

**Fourth Grade ELA
Summer Break
Packet For
Students Entering
Grade 5**

Dear Families,

In order to enter fifth grade as successful as possible, I am asking that each student complete the following Reading attachments. There is a summer reading log. There is a school wide book assigned, so students can use this for their reading log. If students are done reading the school wide book that is being assigned, I will attach a book of book titles that are grade level books that are on the grade 5 level. Your child is only required to read the school wide book, and one other grade level book. The school-wide book assigned is 'Unplugged', by Gordon Korman. Mrs. Schreck is managing that, and you should have received emails from her. A hand - out also went home the other day, explaining her assignment.

Students should read at least twenty minutes per day, and this can be recorded on the reading log. The goal of reading consistently over the summer, and completing both Mrs. Schreck's assignment and completing a book report on an additional book is just to keep your child engaged with reading.

Thank you for encouraging your child to complete the packet and reading log. I wish each of you a restful, safe, and wonderful vacation! ENJOY!

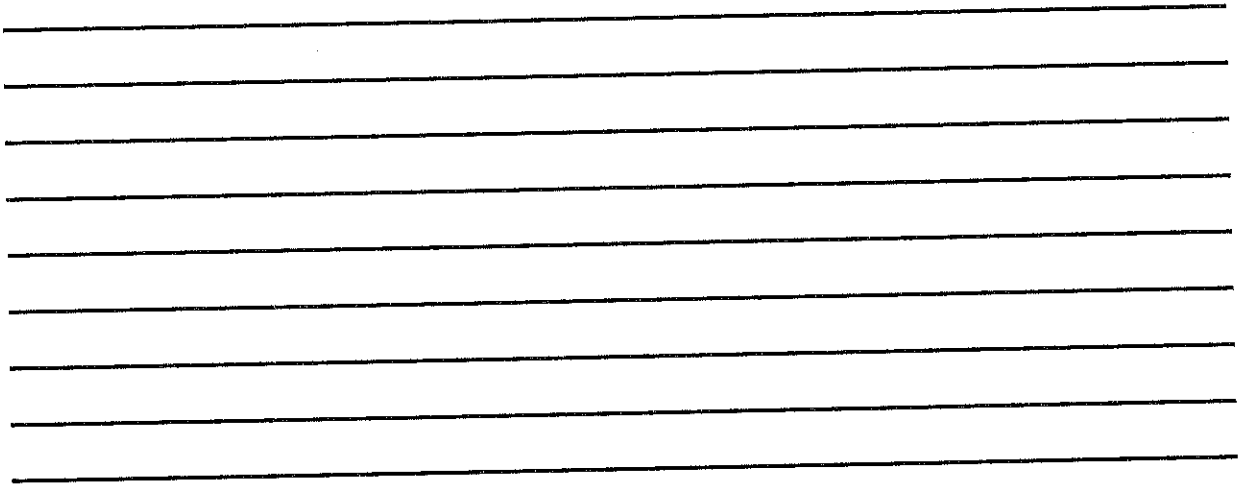
-Mrs. Testa

Grade 4 going to grade 5 book list:

- 1.) Wonder - by R.J. Palacio*
- 2.) The One and Only Ivan - by Katherine Applegate*
- 3.) The Only Girl in School - by Natalie Standiford*
- 4.) The Million Dollar Shot - by Dan Gutman*
- 5.) Frindle - by Andrew Clements*
- 6.) Fish in a Tree - by Lynda Mulla Hunt*
- 7.) Rules - by Cynthia Lord*
- 8.) The Sign of the Beaver - by Elizabeth George Speare*

- Please note that the above books are all fictional books, so if your child would like to read a non-fictional/informational book, please just have your child give a summary.*

- *Also, if your child would like to read books that are not on the list, that is fine as long as they are grade level appropriate.*



SUMMARY

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MIDDLE

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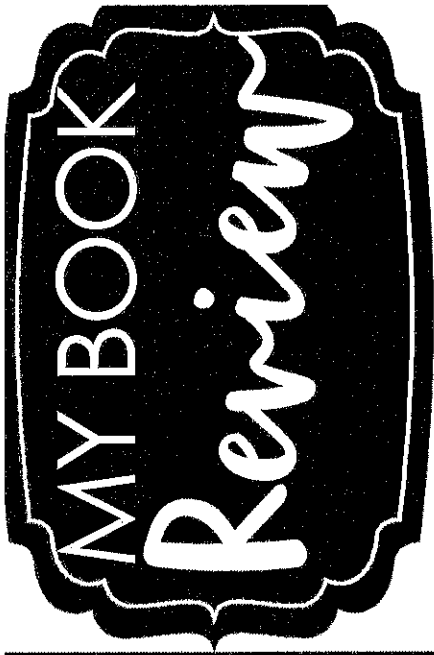
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BOOK TITLE:

AUTHOR:

CREATED BY:

CHARACTERS

CHARACTER:

CHARACTER TRAITS:

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IMPORTANT ACTIONS IN STORY:

CHARACTER IMAGE

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SETTING

VISUALIZE THE MAIN SETTING IN THE STORY AND ILLUSTRATE IT.

DESCRIBE THIS SETTING AND THE IMPORTANCE OF IT IN THE STORY.

NEW WORDS

NEW WORD

WHAT YOU THINK IT MEANS?

MEANING OF WORD.
