

May 26, 2010

Dear Pentucket Families,

With the end of the school year quickly upon us, we know that you are making plans for your child's summer vacation activities. Like most parents, you are aware that while the summer months are a welcome opportunity for fun and relaxation, it is also a great time to continue reading for pleasure. It is Pentucket Regional School District's hope that all students will continue to read every day over the summer. Research shows that their reading between 15-30 minutes a day will maintain or improve student learning.

We encourage your child to read. Book lists are attached and you can also find the information on our school website:

www.prsd.org. We know that the more children read, the better readers they become. Helping children to create a love of reading is one of the greatest gifts we can give them. Enjoy some good books this summer – on the beach, the porch swing, while traveling, and during any quiet moment.

Enjoy your summer reading.

Sincerely,

Paul A. Livingston

Superintendent of Schools

Suggested Authors

The authors listed below are suggestions. Each child should choose books that interest him or her.

Judy Blume Madeleine L'Engle

Eve Bunting C.S. Lewis

Matt Christopher Patricia MacLachlan

Beverly Cleary Megan McDonald

Andrew Clements Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Sharon Creech Jenny Nimmo

Roald Dahl Mary Norton

Kate DiCamillo Patricia Polacco

Eleanor Estes Jack Prelutsky

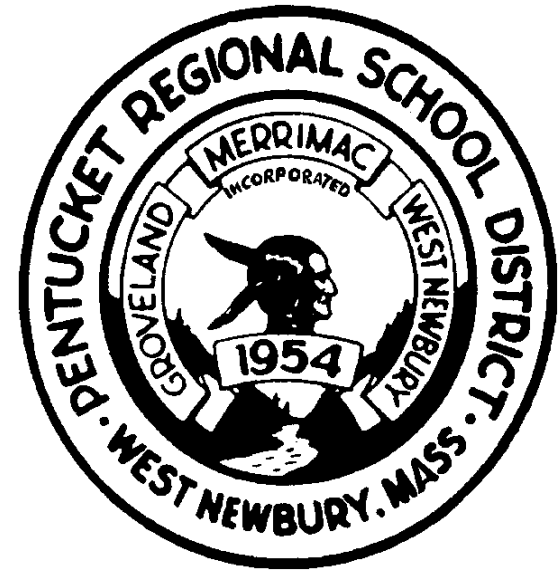
Jean Craighead George J.K. Rowling

Patricia Reilly Giff Louis Sachar

Marguerite Henry Shel Silverstein

Dick King-Smith George Selden

E.B. White



**PENTUCKET READS
SUMMER 2010**

**For Students Entering
Third and Fourth Grade**