



5th Grade Summer Reading

The summer is finally here! Congratulations you are now on your way to become an official 5th grader!

I want to make sure your precious brains keep learning and developing during your summer break so I have assigned a very fun summer reading for you.

Book Title: Wonder

Author: R. J. Palacio

This book is about 10-year-old Auggie Pullman, a fictional boy with facial differences, and his experiences in everyday life dealing with the condition. The book was inspired by a real-life encounter Palacio had with a child who had a craniofacial disorder. It is a beautiful story of kindness and how it isn't always easy to step outside of our comfort zones, but it is so worth it. 2. Along with kindness, the book is rich with other themes such as anti-bullying and having compassion, acceptance, and empathy for others.

I am only requiring you to **read the above-mentioned book and complete a book report** for it, but here is a bucket list of books that I'm sure you will enjoy!

Sr. Tamam's 5th Grade Bucket Books List:

- The BFG: by Roald Dahl
- The Sky at Our Feet: by Nadia Hashimi
- The Magical Reality of Nadia by Bassem Youssef and Catherine R. Daly

Enjoy your break and see you in September!

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