Summer Reading Log for students entering 3-5<sup>th</sup>

## Summer Readers...Celebrate Reading 2015: M

Dear John B. Dey Students and Parents,



Summer vacation is right around the corner and we know you all are looking forward to many exciting times! Below are several opportunities to help encourage summer reading throughout the upcoming months.

At John B. Dey, we will be sponsoring our annual summer reading club. We have updated the club requirements so please be sure to look at the documents carefully. Students entering Kindergarten–Second Grade are asked to read OR be read to for a minimum of 10 books or chapters. Students entering Third Grade-Fifth Grade are asked to read a minimum of TWO chapter books.

Record the titles and complete the writing assignment on the attached reading sheets. If extra space is needed, attach a piece of paper and continue listing book titles. In September, students who return the reading record by **September 14** will be invited to a Summer Readers' Celebration.

The Virginia Beach Public Libraries are also sponsoring a Summer Reading Challenge. Participants spend the summer reading, attending free programs such as special story times, and winning prizes. Be sure to stop by the local library and signup for this program or register on-line at <u>http://www.vbgov.com/government/departments/libraries/programs-</u> <u>classes/Documents/SRC 2015 FLYER HALF-SHEET-04-2015.pdf</u> Each participant receives rewards upon completion of the program. This program begins on June 8 and runs through August 8, 2015.

In addition, Barnes and Noble (www.barnesandnoble.com) sponsors a summer reading program. Students who read a set number of books and return the completed log to the local store will receive a free book! You may count the same books for all three programs. Scholastic books also has some fun summer reading information –Power Up and Read- at <a href="http://www.scholastic.com/ups/campaigns/src-2015">http://www.scholastic.com/ups/campaigns/src-2015</a>

More information about reading at home, suggested books, and fun activities are listed on the John B. Dey website at <u>www.deyes.vbschools.com</u> under the Summer Reading link. Thank you for joining us in these important educational opportunities. We look forward to our fun together in September 2015. Remember that reading with your child is a gift you can give every single day!

Sincerely,

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## JOHN B. DEY'S 2015 SUMMER READING CLUB

For all students entering Third-Fifth grades-Read a minimum of 2 chapter books ALL readers MUST complete the second page also

Student's name\_\_\_\_\_\_ Teacher in September \_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Author	How many chapters?	Your opinion of the book ☺ or ☺
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Be sure to complete the back page of this reading log also. If you read more than 10 books please add another sheet listing the extra titles. Your parent must sign at the top of the page and you should return this to the classroom teacher NO LATER THAN September 14, 2015.

**Students who are entering the 3rd-5<sup>th</sup> grades-** Write a paragraph giving a book review of ONE book that is read over the summer. All book reviews will be shared with Mrs. Hardesty and may be chosen to be televised on the morning news as a *Book in a Minute*.

All Reading Club participants should <u>complete both sides</u> of this document in order to be invited to the Summer Readers' Celebration held in September.

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