

# Cereal Box Book Report

## May Book Project- Due May 10<sup>th</sup>

For May's book project, all students need to complete a Cereal Box Book Report. The students will decorate a real cereal box (empty of course) with illustrations and information related to the book they are reading for May's Book Project.

**Front of Box:** Use a piece of white or light colored paper to cover the front of your cereal box. You will probably want to create the cover before gluing it on your box. Include the name of the cereal and a picture. Invent a name for the cereal that is related to the title of the book and sounds like a real cereal. Do NOT use the exact title of the book. Choose a shape for the cereal as well as colors and ingredients that all relate to the book. For example: for *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*, you might invent a cereal called Wizard Wands, a toasted oak cereal in the shape of miniature lightning bolts.

**Right Side:** Make a list of ingredients that includes the story elements; characters and setting. Under the heading "Ingredients" list the main characters and write a sentence about **each** one. Then describe the setting. You can use the template on the attached sheet or cover the side with white or light colored paper and do it in your own way. Just make sure you include the **main** characters and the setting.

**Left Side:** Write a summary that describes the main problem and the solution of the book. Try to use words that will grab the readers' attention and make them want to buy your cereal. You can use the attached template or do this in your own way.

**Back of Box:** Design a game that is based on the story. It can be a puzzle, a word search, word scramble, maze, crossword puzzle or a hidden pictures illustration, or any fun activity that you might find on the back of a cereal box. Make sure it includes information from the book.

**Top of Box:** Include the title, author, number of pages and number of stars you would give this book if you were a book critic. The maximum number of stars would be 5. You can use the template or create your own. Be sure to use all the things listed above.

**Prize:** Cereal boxes often include a prize. Your prize must be something the main character could have used in the book or something that reminds you of the main character. You can even include a picture of the prize on the front of your box to let the reader know what is inside the box.

# Cereal Box Book Report Templates

**Left Side of Box:** Cut out this box and place in on the right side of your cereal box.

Write a summary that describes the main problem and how the problem was solved. Try to use words that will "grab" the readers' attention and make them want to buy your cereal.

Summary of Book: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Top of Box:** Cut out this box and place in on the top of your cereal box.

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

Author: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Pages: \_\_\_\_\_

Rating: 

