

Dear Incoming 5th Grade Students,

Over the summer, you are required to read a book and complete a book report. This year, all students will be reading the same book, *Holes*, by Louis Sachar. After you read the novel, please choose one of the below activities to complete and submit when we return to school. The activity you choose will count as a reading grade for the first trimester. Your *Holes* activity is **due Tuesday, August 28th**. We will begin discussing the book when we return to school in August.

Sincerely,

Ms. Erin Cappy

Activity Board-Please choose ONE activity to complete!

<u>Food Photo Journal:</u>	<u>Animal Report:</u>	<u>Diary Writing:</u>	<u>Camp Green Lake Brochure:</u>
<p>Cook up some special concoctions at home using foods referenced in <i>Holes</i> (onions, peaches, etc.)</p> <p>Create a photo journal of your recipes and write a paragraph about each item. Be sure to use descriptive adjectives when writing about the recipe.</p> <p>-Minimum of five recipes</p> <p>-Photograph of each item</p> <p>-Recipe for each item</p> <p>-Write a short review about how the recipe turned out (taste, texture, etc.)</p>	<p>Create an informational animal report about the Yellow-Spotted Lizard from <i>Holes</i>. This report is about the fictional lizard from the novel. Make sure it is neat, creative, and colorful.</p> <p>Your report must include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Animal name ● Habitat ● Climate ● Diet ● Unique Features ● Description of animal in paragraph format 	<p>Write diary/journal entries from the perspective of a Camp Green Lake camper. Entries must be from the same camper's perspective in all diary/journal entries.</p> <p>-Minimum of 10 diary/journal entries</p> <p>-Written from the perspective of one camper (character from the book)</p> <p>-Entries should be written in sequential order and reference main events from the story</p> <p>-Each entry should contain a date, greeting, body, closing, and signature</p>	<p>Create an informational brochure for Camp Green Lake. Make sure to use facts from the story to help you create this brochure. Your brochure needs to include the following items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Descriptions and pictures of activities ● Descriptions and pictures of the scenery and climate ● History of the camp ● "Interesting Facts" section ● All items should be colorful, organized, and neatly written
<p>**Be sure to use correct grammar, spelling, capitalization, etc.</p>	<p>**Be sure to use correct grammar, spelling, capitalization, etc.</p>	<p>**Be sure to use correct grammar, spelling, capitalization, etc.</p>	<p>**Be sure to use correct grammar, spelling, capitalization, etc.</p>