



Entering Third Grade

Where would you like to go this summer? What would you like to do? Well, books can take you to those places, put you in great adventures, and let you meet new friends. We encourage you to join the Fairfield Public Library's (FPL) Online Summer Reading Program. All reading can be logged online by signing up through their website <https://fairfieldpubliclibrary.org/>. Anyone from ANY town can join the FPL Summer reading program, it is NOT limited to Fairfield residents. You have the ability to print out that online log and bring it in at the beginning of the school year. In the fall, if your child returns proof of their summer reading (either printed from the public library online reading program or using one of the book log options below) your child's name will be added to our summer reading display which recognizes the meaningful reading our students did this summer.

Third Grade Suggestions...

Authors: Beverly Cleary, Roald Dahl, Kate DiCamillo, Dan Gutman, Tom Angelberger, Matt Christopher

Chet Gecko Mysteries by Bruce Hale
A-Z Mysteries or *Capital Mysteries* by Roy
Unicorn Rescue Society by Gidwitz
Series of Unfortunate Events by Snicket
Choose Your Own Adventure Books by Montgomery
I Survived series by Tarshis
Lindbergh the Tale of a Flying Mouse by Kuhlmann
Jumanji by Van Allsburg (or any of his picture books)
Sarah Plain and Tall by MacLachlan
Granny Tortellini Makes Soup by Creech
The Borrowers by Norton
Dory Fantasmagory by Hanlon
Boxcar Children by Warner

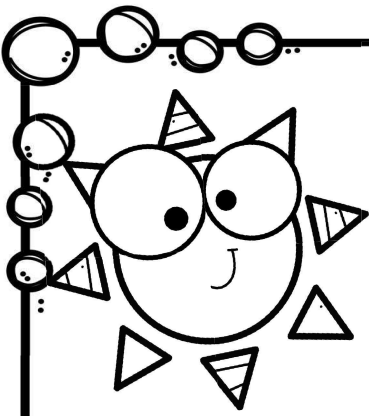
Nonfiction Books

Who Would Win series by Pallotta
Locomotive, *Moonshot* and *Lightship* by Floca
Whoosh by Barton
Dinosaur Lady by Skeers
Otis and Will Discover the Deep by Rosenstock
Elizabeth Queen of the Seas by Cox

If You Like Graphic Novels Try..

Cucumber Quest by D.G. Gigi
Catstronauts by Brockington
Amulet by Kibuishi

BOOK SUMMARY #1

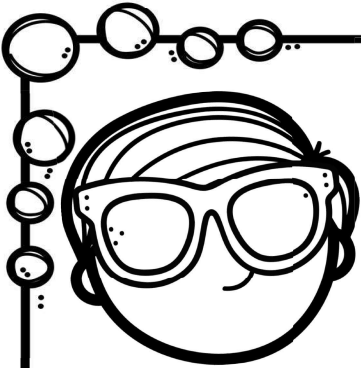


Title: _____

Author: _____

Give a summary of the book in 3-4 sentences:

BOOK SUMMARY #2

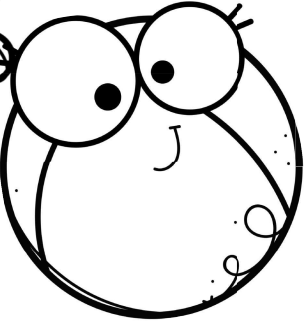


Title: _____

Author: _____

Think of 3-4 character traits to describe a character. Why did you choose those traits?

BOOK SUMMARY #3

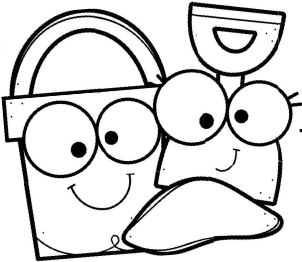


Title: _____

Author: _____

Tell your favorite part of the book in 3-4 sentences:

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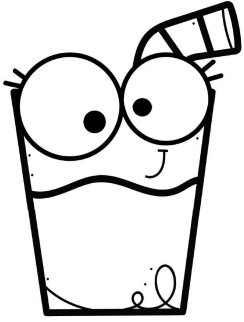


Title: _____

Author: _____

Did this book remind you of something in your own life? Tell about a connection you made with this book.

BOOK SUMMARY #5



Title: _____

Author: _____

Write a short letter to the main character:

BOOK SUMMARY #6

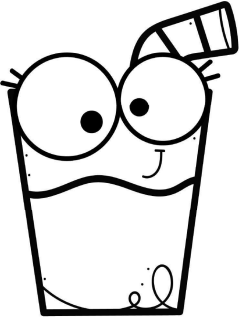


Title: _____

Author: _____

Pick 2 words from the book you don't know. Look them up in a dictionary. Record the definitions, and use them in a sentence.

BOOK SUMMARY #7



Title: _____

Author: _____

Draw a picture of the most important part of the book:

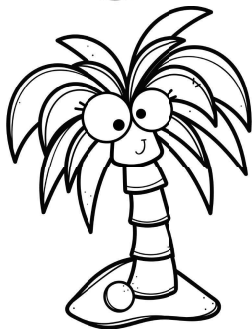
BOOK SUMMARY #8



Title: _____

Author: _____

Tell what happened in the *beginning*, *middle*, and *end*:

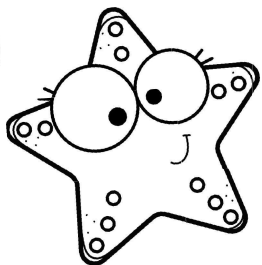


BOOK SUMMARY #9

Title: _____

Author: _____

Make a bubble map describing your favorite character:



BOOK SUMMARY #10

Title: _____

Author: _____

Compare and contrast two settings from the book:
