

At Home Recommended Reading List
5th Grade Entering 6th Grade

Fiction Titles	Author
Chronicles of Narnia (series)	C.S. Lewis
Code Orange	Caroline B. Cooney
Contender, The	Robert Lipsyte
Crispin (series)	Avi
Dear America (series)	Various Authors
Double Dutch	Sharon Draper
Graveyard Book	Neil Gaiman
Gregor the Overlander	Suzanne Collins
Help I'm Trapped (series)	Gary Paulsen
Maximum Ride Series	James Patterson
Mick Harte Was Here	Barbara Park
Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane, The	Kate diCamillo
My Side of the Mountain	Jean Craighead George
On The Run Series	Gordon Korman
Scat	Carl Hiaasen (others by this author)
Shadow Children (series)	Margaret Peterson Haddix
Things Not Seen	Andrew Clements
Trapped in Death Cave	Bill Wallace
Truesight Trilogy	David Stahler Jr.
Unseen, The	Zilpha Snyder
Walk Two Moons	Sharon Creech

Nonfiction Titles	Author
Castle	David Macaulay
DK Eyewitness Books (series)	Various Authors
For Laughing Out Loud: Poems to Tickle Your Funny	Jack Prelutsky'
Guinness Book of World Records	Guinness World Records
Story of the Statue of Liberty, The	Betsy Maestro
Way Things Work, The	David Macaulay
Who Was -- ? Series	Various Authors

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List

Counting by 7s

Eighth Day, The

Eye of the Storm

Jack Strong Takes a Stand

Jungle of Bones

Night Gardener, The

Project Jackalope

Secret of Rover, The

Seeing Red

Skink – No Surrender

Stung

Tesla's Attic

Testing, The

This Journal Belongs to Ratchet

Twerp

Various Authors

Holly Goldberg Sloan

Dianne K. Salerni

Kate Messner

Tommy Greenwald

Ben Mikaelson

Jonathan Auxier

Emily Ecton

Rachel Wildavsky

Kathryn Erskine

Carl Hiaasen

Bethany Wiggins

Neal Shusterman and Eric Elfman

Joelle Charbonneau

Nancy J. Cavanaugh

Mark Goldblatt