

# Saint Benedict School

**WHERE FAITH AND  
KNOWLEDGE MEET**



**SUPPLEMENTARY READING  
LISTS**

**KINDERGARTEN THROUGH  
EIGHTH GRADE  
2011 - 2012**

## Kindergarten

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	Bill Martin Jr. and J. Archambault
October	Are You My Mother?	P.D. Eastman
November	Good Night, Moon	Margaret Wise Brown
December	<b>NO SUPPLEMENTARY</b>	<b>BOOK THIS MONTH</b>
January	The Snowy Day	Ezra Jack Keats
February	The Three Bears	Paul Galdone
April	Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle
May	The Cat in the Hat	Dr. Seuss

## First Grade

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Where the Wild Things Are	Maurice Sendak
October	Anansi the Spider	Gerald McDermott
November	The Three Little Pigs	Paul Galdone
December	The Polar Express	Chris Van Allsburg
January	Patrick's Dinosaur	Carol Carrick
February	Rainbow Fish	Marcus Pfister
March	Tikki Tikki Tembo	Arlene Mosel
April	The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Beatrice Potter
May	Frog and Toad are Friends	Arnold Lobel

## Second Grade

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Why Do Leaves Change Color	Betsy Maestro & Loretta Krupinski
October	Corn is Maize: The Gift of the Indians	Aliki
November	Stone Soup	Marcia Brown
January	The Life Cycle of a Butterfly	A Bobbie Kalman Book
February	Adelita: A Mexican Cinderella Story	Tomie De Paola

## Third Grade

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Freckle Juice	Judy Blume
October	The Hundred Dresses	Eleanor Estes
November	Shoeshine Girl	Clyde Robert Bulla
December	The Chocolate Touch	Patrick Skene Catling
January	Sarah, Plain and Tall	Patricia MacLachlan
February	Ramona Quimby, Age 8	Beverly Cleary
March	Ralph S. Mouse	Beverly Cleary
April	Charlotte's Web	E.B. White
May	How to Eat Fried Worms	Thomas Rockwell

## Fourth Grade

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Shiloh	Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
October	Witches	Roald Dahl
November	Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing	Judy Blume
December	Soccer Scoop	Matt Christopher
January	In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson	Bette Bao Lord
February	James and the Giant Peach	Roald Dahl
March	Stewart Little	E.B. White
April	The Wizard of Oz	L. Frank Baum
May	Indian in the Cupboard	Lynne Reid Banks

## Fifth Grade

<b>Month</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
September	Danny Champion of the World	Roald Dahl
October	Where the Red Fern Grows	Wilson Rawls
November	Hatchet	Gary Paulsen
December	Maniac Magee	Jerry Spinelli
January	Hoot	Carl Hiaasen
February	Matilda	Roald Dahl

May	The Wish Giver	Bill Brittain
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## Sixth Grade

Month	Title	Author
September	Holes	Louis Sachar
October	Esperanza Rising	Pam Munoz Ryan
November	The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster
December	The Tale of Despereaux	Kate Di Camillo
January	Number the Stars	Lois Lowry
February	Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry	Mildred D. Taylor
March	Bridge to Terabithia	Katherine Paterson
April	Farewell to Manzanar	Jeanne W. Houston & James D. Houston
May	The Thief Lord	Cornelia Funke

## Seventh Grade

Month	Title	Author
August	The Red Pony	John Steinbeck
September	Taking Sides	Gary Soto
October	The Graveyard Book	Neil Gaiman
November/ December	Inkheart	Cornelia Funke
January	The Outsiders	S.E.Hinton
February	The Giver	Lois Lowry
March	The War Within	Carol Matas
April	Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl	Anne Frank
May	The Neverending Story	Ende, Michael Translated by Ralph Manheim

## Eighth Grade

Month	Title	Author
August	The Pearl	John Steinbeck
September	Rumble Fish D'Aulaires Book of Greek Myths	S.E. Hinton D'Aulaires, Ingri and Edgar Parin
October	To Kill A Mockingbird	Harper Lee
November	The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Mark Twain
December	Night	Elie Wiesel
January	The Pigman	Paul Zindel
February	The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn	Mark Twain

April	The Grapes of Wrath	John Steinbeck
May	Animal Farm	George Orwell