



Second Grade Summer Reading Task

Below you will find the summer reading assignment for 2018-2019 incoming Second Grade students. After reading the mandated book below, students **must** complete one project-based assignment. The selected project must be turned in to the Second Grade teacher **on September 10, 2018**. This assignment will be counted as a major project-based grade so neatness counts. We strongly encourage you to make reading a part of your family's summer plan. Keeping a reading log is a great way to keep track of your summer reading. Have fun and be creative!

Summer Reading List:

Nate the Great and the Boring Beach Bag (mandated reading book for project- based assignment) by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat

Project-Based Assignments: (please select one to go with mandated book)

- ❖ Comic Strip- Create a comic strip retelling the story you have read.
- ❖ Diorama- Pick an important scene from the book and represent it in a shoe box. You must also submit a written paragraph or more consisting of five to seven sentences describing the scene and whether or not you and the character would be friends. Why or why not?
- ❖ Cereal Box- Create a cereal box based on your book. Name and decorate the cereal box to represent the book you have chosen. Include things that are really on a cereal box. Everything should have to do with the book. Do not forget information like the title, author, main events/summary, characters and/or facts.

Challenge Yourself: (These books are suggested for further reading over the summer.)

- * Magic Treehouse (series) by Mary Pope Osbourne
- * Apples by Gail Gibbons
- * Sharks by Brenda Guiberson
- * Jigsaw Jones Mystery (series) by James Preller