



## Book Projects

For these projects, you will be reading a chapter book and responding to what you have read in a creative way. This can be a book you are currently reading or one you will be reading, but it can't be a book you have already read. Your reading must be done at home.

**Choices for October: Realistic Fiction or Fantasy (choose one project)**

*Due Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>.*

- Redesign a book cover. On the front cover, include a hand drawn and colored illustration with the book title and author. On the back cover, include a complete summary of the story.
- Write a one-page letter to the author telling your thoughts about specific details from the story. Make sure it is in letter format, including a greeting, body, and closing.
- Make a mobile, showing scenes from the story and write a complete sentence describing each scene. Be sure to add color.

**Choices for January: Informational or Mystery (choose one project)**

*Due Tuesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>.*

- Dress up as a character from the book and give the story's summary in writing.
- Timeline: For informational include the main events, with pictures, of the story in chronological order. For mysteries, the timeline would include the clues, with pictures, leading up to the solution. Be sure to include some form of time such as dates, months, seasons, times. Both timelines should include a written caption for each picture.
- Write a song, rap, or poem summarizing the story. Songs or raps must be at least 1-2 minutes in length. Poems must include main topic or all story elements: setting, characters, plot, problem, solution.

**Choices for May: Biography/Autobiography(4<sup>th</sup> grade) or Historical Fiction(3<sup>rd</sup> grade)**

Third graders will be completing a cereal box book report. Fourth graders will be participating in a wax museum. Specific details to be announced at a later date.

### **Project Requirements**

- All projects can be neatly hand written or typed with a font of 14.
- Each project will be orally presented in class.
- Be sure to include the book title, author, and colored illustrations.
- Please let your teacher know if you need paper, materials, or time at school to use a computer.