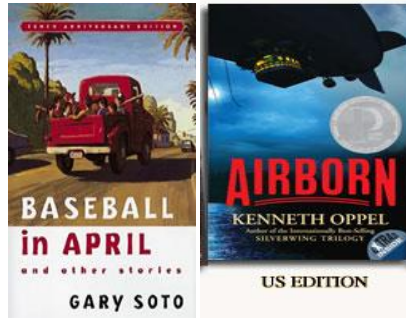


5TH GRADE SUMMER READING HERNANDO CHRISTIAN ACADEMY



Purpose: Reading books should be an enjoyable experience. Doing projects is an opportunity to tell others about the book you just read.

Assignment: Choose 2 of the above books and read them over the summer. Complete one book report and one reader response project. Follow the given format below. Projects are due 1st Friday back to school.

Book Report Format

1. Important information about the book
 - The title of the book (underlined)
 - The author of the book
 - The type of book (fiction, nonfiction, biography, Christian fiction)
 - The number of pages in the book
 - The setting (where the story takes place)
2. A summary of the plot (The main points about the story)
3. A character sketch of the main character or characters (Was the character courageous, patient, etc.?)
4. Reasons for recommending or not recommending the book for others to read. (Your opinion of the book with details)
5. A signed statement telling that you have read the entire book. If there is no signed statement, the teacher will assume that you did not complete the book and will lower your grade.

Your book report should have at least 5 or more paragraphs with the information above. Except for the introduction, each paragraph should have at least 5-7 sent.

Book Titles to choose from

Summer of the Monkeys

Misty of Chincoteague

My Side of the Mountain

Nothing's Fair in Fifth Grade

AIRBORN

Baseball in April

Hatchet or I am the Ice Worm

Reader Response Project Format

- Create a poster of a favorite scene with written description.
- Create a collage using magazine cutouts to represent a theme, scene, or topic in the book with written descriptions.
- Create a main character mobile with descriptions of each.