Sixth Grade Summer Reading Book Report

Dear 6th grader,

You have the opportunity to begin 6th grade with **extra credit points** and a way to strengthen your reading and writing skills over the summer. The New York State Regents have recommended that each student read at least 25 books a year and write 1,000 words a month. We are hopeful you will be a part of this challenge over the summer.

Choose at least one book from this list (on the back of this page) **or** a book of your choice that is grade level appropriate. Feel free to read more than one book! For each book read, complete the book report assignment listed at the bottom of this page. Turn it in to your ELA teacher during the first week of school. Extra credit points will be added to your first quarter grade in ELA.

Have a safe and fun summer! Happy reading!

Your ELA teacher,

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Book Report Expectations

The final copy may be typed or handwritten, and should be carefully edited.

1st paragraph: Provide the title and author of the book. Describe in detail the main character. Use identifying information such as age, gender, physical description, where they live and personality traits. Can you relate to this character and why?

2nd paragraph: Describe in detail the setting of the story. When does it take place and where? How does the setting of the story add to the storyline? Would the story be different if it was in a different location? Use specific details and examples.

3rd paragraph: What is the character's main conflict (problem) in this story? Who or what is the conflict with? How does the character deal with conflict? What is the resolution?

4th paragraph: Why did you choose this book? Who would you recommend this book to and why? What types of books do you prefer to read? What books have you read in the past that you really enjoyed?

Hello, Universe by Erin Entrada Kelly

Guts by Raina Telgemeier

Small Spaces by Katherine Arden

Front Desk by Kelly Yang

Other Words for Home by Jasmine Warga

Unplugged by Gordon Korman

Mick Harte was Here by Barbara Park

The Wild Robot by Peter Brown

Dust by Dusty Bowling

Spy School by Stuart Gibbs

The War that Saved my Life by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley

Hatchet by Gary Paulsen

Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus by Dusti Bowling

The Last Day of Summer by Lamar Giles

Fallout by Todd Strasser

Wink by Rob Harrell

The Superteacher Project by Gordon Korman

Million Dollar Throw by Mike Lupica

Coraline by Neil Gaiman

Not All Heros by Josephine Cameron

The Strangers By Margaret Peterson Haddix

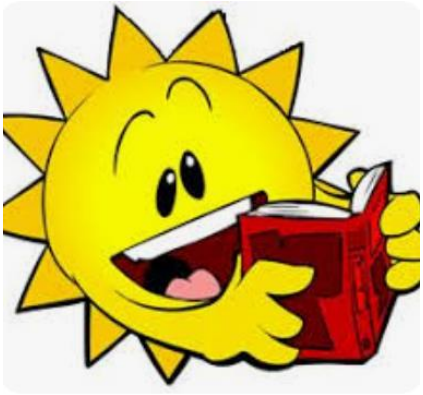
A Wish in the Dark by Christina Soontornvat

The Night Diary by Veera Hernandani

The Lion of Mars by Jennifer L. Holt

Heat by Mike Lupica

When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead

Holes by Louis Sachar

Ghost by Jason Reynolds