

Auburn Summer Reading Requirements

Grades 3

Required Texts:

Grade 3: *Clementine* by Sara Pennypacker

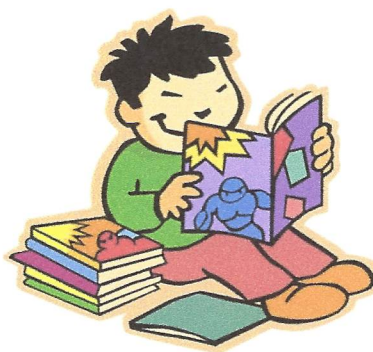
Student Requirements:

- Read a minimum of 20 minutes a day.
- Read required grade level text and complete guided comprehension questions.
- Complete the summer calendars.

Students are expected to read a minimum of 20 minutes each day during the summer. The required text for third grade is listed above and the assigned Guided Reading Comprehension Questions (see attached) should be answered in complete sentences that use information from the book. These questions will serve as a tool for discussion and will be graded by the classroom teacher at the beginning of the school year. If needed, please use the Suggested List (see attached) as a guide when choosing books in addition to the required reading text. As students complete the activities on the Summer Calendars, record the minutes read and sign it.

Students will return their signed calendars and guided comprehension questions to their teacher on the first day of school. Students will then be acknowledged for their dedication to reading over the summer.

Happy summer and happy reading!



Guided Comprehension Questions for *Clementine*
By Sara Pennypacker

Directions: Students should complete the following questions on a separate sheet of paper using complete sentences that provide adequate details. Students should also restate the question in their answer. Refer to the sample question and answer as a model of how the questions should be answered.

Example: *Who is the main character in the story?* The main character in the story is an eight year old girl named Clementine.

1. Which character in this book did you like the most or the least and why? Provide at least two specific details to support your choice.
2. Describe the names Clementine calls her brother. Explain in detail why she chooses not to use his real name.
3. When Clementine is upset, what does her father allow her to do to calm down? What do you do when you need to calm down?
4. Explain the Great Pigeon War. What are some of the ideas Clementine and her father came up with?
5. Margaret and Clementine are best friends, but they are very different characters. Describe how they are different. Give details from the book to support your answer.
6. Describe the type of person Clementine is. Provide at least two specific details in your explanation.