## **Grade 1 Suggested Summer Reading List**

<u>Library Lion</u> by Michelle Knudsen Who wouldn't enjoy having a lion to show you the library?

<u>A Home in the Barn</u> by Margaret Wise Brown Mr. Pinkney's illustrations bring this winter animal tale to life. Look for other books by Brown or illustrated by Pinkney.

The Doorbell Rang by Pat Hutchins Learn math and sharing with Grandma's cookies.

<u>All in One Hour</u> by Susan Crummel What happens when a cat sees a mouse? And a dog sees the cat? And a robber chases the dog? And....

Little Bear\* by Elsie Minarik A snow adventure, birthday party, and moonwalk for Little Bear.

The Library\* by Sarah Stewart And how many books do you have in your room? house?

<u>Surprise Puppy</u> by Judith Walker-Hodge A new puppy is lots of work, but fun to have.

Spider's Lunch by Joanna Cole Don't be afraid of spiders! They help us. Find out how.

<u>Bumble Bee, Bumble Bee, Do You Know Me?</u> by Anne Rockwell Explore your garden and learn about flowers and insects.

<u>Andrew Henry's Meadow</u> by Doris Burn Let your inventing imagination run wild this summer.

<u>Anna's Special Present</u> by Yoriko Tsutsui A special act of kindness for a sick sister shows love and brings great joy.

Billy and Blaze\* by C. W. Anderson Go on an adventure with a boy and his horse Blaze.

<u>Mice Squeak, We Speak</u> by Tomie DePaola Don't be too loud as you read this book of animal sounds! But do ask everyone to join right in!

<u>Ava's Spectacular Spectacles</u> by Alice Rex Find out why it really is helpful to wear your glasses. Little Red Riding landed in a big problem because she was not wearing hers!

**Boy** by Phil Cummings Discover how a deaf boy can save the battle in his own way.

Who Put the Pepper in the Pot? by Joanna Cole Ye-oow! Poor Aunt Tootie found too many cooks spoil the broth.

<u>A Rose in my Garden</u>\* by Arnold Lobel A cumulative book that leads to a very beautiful full garden. Plant one this summer!

<u>Arthur's Loose Tooth</u>\* by Lillian Hoban Arthur, don't be afraid of losing a tooth!

Wild Baby Animals by Karen Wallace Read about how baby animals grow up in the wild.

<u>Growing Vegetable Soup</u> by Lois Ehlert Pick your garden and make some soup this summer.

<u>Prairie Day</u>\* by Laura Ingalls Wilder Be a pioneer for a day with Pa, Ma, Mary, and Laura.

<u>Martin Shows the Way</u> by Cor Van Rijswijk Read a simple story about Martin Luther and his work in the Reformation.

<sup>\*</sup> These books are from a series, and you may enjoy reading more books from the series.