Read...wherever you are!

At home or on the road, be sure to take a good book also. Here are some summer suggestions for rising 5th graders from your librarian, Mrs. Miller.

A Crack in the Sky by Mark Houghes (SF)

The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P Figg by R Philbrick (H)

Three Times Lucky by Sheila Turnage (M)

The Screaming Staircase by Jonathan Stroud (G/M)

N.E.R.D.S by Michael Buckley (SF/HU)

Timmy Failure: Mistakes Were Made by Stephan Pastis (HU)

Runaway Twin by Peg Kehret (R)



Genre Key

F = Fantasy

R - Realistic Fiction

G = Ghost

M = Mystery/Adventure

H = Historical Fiction

SF = Science Fiction

HU = Humor



The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman (G/M)
In a Glass Grimmly by Adam Gidwitz (F/HU)
Ungifted by Gordon Korman (R/HU)
The Absolute Value of Mike by Kathryn Erskine (R)
Fish in a Tree by Linda Mullaly Hunt (R)
The Candymakers by Wendy Mass (R)



Jinx by Sage Blackwood (F)

Out of My Mind by Sharon Draper (R)

The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Barnhill (F)

When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead (SF)

The Extraordinary Education of Nicolas Benedict by Trenton Lee Stewart (M)

Listening for Lions by Gloria Whelan (H)





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