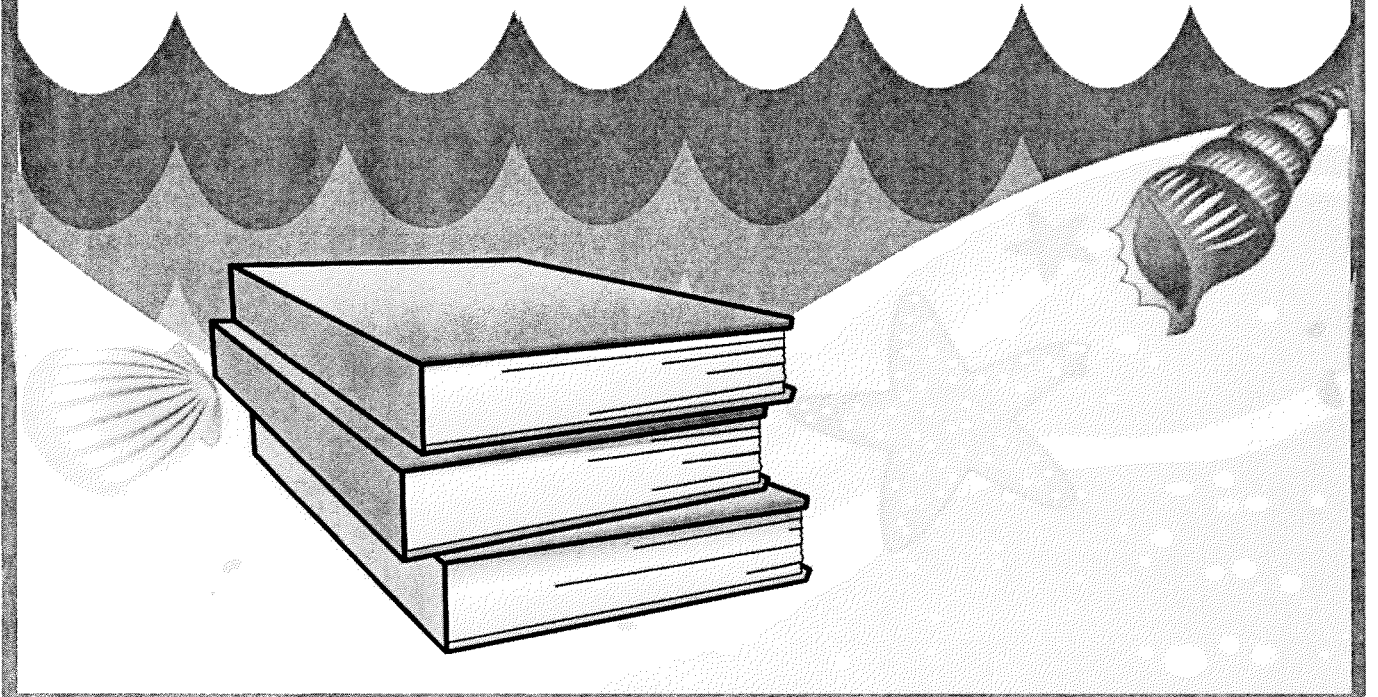


ELA

Summer

Work

for fifth grade



Hello future fifth graders,

Woohoo!! We made it to summer break!! It's summer!!
Time to relax and grab a good book to enjoy!

As your future ELA teacher. I want to stress the importance of reading. The more you read the more you learn. Reading is a passion of mine! I want you as my students to find new books that you love SO much you are unable to put them down.

I have created a list of non-fiction and fictional books to choose from. I have put a lot of thought into these books. I think you all will find the perfect one for you to read! Please choose one non-fictional book and one fictional book to read over the summer. Once you're finished reading please complete the the following assignments on the next page.

Have fun!

If anyone has any questions, please never hesitate to reach out!

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Books to Choose from:

The following are books that I suggest to read. However, you may choose your own book based on your reading level. You will write a book report on the non-fiction book. For the fictional book you may choose from creating a google slideshow or creating a brochure.

Non-Fiction

Malala: My Story of Standing Up for Girls' Rights

By: Sarah J. Robbin
(Author)

A Long Walk to Water By:
Linda Sue Park

What Was the Underground Railroad?
By: Yona Zeldis McDonough

What was the Holocaust?
By: Gail Herman

King George: What Was His Problem? By: Steve Sheinkin

Fiction:

Restart By: Gordon Korman

Out of My Mind By: Sharon M. Draper

Ungifted By: Gordon Korman

Upside Down in the Middle of Nowhere By: Julie T. Lamana

Insignificant Events in the Life of a Cactus By: Dusti Bowling

Everyone will write a book report on their non-fiction book using the template attached.

After reading the fictional book you may choose from the following two options. You can create google slides or you can complete the brochure worksheet attached.

For Google slides please use the following guidelines.

Create a Google Slides presentation for your book, it must include the following six slides. **Each slide should have text and images.**

Title slide: Book cover, title and author

Slide 1: Why did you choose this book? Three reasons why. (EX: Was it the title? Was it the pictures on the cover? Did someone recommend this book to you?)

Slide 2: Short summary -main idea and 3 supporting details-about the book

Slide 3: 5 interesting facts you learned

Slide 4: 3 new vocabulary words you learned-define them & use each in a sentence

Slide 5: Do you recommend this book and why or why not?

Name _____ Date _____

Non-Fiction Book Report

Title _____

Author _____ Number of Pages _____

Publisher _____ Copyright _____

Setting _____

Write about 5 of the most interesting facts you learned and why it was important in the book.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Write 3 comprehensive questions about your book and answer them. They should include different facts than what you already wrote.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Draw a picture of the most interesting part of the book. Write 2 or 3 sentences describing what your picture is about.

1. _____

2. _____

