

# SUMMER READING

Saint James School  
2025



## Grade 4

*"I do believe something very magical can happen when you read a good book" – J.K. Rowling*

### Students Entering Grade 4 in September 2025 - Reading List

All students are to read 2 grade level chapter books over the summer. The first book is required reading for all students. For the second book, students may choose from the additional 2 books listed below. The required reading of **Frindle** will be graded with a book test. The other book will be represented by the completion of one project chosen from the list below.

**\*Required book-** students must read Frindle written by Andrew Clements. Take chapter notes and be prepared for a book test by the end of the first week of school.

**\*Second book-** students choose one of the following books and complete one of the projects listed below. Choose between Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume or James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl.

Choose **one** of these projects for your **second** book choice:

1. Cereal Box Book Report- Students will use an empty cereal box and the worksheets attached to create their own book report.
2. Slide Show- Students will create a Google Slideshow consisting of at least 6 slides using clip art, font of choice, and descriptive writing to include:

Slide #1: Title of book, author, student name

Slide #2: Setting, plot, time, list of characters

Slides #3-5: Summaries of the beginning, middle, and end of the story

Slide #6: Opinion of book, recommended reading audience

**\*\*The Google Slide Presentation is to be emailed by the end of the first week of school to either Mrs. Molisani at: [jmolisani@mysaintjames.com](mailto:jmolisani@mysaintjames.com) or to Mr. Cuadrado at: [fcuadrado@mysaintjames.com](mailto:fcuadrado@mysaintjames.com)**

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