, EB)
5. Lindstrom, Carole. *We Are Water Protectors*. (J PIC)
6. Messinger, Jonathan. *The Fuzzy Apocalypse*. (J BEG CH, EB, EA, CD)
7. Moss, Helen. *Balto and the Race Against Time*. (J BEG CHP, EB)

### Poetry and Folktales

8. Alvitre, Cindi. *Waa'aka. '...* (J FOLK, EB)
9. Becker, Helaine. *Alice and Gert...* (J 398.241 B38A)
10. Durant, Alan. *Quill Soup*. (J FOLK, EB)
11. Florian, Douglas. *Ice!: Poems About Polar Life*. (J 821 F66I)
12. Heidbreder, Robert. *Catch the Sky*. (J 821 H36C, EB)
13. Sidman, Joyce. *Hello, Earth!...* (J 821 S56H)

### Graphic

25. Atkinson, Cale. *Simon and Chester*. (J GRAPHIC, EB)
26. Smith, Brian Smitty. *Pea, Bee and Jay*. (J GRAPHIC, EB)

### Nonfiction and Biography

14. Allman, John Robert. *B is for Ballet*. (J 792.8 A43B, EB)
15. Bissonette, Aimee. *Dragonfly*. (J 595.733 B54D, EB)
16. Bissonette, Aimee. *Headstrong Hallie!* (J BIO DAGGETT H, EB)
17. Buhrman-Deever, Susannah. *If You Take Away the Otter*. (J 599.769 B86I)
18. Matheson, Anne. *The Forest Man...* (J BIO PAYENG J, EB)
19. Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw. *Pika Country...* (J 363.738 P27P)
20. Reid, Aimee. *You Are My Friend...* (J BIO ROGERS F, EB)
21. Roundtree, Dovey Johnson. *We Wait for the Sun*. (J BIO ROUNDTREE, EB)
22. Sheneman, Drew. *Dinosaurs Are Not Extinct*. (J 576.8 S54D)
23. Torp, Signe. *Make Yourself at Home*. (J 304.2 T63M)
24. Weissbluth, Denyse. *Teatime Around the World*. (J 641.2 W13T, EB)

### Need even more books to read? Check the shelves for these series and authors we love!

**Series:** 13<sup>th</sup> Street by David Bowles (J BEG CHP, EB)

The Secret Explorers by S.J. King (J BEG CHP)

**Authors:** John Jory (J PIC) • Tom Nicoll (BEG CH)

*CD= Book on CD, P =Playaway, V = Vox Book, EB = E- Book, EA=E-Audiobook*