

Phoenix Christian's

ICE CREAM

# 4 READING

SUMMER CHALLENGE

Let's see how much you can read this summer! The top 5 readers from each class (K-8) will win a **HUGE** ice-cream party in August!



You can find our reading log and recommended books lists on our website!









**Phoenix Christian Middle School's**  
**Recommended Books Lists**

This list is our school's suggestion of classic literature and PC teacher favorites. We highly encourage students to read or listen to some of these books independently, as a supplement to in class reading.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade Books**

- Across Five Aprils (Hunt)

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- The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (Twain)

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- A Christmas Carol (Dickens)

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- Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (Doyle) +

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- Big Red (Kjelgaard) +

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- The Captive Princess (Lawton)

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- Cheaper by the Dozen (Gilbreth & Carey)

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- Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde (Stevenson)

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- The Giver (Lowry) +

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- Hinds' Feet on High Places (Hurnard)

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- The Incredible Journey (Burnford)

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- King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table (Green)

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- The Last Battle (Lewis) +

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- Little Women (Alcott) +

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- The Magician's Nephew (Lewis) +

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- Marlfox (Jacques) +

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- My Friend Flicka (O'Hara)

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- Number the Stars (Lowry)

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- Rip Van Winkle (Irving)

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- Shane (Schaefer)

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- The Story of the Trapp Family Singers (Trapp)

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- The Wind in the Willows (Grahame)

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- The Wizard of Oz (Baum)

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- Treasure Island (Stevenson)

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- Twenty-one Balloons (Du Bois)

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- War of the Worlds (Wells)

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- White Fang (London)

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## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Books

- 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea (Verne)
- The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn (Twain)
- The Comedy of Errors (Shakespeare)
- All Creatures Great and Small (Herriot)
- Around the World in Eighty Days (Verne)
- Ben Hur (Wallace)
- The Best Short Stories of O. Henry (Henry)
- Captains Courageous (Kipling)
- David Livingstone, Foe of Darkness (Eaton)
- The Hawk That Dare Not Hunt By Day (O'Dell)
- Heidi (Spyri)
- The Hobbit (Tolkien)
- Immigrant Kids (Freedman)
- In His Steps (Sheldon)
- In Freedom's Cause (Henty) +
- Just So Stories (Kipling)
- The Jungle Book (Kipling)
- Kidnapped (Stevenson)
- Miracle Worker (Gibson)
- Morning Star of the Reformation (Thomson)
- Out of the Silent Planet (Lewis)
- The Pearl (Steinbeck)
- Perelandra (Lewis)
- The Prince and the Pauper (Twain)
- Swiss Family Robinson (Wyss)
- Tales of the Greek Heroes (Green)
- The Three Musketeers (Dumas)

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## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Books

- Amos Fortune, Free Man (Yates)

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- The Best of Father Brown (Chesterton)

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- The Chosen (Potok)

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- A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court (Twain)

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- Cyrano de Bergerac (Rostand)

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- David Copperfield (Dickens) +

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- The Good Earth (Buck)

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- Gulliver's Travels (Swift)

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- The Hiding Place (ten Boom)

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- In the Garden of Beasts (Larson)

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- Ivanhoe (Scott)

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- Jesus Freaks (dc Talk)

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- King Arthur and the Round Table (Talbot)

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- The Lord of the Rings (Tolkien) +

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- The Merchant of Venice (Shakespeare)

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- Northanger Abbey (Austen) +

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- The Outsiders (Hinton)

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- A Passage to India (Forster)

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- The Pilgrim's Progress (Bunyan)

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- Robinson Crusoe (Defoe)

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- The Robe (Douglas)

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- The Screwtape Letters (Lewis)

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- Sir Gawain and the Green Knight (Hastings)

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- The Sword in the Stone (White)

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- A Tale of Two Cities (Dickens)

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- That Hideous Strength (Lewis)

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- Watership Down (Adams)

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