

**Cross Creek Elementary School  
2015 Summer Reading Challenge  
Rising 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Students**

**Your challenge:** Read for 15-30 minutes every day

**Your goal:** 4 chapter books **AND** 4 student choice books (8 books total)

**What you must turn in:**

- The title and author of each book
- Where you found each book (for example: at home, the public library, a bookstore)
- A 6-8 sentence paragraph that summarizes each book and explains your feelings toward the book

**An example:**

Title and author: *Counting by 7's* by Holly Goldberg Sloan

Where I found the book: the public library

Paragraph: The book *Counting by 7's* is about a girl named Willow Chance who has to find a new family after her adopted parents die in a car crash. Willow is not your average girl. She is different and strange, so fitting in is always hard for her. Even though things are tough for Willow, she learns that family is important and all families are not the same. I liked this book because it is funny and sad all at the same time. My favorite character was Willow's guidance counselor named Dell. The things they discover at his house really made me laugh!

\*You can either type or write your responses. They are due to Mrs. James in the media center no later than 3:30 P.M. on August 7, 2015. (This is the first Friday of the school year). For more information, you may contact Mrs. James at [ajames@thomas.k12.ga.us](mailto:ajames@thomas.k12.ga.us) or 225.3900.

\*All students who meet the requirements will be invited to an ice cream party and will be entered into a drawing for three \$15 book fair certificates.

\*Don't forget about the TCPL's Summer Reading Program – Use the books you read for both programs.