



Tallahassee Classical School

Incoming Kindergarten

FAIRY TALES

ILLUSTRATED TREASURY OF HANS CHRISTIAN
ANDERSEN'S FAIRY TALES

CLASSIC NURSERY
RHYMES

MOTHER GOOSE'S NURSERY RHYMES
BY ROBERT FREDERICK

FABLES

THE CLASSIC TREASURY OF AESOP'S FABLES
BY DON DAILY

"I want my students to learn what life readers know: reading is its own reward. Reading is a university course in life; it makes us smarter by increasing our vocabulary and background knowledge of countless topics. Reading allows us to travel to destinations that we will never experience outside of the pages of a book. Reading is a way to find friends who have the same problems we do and who can give advice on solving those problems. Through reading, we can witness all that is noble, beautiful, or horrifying about other human beings. From a book's characters, we can learn how to conduct ourselves. And most of all, reading is a communal act that connects you to other readers, comrades who have traveled to the same remarkable places that you have and been changed by them, too."

Donalyn Miller, *The Book Whisperer*