

Fifth Grade Summer Reading Assignment

To help keep you prepared for fifth grade, you are receiving an assignment that involves reading. Mrs. Verrelli, our wonderful librarian, suggested some great books for you. These books are divided into 2 categories, fiction and non-fiction. **You will be choosing 1 book from each category to read.**

The choices are:

Fiction

Fish in a Tree by Lynda Mullaly Hunt

How to Steal a Dog by Barbara O'Connor

The Sign of the Beaver by Elizabeth George Speare

Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabstin

Non- Fiction

The Great Molasses Flood: Boston 1919 by Deborah Kopps

Bones by Steve Jenkins

Mercy: The Incredible Story of Henry Bergh, Founder of the ASPCA and Friend to Animals by Nancy Furstinger and Vincent Desjardins

One Grain of Rice: A Mathematical Folk Tale by Demi

For **each** book, you will fill out the "You should read this book!" sheet.

For the fiction book, you will fill out the "Book Report Fun" organizer and then write a book report.

For the non-fiction book, you will also write a book report answering the questions **who** the book is about, **where** did the story take place, **when** did the story take place, **what** was the book about and **why** was this book written.

One of the book reports is to be accompanied with an interesting and creative collage, which promotes your book. You can use technology or any form of art. Include prominently, the title of the book and the author on the collage. The collage should not be any bigger than 12 by 12. Please include the organizers and recommendation sheets with the report. **Have your parents sign at the end of your report.**

Until next September, have fun reading!

Name _____ Date _____

Title _____

Author _____

You should read this book because _____

My favorite part was:

Title _____

Author _____

You should read this book because _____

My favorite part was:

Name _____ Date _____

Title _____

Author _____

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