



## **SUMMER ASSIGNMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 1**

As you know, reading plays a crucial role in your child's success in school. To give your child a jumpstart on first grade, we ask that you expose your child to reading as much as possible this summer.

### **Fiction Assignment**

Please choose at least two fiction books to read with your child over the summer. We are leaving the decision regarding fiction choices to each family.

Students should draw a picture of his/her favorite part of the story and write a simple sentence about the drawing. This should be turned in to your child's teacher by **Friday, September 4<sup>th</sup>**.

### **Nonfiction Assignment**

Students will learn about animals as part of a first-grade science unit. Please choose at least two nonfiction books about animals to read with your child.

Your child should write one fact he/she learned from the nonfiction books read this summer and illustrate it. These will be shared in class during the first week of school.