



Bayonne Public Schools

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Summer Literacy Program: Building Bridges to Success Language Arts Assignment for Students Entering Grade 4

Directions: After reading a book of personal choice, choose three activities to complete from the choice board by creating a tic-tac-toe. This assignment will be worth **ten (10) points**, which will be added to a language arts test during Marking Period One. All assignments are due to your English Language Arts teacher no later than September 25, 2023. Kindly note that this information will also be posted on the Bayonne Board of Education website, www.bboed.org.

Summer Reading Response - 2023 Choice Board

<p style="text-align: center;">Point of View</p> <p>Write a letter to a friend from the point of view of the main character telling about the problem and solution in the story.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Theme</p> <p>What is the theme of the novel, or central message, the author is trying to convey? Write a paragraph clearly stating the theme and use at least 3 pieces of textual evidence to support your response.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Alternate Ending</p> <p>What event(s) might have changed how the story ended? Change at least <u>one</u> key event to write an alternate ending to the story.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Text-to-Self Connection</p> <p>What event or character can you best relate to from this story and why? Be sure to use textual evidence to support your connection and tell about your own personal experience. This must be written in paragraph format.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Character Analysis</p> <p>Choose one character from the novel to write a character analysis. Be sure to introduce the character, clearly state the character trait, and support it with 3 pieces of textual evidence.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Cartoon Narrative</p> <p>Create a cartoon narrative that retells the story in your own words. Be sure to include the main characters, setting, and important events from the beginning, middle & end.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Story Elements</p> <p>Create a <u>new</u> book cover for the book you read. Be sure to include the title, author, illustrator, and a picture showing the main character and setting.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Character Development</p> <p>Create a timeline that shows the events which lead to the main character's transformation.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Compare & Contrast</p> <p>Choose 2 characters <u>or</u> 2 settings from your story and write a compare and contrast essay. Be sure to include textual evidence to support your response.</p>

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