

Summer Reading



Do not forget that each student's assignment for the summer is to read three books of their choice. During the school year, students are required to read books that are a part of the Reading Counts program, **but that is not the case during the summer.** *Scholastic Reading Counts!* has changed to a new edition, and St. Martha's is pleased to announce that we now have access to 46,000 quizzes with new ones being added each month.

To help your child find some interesting titles this summer, you might want to visit the Scholastic website:

1. Start at www.scholastic.com
2. Click on Teachers at the top menu bar and then click on Teacher Home
3. Go to the bottom of the page, find *Scholastic Reading Counts!*, and click.
4. There is a place across the top where you can type in the title of a book and click *submit*.
5. Here you will discover if there is a quiz for the book. If so, you may click on the title of the book (it's in blue and underlined). There is a short synopsis (we suggest you visit www.bn.com if you want more details). You can also discover the genre, skills, cultures and diversity, sensitivity issues, interest and reading levels, and word count.

The Archdiocese of Louisville Book Bee List for students who will be in Grades 4-8 is also posted on our RC website.

Please complete the form below and return it to your child's Reading teacher by **Friday, August 20.** *A copy of this can be found on the St. Martha homepage.*

| Summer Reading Assignment | |
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| Student name | Grade |
| Title: | |
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| Parent/Guardian signature | |