

**Caterpillar “Read to Me”  
Summer Reading List**

**Directions: Choose at least one of the books from the following list and read the book to your child. As you read the book discuss the questions on the Caterpillar Character Counts worksheet provided. After you read the book complete the questions on the worksheet. The worksheet is due on the first day of school.**

**The Dragonling** by Jackie French Koller

Darek can't wait for his first Dragon Quest. Then he can be just like his older brother, Clep, the hero who brought down a Great Blue, the largest and fiercest dragon of all. Darek goes to admire the kill - and finds a dragonling peeking out of the giant dragon's pouch. Scared but curious, he feeds the hungry baby and makes an unlikely friend. To save the dragonling he must venture into the fearsome Valley of the Dragons!

**The Magic Tree House Lions at Lunchtime** by Mary Pope Osborne

Their magic tree house takes Jack and Annie to Africa, where they meet up with wild animals and a very hungry warrior, and solve a riddle.

**JUNIE B. JONES and the Stupid Smelly Bus** by Barbara Park

In her own words, a young girl describes her feelings about starting kindergarten and what she does when she decides not to ride the bus home.

**The Magic Tree House Dingoes at Dinnertime** by Mary Pope Osborne

The magic tree house whisks Jack and Annie away to Australia where they must save some animals from a wildfire.