

SJS Book Club 2024-2025

* If you love to read books, join the Book Club! We'll be reading 7 awesome books this year. We've given this list to Mrs. Sperry, so you should be able to find them in the school library. You can also find them at the public library, Barnes & Noble, and Amazon.

* The St. John's Book Club is open to students in 4th through 8th grades. Students must maintain good grades and conduct. We follow a "2 Strikes and you're out" policy. Students are expected to behave, have the assigned books read by the due dates, and attend ALL meetings.

* Students may bring a snack for each meeting. We will meet from **3:15-4:15pm on Mondays** a couple times each month. Students need to be picked up from the lower carline at 4:15pm. Students remaining at 4:25pm will be escorted to Aftercare. The August and December meetings are different times.

* This year, we will be meeting twice for each book. The first meeting will be an introduction, activity, and DEAR time. The second meeting will be the Kahoot and discussion.

Thanks!

Mrs. Zoeller & Mrs. Mendiola

* **August 19, 2024- Intro meeting & Changes from last year (3:15-3:45pm)**

* **September 9 & 23, 2024 - *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* by Lewis Carroll (Classic, 86 pages)**

* **October 7 & 28, 2024 - *Things Not Seen* by Andrew Clements (Science Fiction, 251 pages)**

* **November 4 & 18, 2024 - *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens (Classic, 79 pages)**

* **December 16, 2024 - Christmas Party & Activity (3:00- 4:45pm)**

* **January 6 & 27, 2025 - *Hello Universe* by Erin Entrada Kelly (Realistic Fiction, 352 pages)**
*Newbery winner

* **February 3 & 24, 2025 - *The Crossover* by Kwame Alexander (Poetry, 256 pages) *Newbery winner OR *Brown Girl Dreaming* by Jaqueline Woodson (Poetry, 368 pages) *Newbery Honor**

* **March 3 & 31, 2025 - *Kingdom Keepers #1 "Disney After Dark"* by Ridley Pearson (Fantasy, 336 pages)**

* **April 7 & 28, 2025 - *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio (Realistic Fiction, 320 pages)**

* **May 12, 2025 - Book Competition & End-of-Year Celebration!**

