

**Iberville Parish School System  
2009 Summer Reading  
Prek-2**

**Parents:**

Attached is the Louisiana Association of School Librarians/Louisiana Department of Education Literacy and Numeracy Initiative list of recommended summer reading books. **Please assist your child in completing the chart on the attached page, sign the form, and return it to school by August 28<sup>th</sup>.**

*Happy Reading!*

**Guidelines:**

Entering Kindergarten (Parents read to child)

Entering 1<sup>st</sup> Grade (Parents read with child)

Entering 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade (Child reads to parent)

**Tips for Parents:**

- Allow children to choose books that interest them, but encourage them to explore different authors, themes, and genres (biography, adventure, historical fiction, science fiction, poetry, and others.)
- For strong readers, help them choose books with an appropriate but stimulating reading level.
- For reluctant readers, help them choose books they can read without difficulty or with minimum assistance.
- Encourage children to read for a specified period of time every day (30 minutes to 1 hour) at a regular time.
- Read with and to your children and talk to them about what they are reading.
- Encourage children to role play favorite stories or write in a journal about characters in the stories.
- Attend summer reading programs at the public library and encourage your children to have fun with reading!

**Iberville Parish School System  
2009 Summer Reading List  
Grades 3-5**

**Parents:**

Attached is the Louisiana Association of School Librarians/Louisiana Department of Education Literacy and Numeracy Initiative list of recommended summer reading books. Students in grades 3-6 are to select two books from the attached list. Details regarding the Summer Reading Project are given below.

*Happy Reading!*

**Summer Reading Project: (Due August 28th)**

Step 1: Complete the story maps provided for EACH book read.

Step 2: Return the completed story maps to your teacher. You will use the maps to write a book report in class.

\* Each map is worth 15 points. (The scoring rubric is on the back of the story map page.)

**Iberville Parish School System  
2009 Summer Reading List  
Grades 6**

**Parents:**

**Attached is the Louisiana Association of School Librarians/Louisiana Department of Education Literacy and Numeracy Initiative list of recommended summer reading books. Sixth graders are to select two books from the attached list. Details regarding the Summer Reading Project are given below.**

*Happy Reading!*

**Summer Reading Project: (Due August 28th)**

Step 1: Complete the story maps provided for EACH book read.

Step 2: Return the completed story maps to your teacher. You will use the maps to write a book report in class.

\* Each map is worth 15 points. (The scoring rubric is on the back of the story map page.)