

Dear BACS Incoming Third and Fourth Grade Parents and Students:

The Elementary teachers, in conjunction with administration, have selected a summer reading book for each grade level in the middle elementary school (grades 3-4).

Each student who is enrolling in 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grades for the 2017-2018 school year is assigned a required book to read during summer. These books were chosen because of the impact we believe they will have on the life of our students this upcoming school year. We encourage you to discuss summer reading with your child and keep him or her motivated to complete their book before the school year begins.

A survey assignment should be completed and brought to school the first week of school (the form is below). Furthermore, each grade will participate in class discussions, assignments, and assessments related to their particular book during the first weeks back at school. Therefore, in order to participate in meaningful instruction, it is necessary for each student to have completed the summer reading assignment.

We are eager to build our program and engage our students in good reading. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Respectfully,  
Linda Mudgett  
Elementary Principal

GRADE	THEME	SUMMER READING BOOK
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	The importance of telling the truth	<i>The Mystery of Pelican Cove</i> by Milly Howard <b>ISBN: 9780890847114</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Facing difficult situations	<i>The Case of the Dognapped Cat</i> by Milly Howard <b>ISBN: 0890849366</b> <b>ISBN-13: 9780890849361</b> (provided to student)

**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4th Grade Survey Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Author: \_\_\_\_\_

**Book Report Survey**

**Would you recommend this book to your friends? Why or why not?**

**What was the best part?**

**What would you change if you had written it?**

**What would you want others to know about this book?**

