

Book in a Bag

For the month of May you will be completing a book report. This style of book report is called a book in a bag. Once you have chosen your book, you must read the entire book and then complete the following:

Part of Bag:	What to include:
Front	<ul style="list-style-type: none">*Title*Author*Illustration of an important part*Caption that explains the illustration*Your name
Side	<ul style="list-style-type: none">*Characters ~ draw three main characters from the book. Be sure to include a description of the character (not just appearance, but also character traits).*Setting ~ Be sure to include time (past, present or future), place, and context (what do we need to understand to follow the story line - this could be magic, space, travel, etc...)
Backside	<ul style="list-style-type: none">*Summary ~ summarize the main events in chronological order. Stick to the main ideas and avoid getting side tracked by too many details. Be sure to include the beginning, middle and end.*Three-Five items ~ Describe the three-five items that you have placed inside the bag. Explain what each item is, what it has to do with the story and why you chose to put this item in the bag.
Side	Problem & Resolution ~ Write a paragraph explaining the main problem in the story and how this problem was resolved. Remember, you are looking for the main problem - not a small detail.
Inside the bag	Place three to five items that represent an important event in the book. Each item needs to be symbolic of a main character, setting, problem or event in the story. Don't forget to describe these items on the back of the bag.

You will sign up either the first or second week of June to present your book reports. This project takes the place of your Weekly Reading Log. You may choose to read some of your book during independent reading time but this project is to be completed at home.

Happy Reading ☺

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