



Creating a Personalized Summer Reading List

The steps below provide a free tool to assist each student in identifying a personalized summer reading list which reflects his/her interests and matches his/her reading level.

1. Visit: <https://tinyurl.com/CFBookFinder>
2. Enter student's Lexile score or range, as indicated via the most recently taken iReady Reading (grades K-8) assessment.

OR

If you do not know the Lexile level, under "I Don't Know My Lexile Measure", select the grade level the student will enter in fall 2022. Identify whether grade level books are typically "difficult", "just right", or "easy" for the student to read independently.

3. Review the Categories listed and select all that are of interest. Think about selecting multiple categories to reflect varied interests. This information will guide the selection of books. Once finished, click "Search".
4. This will generate a list of books that meet the criteria identified. Each title is a clickable link which provides additional details about the book.
5. Books may have appropriateness in a variety of different settings (e.g. sometimes the reading of a picture book is valuable to older students, relative to the content/topic; sometimes the reading level of a text may be low, but the content is appropriate for only older audiences). You will see that some books show a Lexile Code, as follows, which may further assist in matching reader to text in the most appropriate way:

AD: Adult Directed / NC: Non-Conforming / HL: High-Low / IG: Illustrated Guide /
GN: Graphic Novel / BR: Beginning Reader / NP: Non-Prose

Additional information regarding each of these codes may be found by visiting: <http://www.lexile.com/about-lexile/lexile-codes/>

6. You will be able to search "Find on Amazon" or "Find in Library" via the buttons on the screen. You might compile titles to create a Personalized Reading List. This may be helpful to use when exploring the public library (in-person or online) or visiting bookstores this summer.

Happy Reading...ENJOY ☺