

# SUMMER READING

## BEREAN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

### RECOMMENDED BOOK LIST:

*Amber Brown Goes Fourth* by Paula Danziger 3.7

*Back to School, Weird Kids Rule* by Dan Gutman 3.8

*Fantastic Mr. Fox* by Roald Dahl 4.1

*I Survived Hurricane Katrina* by Lauren Tarshis 4.0

*Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing* by Judy Blume 3.3

*The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate 3.6

**CHOICE ACTIVITIES:** These activities are optional. Students will receive extra credit for completing an activity based on one of the books above and submitting it to his/her Reading teacher the first week of school.

#### Comic Strip

Draw a 10-panel comic strip of what happened in your book. This needs to fill up at least an entire page and include dialogue and colors.

#### Advertisement

Create an advertisement for your book. This needs to fill an entire page and include intriguing details that would inspire people to read the book.

#### Timeline

Pick 10 events from your book and create a timeline. Be sure that these events are important to the story and are in the right order that they occur.

#### Commercial

Record a video about the book. Make sure you show the book in your video and include interesting details that would make people want to read the book. Make sure the video is at least a minute long!

#### Character Diary

Imagine you are one of the characters in the book. Write 5 journal entries from the character's perspective. What is going on in their life? What are they thinking and feeling? Dig deep and add lots of details.

#### Sequel

Write the first chapter of a sequel to the book. What would happen first? Make sure you use action and dialogue! This should be at least one handwritten page (about half a page typed).