

Fifth Grade Summer Reading Assignment

Book Quilt Square

Read 1 book from the following list:

- No Talking by Andrew Clements
- About Average by Andrew Clements
- The Homework Machine by Dan Gutman
- Nightmare at the Book Fair by Dan Gutman
- Rules by Cynthia Lord

*Please have this assignment completed before school starts and **turn this in on your first day back**, Wednesday, August 15, 2018.

*You must take the **AR test** on your book BEFORE school starts. If you cannot take this in the summer, it must be taken within the first three days of school.

Hours for testing in the computer lab this summer are as follows **(please note changes in hours from previous years)**:

Thursday, June 7 through Thursday, July 26 (Thursdays only, plus two Tuesdays)

- Thursdays from 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm - 6/7, 6/14, 6/21, 6/28, 7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26
- Tuesday, June 28 from 9:00 am-12:00 pm
- Tuesday, July 10 from 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Materials:

1 Sheet of blank white paper, 1 sheet of colored paper of your choice, ruler, scissors, pencil, a black marker, and your summer reading book. You will also need colored pencils, crayons, or markers.

*If you would like to type this or use clip art, instead of writing and drawing, you may.

Directions:

1. Read one of the books listed on the summer reading list for fifth grade and:
 - Pick a moment in the book that is your favorite.
 - You should come up with a symbol you think would best fit this book (example: for The Best Christmas Pageant Ever, the Bible would be a good symbol).
 - Choose one character and a personality trait that describes them.
 - For setting, tell me the time and place of the story.
 - Tell me about the theme (lesson the author wants you to learn) of the book (example: for The Best Christmas Pageant Ever, a theme could be that people can change OR don't judge a book by its cover.)

2. Cut your white paper to be an 8 in. by 8 in. square and fold it to have 9 boxes (fold into thirds both ways.) Outline your boxes with a black marker.
3. Follow the guide below to fill in your boxes. Please title your boxes as it is below.
4. When you are all finished with your boxes, you will be gluing this in the center of a square colored piece of paper to make it look like a quilt square. Cut your colored paper to be 9in. by 9in. before gluing your finished square on top.

<p style="text-align: center;">Setting</p> <p>Include where and when the story takes place.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Draw the setting</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Character</p> <p>Write their name, trait, and evidence why that trait fits them.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Draw your favorite moment from the box below.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Title Author</p> <p>Retold by _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Draw the character you chose from the box above.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Summary</p> <p>Write a short summary of your favorite moment in this book.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Draw a symbol (simple picture) you think represents this book based on events that happen in the story.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Theme</p> <p>Write the message or lesson the author wants you to learn from this book.</p>

If you have any questions, you can email me at smalleyb@stsusanna.org. I hope you have fun with this project! Have a great summer!