

Name: _____ Date: _____

Book Title: _____

Author: _____



Letter to the Author

The Task: Write a letter to the author or the book you just finished reading.

The Plan:

1. Draft your letter.
 - a. In your letter you must include:
 - A greeting to the author
 - The title of the book
 - The reasons why you liked or disliked the book with explanation
 - At least two questions to the author about the book
 - A closing
 - Your signature or printed name

*You may include the following:

- A suggestion for a different opening or ending for the book
 - A picture to go along with your letter on a separate sheet
 - An idea for a sequel or prequel to the book or another book in the series
2. Revise and edit your draft with an adult or a peer
 3. Type your final copy and print

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:

- Write in complete sentences
- Use correct spelling, punctuation, and grammar
- Use the correct letter format
- Turn in your rough draft along with your final copy



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Google Slides Presentation

The Task: Create a Google Slides presentation about the book

The Plan:

1. Start a new presentation
 - a. For your Google Slides you must include slides for:
 - The title and author of the book
 - The main characters
 - The main setting(s) in the story
 - A summary of the book
 - Your opinion of the book
 - A recommendation of who might enjoy reading the book
 - Your slides must be colorful and include pictures

*You may include the following:

- Sound effects and animation
2. Revise and edit your presentation with an adult or a peer
 3. Share your presentation with your ELA teacher: jpanucci1@groton.k12.ct.us and skelly@groton.k12.ct.us

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:

- Write in complete sentences
- Use correct spelling, punctuation, and grammar
- Use details from the story in your summary
- Make your presentation eye-catching



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Write a Book Review

The Task: You are a book critic and will write a review of the book.

The Plan:

1. Draft your book review
 - a. In your letter you must include:
 - The title of the book
 - The author of the book
 - A short summary of the book
 - Your opinion of the book with details that support why you did or did not like the book
 - A recommendation of who might enjoy reading the book

*You may include the following:

- A star rating (out of five stars)
 - A suggestion of how to make the book better
2. Revise and edit your draft with an adult or a peer
 3. Type your final copy and print

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- Use the correct letter format
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Design a Book Cover

The Task: Design a new book cover for your book.

The Plan:

1. Draft your book cover.
 - a. For your book cover you must include:
 - The title of the book on the front cover
 - The author or the book on the front
 - An illustration on the front cover
 - A summary of the story on the back cover
 - An illustration on the back cover

*You may include the following:

- A star rating (out of five stars)
 - A one-sentence critic's recommendation
2. Revise and edit your draft with an adult or a peer
 3. Create your final copy of your book cover folded white paper

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:

- Write in complete sentences
- Use correct spelling, punctuation, and grammar
- Use the correct letter format
- Neatness counts!
- Make sure your book cover does not look like the actual book cover
- Turn in your rough draft along with your final copy



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Interview a Character

The Task: You are a news anchor interviewing a main character from the book.

The Plan:

1. After picking a main character to interview, draft your interview.
 - b. In your interview you must include:
 - An introduction to the character
 - At least FIVE interview questions
 - Answers from the point of view of the character using details from the book
 - The title of the book
 - The author of the book

*You may include the following:

- A drawing of the character you interviewed
2. Revise and edit your draft with an adult or a peer
 3. Type your final copy and print

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET:

- Write in complete sentences
- Use correct spelling, punctuation, and grammar
- Use details from the story in your character's answers
- Turn in your rough draft along with the final copy

