

# Books for Relaxing Reading



**Grades K - 2**



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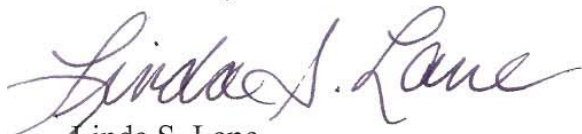
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Dear Pittsburgh Public Schools Students:

I know you are looking forward to the summer break and I hope that many of you plan to continue learning through our summer programs for reading and math. Another way to keep on learning is through your summer reading list for reading on your own. This list is to help you find books to read so you can continue to work hard and dream big all summer long. You do not have to only read books on the list, but do keep track of what you read by writing your summary in the reading log. Your principal is going to do this too, so check to find out how many books they read this summer when you come back to school! Bring your log with you to school in August. The Carnegie Libraries have the list and can help you find the books you want to read. Stay safe and read this summer!

All the best,



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### Main Library

4400 Forbes Ave.  
412.622.3114

### Allegheny

(opening Summer, 2009)  
1210 Federal St.  
412.237.1890

### Beechview

1910 Broadway Ave.  
412.563.2900

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708 Brookline Blvd.  
412.561.1003

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1811 Brownsville Rd.  
412.882.3897

### Downtown & Business

612 Smithfield St.  
412.281.7141

**East Liberty** (closing for renovations, summer, 2009)  
130 S. Whitfield St.  
412.363.8232

### Hazelwood

4901 Second Ave.  
412.421.2517

### Hill District

2177 Centre Ave. at Kirkpatrick St.  
412.281.3753

### Homewood

7101 Hamilton Ave.  
412.731.3080

### Knoxville

400 Brownsville Rd.  
412.381.6543

### Lawrenceville

279 Fisk St.  
412.682.3668

### Mt. Washington

315 Grandview Ave.  
412.381.3380

### Sheraden

720 Sherwood Ave.  
412.331.1135

### South Side

2205 East Carson St.  
412.431.0505

### Squirrel Hill

5801 Forbes Ave.  
412.422.9650

### West End

47 Wabash Ave.  
412.921.1717

### Woods Run

1201 Woods Run Ave.  
412.761.3730

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Leonard C. Staisey Bldg.  
4724 Baum Blvd.  
412.687.2440      800.242.0586



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**Adler, David**

**Cam Jansen and the Triceratops Pops Mystery**

When Cam Jansen and her friend Eric go the music store at the mall for the latest CD by the Triceratops Pops band, Cam uses her photographic memory to foil a crime. (Ask your librarian to help you find more books by David Adder.)

**Allard, Harry**

**Miss. Nelson is Missing! (and all other Miss. Nelson titles)**

The kids in Room 207 take advantage of their teacher's good nature until she disappears and they are faced with a vile substitute. (Ask your librarian for other books by Harry Allard.)

**Auch, Mary Jane & Herm**

**The Princess and the Pizza**

An out-of-work princess applies to become the bride of Prince Drupert, but first she must pass several tests, including a cooking contest.

**Aylesworth, Jim**

**Tale of Tricky Fox**

Tricky Fox uses his sack to trick everyone he meets into giving him ever more valuable items.

**Bauer, Marion Dane**

**If You Were Born a Kitten**

Simply describes how various baby animals come into the world and what happens when a human baby is born.

**Berenstain, Stan & Jan**

**Berenstain Bears in the Dark (series)**

When Brother Bear brings a spooky book from the library, bedtime and the dark become ominous and threatening to Sister Bear. (Ask your librarian for suggestions for other books in the series.)

**Bertram, Debbie**

**Best Place to Read**

A young child with a new book hunts inside and outside the house before finding the right chair for reading.

**Blume, Judy**

**Freckle Juice**

Andrew want freckles so badly that he buys Sharon's freckle recipe for fifty cents. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this Judy Blume.)

**Blume, Judy**

**Soupy Saturdays with the Pain and the Great One**

Revisits the sometimes challenging relationship between a six-year-old (The Pain) and his eight-year-old sister (The Great One) through seven chapters featuring such events as learning to ride a bicycle, having a birthday party, and dog-sitting. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Judy Blume.)

**Bond, Michael**

**Paddington's Things I Do.**

Learn about activities with Paddington Bear, who does many things throughout the day and the seasons. (Ask your librarian to help you find more Paddington Bear stories.)

**Brett, Jan**

**The Mitten**

Several animals sleep snugly in Nicki's lost mitten until the bear sneezes. Her version of the folk tale. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this author.)

**Brown, Jeff**

**Flat Stanley**

Relates the humorous adventures of Stanley, a little boy who wakes up flat (four feet tall, about a foot wide, and half an inch thick) after a bulletin board falls on him during the night.

**Brown, Marc**

**Arthur's New Puppy (series)**

Arthur's new puppy causes problems when it tears the living room apart, wets on everything, and refuses to wear a leash. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this author.)

**Brown, Marcia**

**Stone Soup**

When three hungry soldiers come to a town where all the food has been hidden, they set out to make soup of water and stones, and all the town enjoys a feast.

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- Browne, Anthony**      **My Dad**  
A child describes the many wonderful things about "my dad," who can jump over the moon, swim like a fish, and be as warm as toast.
- Bruel, Nick**      **Bad Kitty**  
When a kitty discovers there is no cat food in the house, she decides to become very, very bad. (Sequel "Poor Puppy" is also good.)
- Cannon, Janell**      **Stellaluna**  
After she falls headfirst into a bird's nest, a baby bat is raised like a bird until she is united with her mother.
- Carle, Eric**      **The Grouchy Ladybug**  
A grouchy ladybug, looking for a fight, challenges everyone she meets regardless of their size or strength. (Ask your librarian for other wonderful titles by Eric Carle.)
- Carle, Eric**      **Mister Seahorse**  
After Mrs. Seahorse lays her eggs on Mr. Seahorse's belly, he drifts through the water, greeting other fish fathers who are taking care of their eggs. (Ask your librarian for other wonderful titles by Eric Carle.)
- Cohen, Miriam**      **When Will I Read?**  
Impatient to begin reading, a first-grader doesn't realize that there is more to reading than books.
- Cronin, Doreen**      **Click, Clack, Moo: Cows that Type**  
When Farmer Brown's cows find a typewriter in the barn, they start making demands and go on strike when the farmer refuses to give them what they want. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this Doreen Cronin.)
- Cronin, Doreen**      **Diary of a Worm**  
A young worm discovers, day by day, that there are some very good and some not so good things about being a worm in this great big world. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this Doreen Cronin.)
- Crummel, Susan**      **The Great Fuzz Frenzy**  
When a tennis ball lands in a prairie dog town, the residents find that their newfound frenzy for fuzz creates a fiasco.
- DePaola, Tomie**      **Tomie DePaola's Mother Goose**  
An illustrated collection of 204 Mother Goose nursery rhymes, including well-known ones such as "Little Boy Blue" and less familiar ones such as "Charlie Warlie and his cow." (Any other collection of Mother Goose Rhymes should also be enjoyable. Speak with your librarian for other collections of Mother Goose rhymes and other books by Tomie DePaola.)
- DiCamillo, Kate**      **The Tale of Despereaux**  
The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Kate DiCamillo.)
- DiCamillo, Kate**      **Mercy Watson to the Rescue**  
The adventures of Despereaux Tilling, a small mouse of unusual talents, the princess that he loves, the servant girl who longs to be a princess, and a devious rat determined to bring them all to ruin. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Kate DiCamillo.)
- Donaldson, Julia**      **The Gruffalo**  
A clever mouse uses the threat of a terrifying creature to keep from being eaten by a fox, an owl, and a snake-- only to have to outwit that creature as well.

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**Edwards, Pamela  
Duncan**

### Dinorella: A Prehistoric Fairy Tale

Kids love this book. : In this story, loosely based on that of Cinderella but featuring dinosaurs, the Duke falls in love with Dinorella when she rescues him from the dreaded deinonychus at the Dinosaur Dance.

**Ehrlich, Amy**

### Random House Book of Fairy Tales

Nineteen of the best-known fairy tales, including "Rapunzel," "Beauty and the Beast," "Thumbelina," and "Hansel and Gretel." Any stories in this genre should be enjoyable. Ask your librarian for more suggestions.

**Falconer, Ian**

### Olivia

A spunky little heroine with inexhaustible energy. Thankfully, for Olivia, her mother has inexhaustible patience. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this author.)

**Feiffer, Jules**

### Bark, George

George the puppy's mother is in for a big surprise when she takes him to the veterinarian to find out why he does not bark.

**Fowler, Allan**

### Spiders are Not Insects

An introduction to the spider, an eight-legged creature, not to be confused with the six-legged insect.

**Gag, Wanda**

### Millions of Cats

The story of a peasant who goes off in search of one kitten and returns with trillions of cats.

**Galdone, Paul**

### Gingerbread Boy

Classic tale of an elderly couple, who have no children, and bake a gingerbread boy. He escapes and leads them, and many others, on a chase. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Paul Galdone.)

**Galdone, Paul**

### Little Red Hen

While the hen does all the work, her lazy friends are unwilling to assist but are more than happy to eat the finished product. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Paul Galdone.)

**Garland, Michael**

### Miss Smith's Incredible Storybook

When the new teacher, Miss Smith, reads to her class, Zack and his classmates are amazed to find that the storybook characters come to life.

**Henkes, Kevin**

### Chrysanthemum

Chrysanthemum loves her name, until she starts going to school and the other children make fun of it. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Kevin Henkes.)

**Henkes, Kevin**

### Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse

Lilly loves everything about school, especially her teacher, but when he asks her to wait a while before showing the class her new purse, she does something for which she is very sorry later. (Ask your librarian for other of Henkes "mouse" books.)

**Hoberman, Mary Ann**

### You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Scary Tales To Read Together

Using rhyme, rhythm and repetition, the scary text invites young children to read along with an adult. Together the adult's text and the child's responsive text create stories with a scary theme.

**Jenkins, Steve**

### Prehistoric actual size

Provides facts especially about the sizes of various dinosaurs and other prehistoric animals.

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**Joose, Barbara**

**Hot City**

A girl and her brother in the city. A plus is they visit the library! We read this last year and the kids are still talking about the "Blah Blah Ladies" from the book.

**Joy, N.**

**The Secret Olivia Told Me**

Can you keep a secret? Olivia has a secret - a BIG secret. It's a secret that she tells only to her very best friend. And her friend promises she won't say a word. But the secret is really BIG and really Juicy. What happens when a trusted friend slips and the secret gets out?

**Keats, Ezra Jack**

**Whistle For Willie**

A boy tries to learn to whistle, so that he can call his dog like the bigger boys do. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this author.)

**Kennedy, Caroline**

**Family of Poems**

Caroline Kennedy has chosen a rich variety of Kennedy family favorite poems to include in this priceless collection. With thoughtful personal introductions written by Caroline herself, and beautiful new original artwork by award-winning artist, Jon J Muth, this collection is sure to become a family favorite for years to come.

**Kimmel, Eric**

**Anansi and the moss-covered rock**

Anansi the Spider uses a strange moss-covered rock in the forest to trick all the other animals, until Little Bush Deer decides he needs to learn a lesson. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Eric Kimmel as well as for other Anansi stories.)

**Kline, Suzy**

**Horrible Harry in Room 2B (series)**

Doug discovers that though being Harry's best friend in Miss Mackle's second grade class isn't always easy, as Harry likes to do horrible things, it is often a lot of fun. (Ask your librarian for other titles by this author.)

**Krensky, Stephen**

**Arthur and the Double Dare (series)**

Unhappy about how much homework they have to do, Arthur and his friends dare each other to skip school, but their plans go wrong, leaving Francine to suffer the consequences. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Stephen Krensky.)

**Kroll, Steven**

**Jungle Bullies**

To get what they want, the larger jungle animals bully the smaller ones until Mama Monkey shows them all the benefits of sharing.

**Leaf, Monro**

**Story of Ferdinand**

Ferdinand likes to sit quietly and smell the flowers, but one day he gets stung by a bee and his snorting and stomping convince everyone that he is the fiercest of bulls.

**Lester, Julius**

**Sam and the Tigers**

Tells what happens when a little boy named Sam matches wits with several tigers that want to eat him (a retelling of Little Black Sambo).

**Lobel, Arnold**

**Frog and Toad are Friends**

The inseparable Frog and Toad are introduced to readers through five wonderfully silly adventures. Like an innocent Laurel and Hardy, the two amphibians show the true meaning of friendship. (Ask your librarian for other titles about Frog and Toad.)

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<b>Martin, Bill, Jr.</b>	<b><u>Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?</u></b> Animals, color, repetition, rhyme - all appealing to young students (Ask your librarian to help you find more books by Bill Martin, Jr.)
<b>Martin, Bill, Jr.</b>	<b><u>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</u></b> An alphabet rhyme/chant that relates what happens when the whole alphabet tries to climb a coconut tree. (Ask your librarian to help you find more books by Bill Martin, Jr.)
<b>McCloskey, Robert</b>	<b><u>Blueberries for Sal</u></b> On a summer day in Maine a little girl and a bear cub wander away from their blueberry-picking mothers and mistake the other mother for their own. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Robert McCloskey.)
<b>McCloskey, Robert</b>	<b><u>Make Way for Ducklings</u></b> Mr. and Mrs. Mallard proudly return to their home in the Boston Public Garden with their eight offspring. (Ask your librarian for other titles by Robert McCloskey.)
<b>McKee, David</b>	<b><u>Elmer</u></b> All the elephants of the jungle were gray except Elmer, who was a patchwork of brilliant colors until the day he got tired of being different and making the other elephants laugh.
<b>Mosel, Arlene</b>	<b><u>Tikki Tikki Tembo</u></b> When the eldest son fell in the well and most of the time getting help was spent pronouncing the name of the one in trouble, the Chinese, according to legend, decided to give all their children short names.
<b>Moss, Lloyd</b>	<b><u>Zin! Zin! Zin! A Violin</u></b> Ten instruments take their parts one by one in a musical performance.
<b>Munsch, Robert</b>	<b><u>Stephanie's Ponytail</u></b> When all the kids in Stephanie's class keep copying her hairstyles by making ponytails of their own, she threatens to shave her hair off. (Ask your librarian for help in finding other titles by Robert Munsch.)
<b>Osborne, Mary Pope</b>	<b><u>Dinosaurs Before Dark (Magic Tree House series)</u></b> Eight-year-old Jack and his younger sister Annie find a magic tree house, which whisks them back to an ancient time zone where they see live dinosaurs. (Ask your librarian for help finding others in this series as well.)
<b>Palatini, Margie</b>	<b><u>Piggie Pie</u></b> Gritch the witch flies to Old MacDonald's farm for some pigs to make a piggie pie, but when she arrives she can't find a single porker.
<b>Palatini, Margie</b>	<b><u>Three French hens</u></b> Three French hens decide to deliver themselves after they failed to arrive along with the two turtle doves and the partridge in a pear tree; however, they end up at the wrong house--a hungry fox down on his luck. (Ask your librarian to help you find other books by Margie Palatini)
<b>Parish, Herman</b>	<b><u>Amelia Bedelia</u></b> A literal-minded housekeeper causes chaos in the Rogers household when she attempts to make sense of some instructions. (You will enjoy any of the Amelia Bedelia series.)
<b>Parks, Barbara</b>	<b><u>Junie B. Jones and the Stupid Smelly Bus</u></b> 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. (Ask your librarian for other titles in the Junie B. Jones series.)
<b>Parr, Todd</b>	<b><u>Reading Makes You Feel Good</u></b> Describes the characteristics and various advantages of reading. (Ask your librarian for suggestions about other titles by Todd Parr.)

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- Penn, Audry**                    **The Kissing Hand**  
Chester the raccoon is reluctant to go to kindergarten for the first time, but his mother teaches him a secret way to carry her love with him.
- Polacco, Patricia**            **Mrs. Katz and Tush**  
A long-lasting friendship develops between Larnel, a young African-American, and Mrs. Katz, a lonely, Jewish widow, when Larnel presents Mrs. Katz with a scrawny kitten without a tail. (Ask your librarian for other wonderful titles by Patricia Polacco.)
- Prelutsky, Jack**                **Random House Book of Poetry for Children**  
A generous collection with a distinctly upbeat tone, this gives a taste of the best poets writing for children over the last several decades. Lobel's drawings imbue the whole with action and graphic images as inventive as the verse.
- Rathmann, Peggy**              **Officer Buckle and Gloria**  
The children at Napville Elementary School always ignore Officer Buckle's safety tips, until a police dog named Gloria accompanies him when he gives his safety speeches. (Ask your librarian for help finding other titles by this Peggy Rathman.)
- Root, Phyllis**                   **Aunt Nancy and Old Man Trouble**  
When Old Man Trouble calls on Aunt Nancy, he tries really hard to turn things upside down for her; however, she knows just how to handle him.
- Rylant, Cynthia**               **Mr. Putter and Tabby (series)**  
Tales of Mr. Putter and his cat, Tabby. (Ask your librarian for help finding other titles by this Cynthia Rylant.)
- Rylant, Cynthia**               **Henry and Mudge (series)**  
Tales of Henry and his dog, Mudge. (Ask your librarian for help finding other titles by Cynthia Rylant.)
- San Souci, Robert**            **Talking Eggs**  
A Southern folktale in which kind Blanche, following the instructions of an old witch, gains riches, while her greedy sister makes fun of the old woman and is duly rewarded.
- Scieszka, Jon**                   **The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs**  
The wolf gives his own outlandish version of what really happened when he tangled with the three little pigs.
- Sendak, Maurice**               **Where the Wild Things Are**  
After Max is sent to bed for misbehaving, he escapes by imagining that he sails away to a wild land full of monsters. (Ask your librarian to suggest more books by Maurice Sendak.)
- Shannon, David**               **David Goes to School**  
David's activities in school include chewing gum, talking out of turn, and engaging in a food fight, causing his teacher to say over and over, "No, David!" (Ask your librarian for other titles by David Shannon.)
- Sierra, Judy**                    **Wild about books**  
A librarian named Mavis McGrew introduces the animals in the zoo to the joy of reading when she drives her bookmobile to the zoo by mistake.
- Silverstein, Shel**               **A Light in the Attic**  
A collection of humorous poems and drawings. (Ask your librarian for more titles by Shel Silverstein.)
- Silverstein, Shel**               **Where the Sidewalk Ends**  
A boy who turns into a TV set and a girl who eats a whale are only two of the characters in a collection of humorous poetry illustrated with the author's own drawings. (Ask your librarian for more titles by Shel Silverstein.)

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<b>Slate, Joseph</b>	<b><u>Miss Bindergarten gets ready for kindergarten</u></b> Introduction to the letters of the alphabet as Miss Bindergarten and her students get ready for kindergarten
<b>Slobodkina, Esphyr</b>	<b><u>Caps for Sale</u></b> A band of mischievous monkeys steals every one of a peddler's caps while he takes a nap under a tree.
<b>Steig, Jeanne</b>	<b><u>A Handful of Beans: : six fairy tales</u></b> Rumpelstiltskin -- Beauty and the beast -- Hansel and Gretel -- Little Red Riding Hood -- The frog prince -- Jack and the beanstalk.
<b>Steig, William</b>	<b><u>Pete's A Pizza</u></b> When Pete feels miserable because rain makes it impossible to play ball outdoors, his father finds a fun indoor game to play with his son.
<b>Steven, Janet</b>	<b><u>Tops and Bottoms</u></b> Hare turns his bad luck around by striking a clever deal with the rich and lazy bear down the road.
<b>Taback, Simms</b>	<b><u>There was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly</u></b> Presents the traditional song with illustrations on die-cut pages that reveal all that the old lady swallows.
<b>Teague, Mark</b>	<b><u>Dear Mrs. LaRue: Letters from Obedience School</u></b> Gertrude LaRue receives typewritten and paw-written letters from her dog Ike, begging her to let him leave the Igor Brotweiler Canine Academy and come back home.
<b>Ward, Lynd</b>	<b><u>Biggest Bear</u></b> Johnny goes hunting for a bearskin to hang on his family's barn and returns with a small bundle of trouble
<b>Wells, Rosemary</b>	<b><u>Yoko's World of Kindness</u></b> Six stories for young children beginning school which teach lessons about making friends, the consequences of teasing, why people's unique qualities make them special, and how learning new skills can build one's confidence. (Ask your librarian for suggestions by other titles by this Rosemary Wells.)
<b>White, EB</b>	<b><u>Charlotte's Web</u></b> Wilbur the pig is upset when he discovers that he is destined to be the farmer's Christmas dinner until his spider friend, Charlotte, helps him. (Ask your librarian to suggest other titles by E.B. White.)
<b>White, EB</b>	<b><u>Stuart Little</u></b> The adventures of the debonair mouse, Stuart Little, as he sets out in the world to seek out his dearest friend, a little bird that stayed for a few days in his family's garden. (Ask your librarian to suggest other titles by E.B. White.)
<b>Willems, Mo</b>	<b><u>Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus</u></b> A pigeon that longs to drive a bus sees a chance to make its dream come true when the bus driver takes a short break. (Ask your librarian for help finding the other Willems' pigeon titles)
<b>Wilson, Karma</b>	<b><u>Bear Snores On</u></b> On a cold winter night many animals gather to party in the cave of a sleeping bear, who then awakes and protests that he has missed the food and the fun.

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**Yolen, Jane**

**How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?**

Mother and child ponder the different ways a dinosaur can say goodnight, from slamming his tail and pouting to giving a big hug and kiss.

**Zelinsky, Paul O.**

**Rumpelstiltskin**

A strange little man helps the miller's daughter spin straw into gold for the king on the condition that she will give him her first-born child.

**Fairy Tales (genre)**

Any stories in this genre should be enjoyable. Ask your librarian for suggestions.

**Folk tales (genre)**

Any stories in this genre should be enjoyable. Ask your librarian for suggestions.

**New True Books**

Non-fiction for young readers. Ask your librarian for suggestions.

**We Both Read (non-fiction series)**

Learn interesting facts on two different reading levels. Ask your librarian for suggestions.

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# **Books for Relaxing Reading** (Student Log, Grades K-5)

Photocopy this sheet or go to <http://www.pps.k12.pa.us/portal>  
to download additional copies of the student log.

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_

Book # \_\_\_\_\_ Date read: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Author: \_\_\_\_\_ Illustrator: \_\_\_\_\_

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