

# MEADOWBROOK ACADEMY

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Reading



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Dear 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents,

As we strive to ensure that your student has the best learning experience at Meadowbrook Academy, we want to inform you about our summer reading requirements.

Research shows that students who read during the summer are better prepared for the upcoming school year and demonstrate stronger reading comprehension skills. To help your child stay engaged and continue developing their literacy skills, we have outlined the following summer reading expectations:

### **Summer Reading Requirements:**

- Your child must read two age-appropriate, grade-level books (each a minimum of 100 pages).
- For each book, your child will write a three-paragraph book report:
  - **Paragraph 1:** Beginning – Introduce the main characters and setting.
  - **Paragraph 2:** Middle – Summarize key events or challenges.
  - **Paragraph 3:** End – Describe how the story concludes and any important takeaways.
- Reports should reflect your child's understanding of the story and be written in their own words.
- Completed reports are ***due on the first day of school.***
- A score of 100% will be given for completed reports. Failure to turn in the reports will result in a 50% reading grade.

### **Academic Integrity Reminder**

All reports will be reviewed for plagiarism and/or the use of AI-generated content. Any violations will result in a **zero** for the assignment.

Our goal at Meadowbrook Academy is not just to meet academic standards, but to inspire a lifelong love of reading. We hope these summer reading activities will help your child explore new books and genres that spark their interest

Thank you for your continued support. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Elementary Teachers