

5th Grade Summer Reading

Directions: On the attached paper, write a letter to your teacher about your summer reading book. Use the format below to compose your letter. This will be handed in to your teacher on the first day of school. Neatness counts!

Please pick a book from this list:

<https://www.goodreads.com/shelf/show/5th-grade-reading-list>

Reading Response Letter

Check off each box as you complete it in the letter.

Date in upper right hand side.

- Greeting - (Dear Mrs. _____,) on the left-hand side.
- Body - Indent first sentence.
- Summarize what you've read - describe the main character, setting, plot, problem and solution, etc. (minimum 6 sentences).
- Opinion - What do you like/dislike about the book? You may also share a line or moment in the text that really stood out to you.
- Strategy Work - Discuss a character trait of the character you found most interesting.
- Closing - (Sincerely, Your student, Your friend, etc.) on the right side lined up with the date.
- Signature - Sign your name. Line it up with closing.
