

## READING LIST

Students can choose to read any TWO alphabet books and complete the "Going into Kindergarten" character sheet. **ANY** alphabet book is acceptable, but if you need some help getting started, please check the list below for some sample titles.

### **Chicka Chicka Boom Boom** *By Bill Martin Jr.*

An alphabet rhyme/chant that relates what happens when the whole alphabet tries to climb a coconut tree.

### **Icky Bug Alphabet Book** *By Jerry Pallotta*

Introduces the characteristics and activities of insects and other crawly creatures from A to Z, beginning with the ant and concluding with the zebra butterfly.

### **Miss Spider's ABC Book** *By David Kirk*

From ants to the zebra butterfly, Miss Spider's friends prepare for her giant surprise birthday party.

### **Eating the Alphabet** *By Lois Ehlert*

An alphabetical tour of the world of fruits and vegetables, from apricot and artichoke to yam and zucchini.

### **A Was Once an Apple Pie** *By Suse MacDonald*

Suse MacDonald adapts Edward Lear's fun-to-say, alphabet rhyme in a picture book that combines the classic with the up-to-date.

### **Alphabet Rescue** *By Audrey Wood*

While on vacation in Alphabet City, Little e and the other lowercase letters repair an old fire truck and come to the rescue when a fire engulfs the letter-making factory.

### **Dr. Seuss's ABC** *By George Shannon*

Provides a challenge for children who know the alphabet well enough to play with it, and create an alphabet where all they have to do is think ahead.

### **26 Letters and 99 Cents** *By Tana Hoban*

Color photographs of letters, numbers, coins, and common objects introduce the alphabet, coinage, and the counting system

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### **Animalia** *By Graeme Base*

### **Alphabet City** *By Stephen Johnson*

### **The Alphabet Book** *By P.D. Eastman*

### **Alphabeep!** *By Deborah Pearson*

### **Alphabet Mystery** *By Audrey Wood*

### **Alphabet Adventure** *By Audrey Wood*

### **The Alphabet Tree** *By Leo Lionni*

### **The Absolutely Awful Alphabet** *By Mordicai Gerstein*

### **Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten** *By Joseph Slate*

### **The Furry Alphabet Book** *By Jerry Pallotta*

### **The Underwater Alphabet Book** *By Jerry Pallotta*

### **The Yummy Alphabet Book** *By Jerry Pallotta*

### **The Dinosaur Alphabet Book** *By Jerry Pallotta*

**STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED**  
to read or have read by a family member, two ABC books and complete a story map for each of the books.

Students should write their name at the top, draw their favorite letter character and color their drawing. Have a family member write the book title.

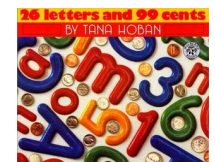
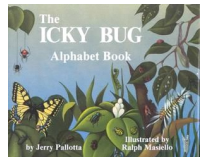
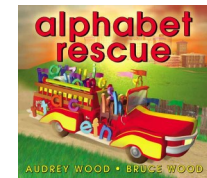
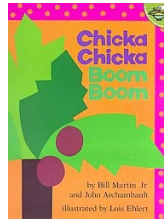
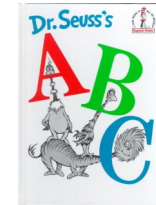
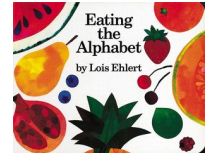
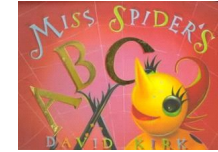
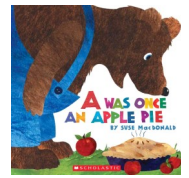
The story maps are included in this brochure. Additional maps are available at [www.nordoniaschools.org](http://www.nordoniaschools.org)

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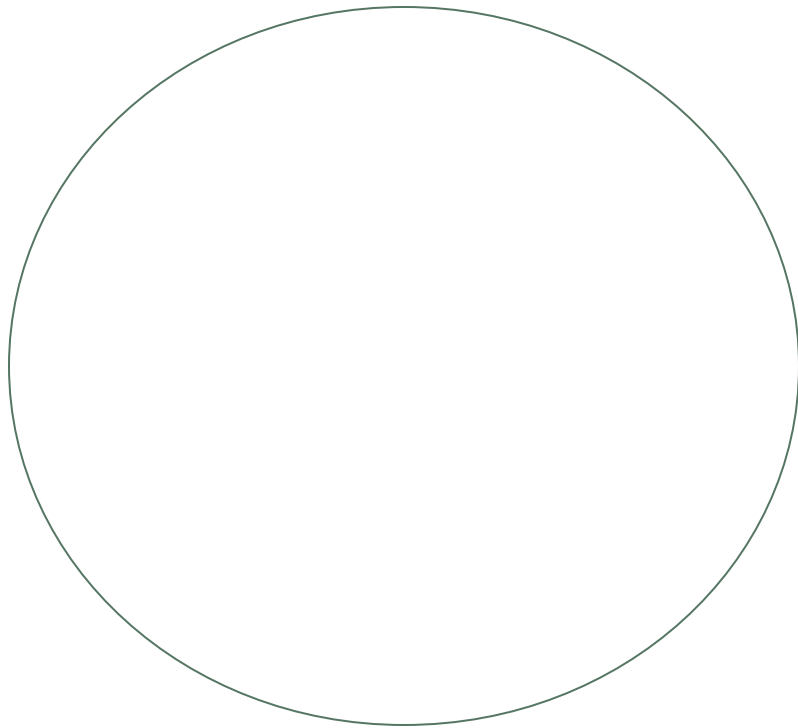


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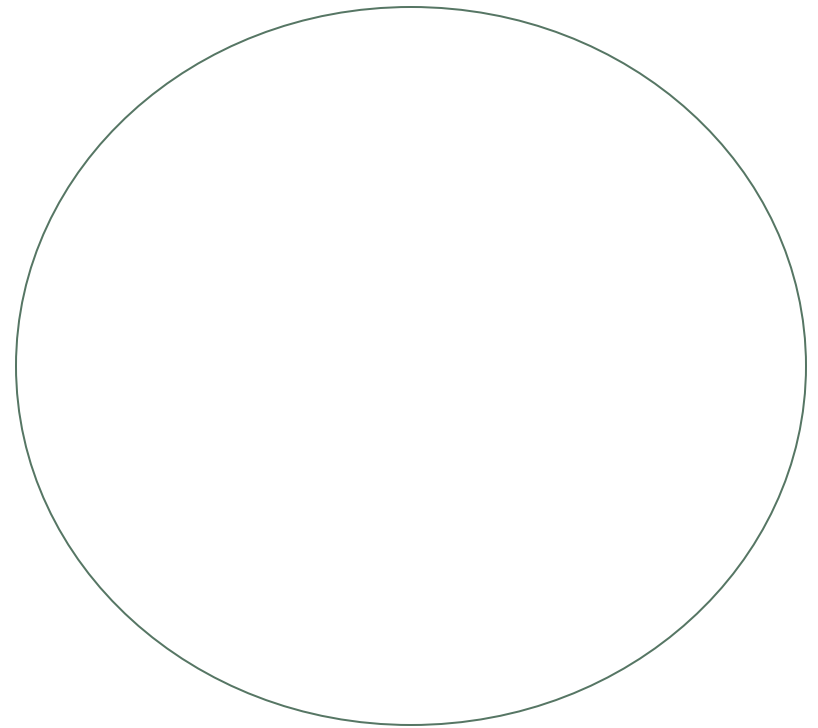
My favorite letters by \_\_\_\_\_

**Read two Alphabet books and draw a picture of your favorite letter character from each book.**

Kindergartners please write your name and draw your favorite letter character. Then color your drawing. Have someone write the book title for you.



Book Title \_\_\_\_\_



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