Summer Reading List: A Variety of Genres

**Entering Third Grade: Read Alouds**

Bridges: *Ruby's Wish* c2002 historical fiction, ethnic diversity.
Curtis: *The Bat Boy and His Violin* c1998 sports, music, ethnic diversity

**Independent Reading**

Adler: *Bones* series mystery

Bourke: *Christian the Lion: Based on the True Story of Anthony* (Ace) Bourke, John Rendall and Christian the Lion c2009 nonfiction

Cleary: *Math is CATegorical* series stores in rhyme, mathematics

Cleary: *Beezus and Ramona*

Cronin: *Diary of a Fly* c2007 animal fiction

Dadey: *Adventures of the Bailey School Kids* series schools, fiction

DiCamillo: *Mercy Watson* series animal, fantasy, humor

Foxworthy: *Dirt On My Shirt* c2008 poetry

Holm: *Babymouse* series c2005 graphic fiction, friendship, imagination

Johnson: *Just Like Josh Gibson* c2007 sports fiction, historical fiction

Kerrin: *Martin Bridge: Ready for Takeoff!* c2005 fiction

Kinney, Jeff: *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* chapter book series

Meadows, Daisy: *Rainbow Magic* series

Rand, Jonathon: *American/Michigan Chillers* chapter book series

Russel, Rachel Renee: *The Dork Diaries* series

Sachar: *Marvin Redpost* series fiction

Stilton: *The Geronimo Stilton* series mice, fantasy, mystery

Tunnell: *Mailing May* c1997 historical fiction

Warner: *Only Emma* c2005 fiction

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