



The Maurya School, Palam Vihar, Gurgaon
(Circular for Classes IV)

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Dear Parent

Gone are the days when one's favourite pastime used to be reading books. Now in the age of social networking and gaming, reading books as a habit is slowly and gradually becoming obsolete. Reading not only develops our vocabulary but also increases a person's attention span.

Developing a habit of reading books early in life leads to a lifelong love for books in children. It encourages a thirst for knowledge.

Reading is such a pleasurable experience that children will not waste time in activities which lead to nil or minimum learning such as computer games, social networking, watching TV, etc. We, at The Maurya School, in order to inculcate a habit of reading are coming up with the system of Read & Reward, where any student who reads twenty age appropriate books in a year will be recognized and rewarded. Students can read a title suggested by the school or get the book approved from their English teacher.

The student has to undergo a small oral test conducted by his/ her English teacher to ascertain that the book has been read and understood. The circular is being given so that the students can judiciously utilize their vacation to read as many titles as possible. As this is a pilot project, the students can only read books in English language. Once we are successful with this scheme, it will be introduced for the books in our mother tongue as well. The suggested titles are printed overleaf. I urge the parents to encourage their ward to read more and more books. The library will also be open on all working days of the vacation for the students to issue books.

Kind Regards

Shalini Bajaj
Head of the School

Suggested reading books for the students of Class IV

S.No.	AUTHOR	BOOKS
1	C.S Lewis	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (The Chronicles of Narnia)
2	Lois Lowry	Number the Stars
3	Judy Blume	Blubber
4	Judy Blume	Freckle Juice
5	Enid Blyton	Enchanted world
6	Enid Blyton	The Famous Five
7	R.K Narayan	Swami and Friends
8	R.K Narayan	A Tiger for Malgudi
9	Rudyard Kipling	The Jungle Book
10	Ruskin Bond	Classic Tales
11	Michael Bond	A Bear called Paddington
12	Sudha Murthy	The Magic Drum
13	E.B.White	Charlotte's Web
14	Neil Gaiman	Fortunately, The Milk
15	Roald Dahl	George's Marvellous Medicine