

Fifth Graders Summer Assignments

Our first unit of inquiry is How We Organize Ourselves. We will be learning about various ways that things are organized in history, nature, and in math. Systems of organization can help in making decisions, or in how things work and flow.

Central Idea: Society uses organizations for decision making Lines of Inquiry:

- Structure of government
 - Example: 3 branches of government
- Foundation and formation of government
 - Laws/Rules, Constitution
- Man made organizations vs. Natural made organizations
 - Man-made: Congress
 - Natural-made: 3 states of matter

Directions:

- 1. Look through the list of fiction and nonfiction books on the next page. You must choose and read ONE FICTION book and ONE NON-FICTION book.
- 2. Read through the fiction activity choices and nonfiction activity choices
 - a. You must complete one fiction activity and one nonfiction activity
- 3. You should be as creative as you can be with the guidelines listed below.
- 4. You must submit your work to your teacher on the first day of school August

Fiction Activity Choices (must choose one to complete):

- 1. Complete the Book Review worksheet.
- 2. Write a character diary, writing at least five journal entries as if you are the main character in the story. Write down events that happen during the story and reflect on how they affected the character and why. Think about and include how did the character organizes themselves and how did organizations (governments, cultural rules, etc.) affect them
- 3. Create an infographic for the novel. Use words, pictures, charts, etc. to tell about the novel that you read. Include characters, setting, problem/solution, theme, organizations (governments, cultural, etc.).
 - a. This website has many examples of infographics for different novels. Some of the novels are at a much higher reading and interest level.
 - https://www.coursehero.com/infographics/

Nonfiction Activity Choices (must choose one to complete):

- Create a newspaper section using the template provided about the topic in the nonfiction book you read. Be sure to include important people, important facts/information, and how it ties into unit
- 2. Create 5 "Fun Fact Cards" using index cards or paper of similar size. On left hand side of the card, draw a picture or diagram. Then on the right, list the fun facts of the topic. Make sure you are



writing in complete sentences with correct capitalization, punctuation, and spelling. See picture below for how to set it up.

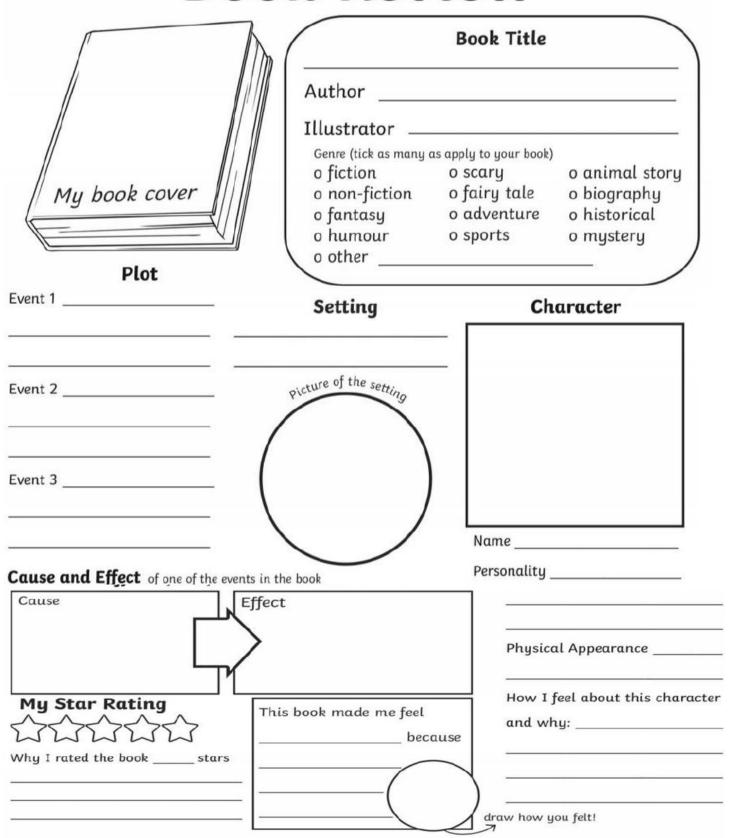


3. Create a jigsaw puzzle about the topic of your book. Use a cardboard box or a thick piece of paper for the puzzle. Your puzzle should have at least 9 pieces. On one side of the puzzle piece should be a fact from the book. On the other side of the puzzle piece, should be a picture related to the fact. Cut the puzzle apart and bring it in in a Ziploc bag that has your name and the book name written on it.

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Fiction Options	Nonfiction Options			
Sophia's War: A Tale of the Revolution	What is the Supreme Court?			
By: Avi	By: Jill Abramson			
AR Level: 5.1	AR Level: 6.6			
Lexile: 730	Lexile: 940			
City of Ember	What is Congress?			
By: Jeanne DuPrau	By: Jill Abramson			
AR Level: 5.0	AR Level: 6.7			
Lexile: 680	Lexile: 960			
The Night Diary By: Veera Hiranandani AR Level: 4.5 Lexile: 700	What Is NASA? By: Sarah Fabiny AR Level: 6.6 Lexile: 970			
Chains By: Laurie Halse Anderson AR Level: 5.2 Lexile: 780	States of Matter By: Lynnette Brent AR Level: 5.5 Lexile: 810			
Susanna's Midnight Ride: The Girl Who Won the Revolutionary War By: Libby Carty McNamee	The Real Story About Government and Politics in Colonial America By: Kristine Carlson Asselin AR Level: 5.1			
	Zero! The Number That Almost Wasn't By: Sarah Albee Lexile: 800			



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Math/Science

Math fluency is vital to success in 5th grade. If you lack confidence in your multiplication facts, please spend time each day working on that through flash cards or games.

Directions: You will complete one of the following math choices:

Design a Board Game

Design a board game that shows your comprehension of one of the following math concepts: fractions, decimals, financial literacy, or geometry.

- Draw the board on a heavy piece of paper or cardboard or create the board digitally
- Create markers or pieces
- Make or use a spinner or die to move spaces around the board
- Create at least 20 math questions to be used in the game
- Create and include a set of rules

Complete the attached Summer Math Choice Board.

The attached Choice Board has ideas of ways to involve yourself and your family with math. Complete two activities from each row. Include documentation of each of the activities (pictures, summaries, or documents).

Optional Activities: Current UNHP scholars will have access to iReady and Summit K-12 (Science). Challenge yourself to see how many lessons you can complete in each subject.



Summer Math Choice Board

#1 Cut out and #2 Plan a meal Money/Time #3 You are paid paste three grocery using a take-out \$9.50 an hour for store items from a menu. Spend mowing. You newspaper circular. between \$14 and mow 3 hours. What would the \$16 dollars.List What do you total cost be? what you ordered. and the total cost. earn? #6 You need to #7 If a movie costs #8 Clip out an ads **Estimation** make hotdogs for \$7.25, popcorn for 5 items you Accuracy 48 people. Hotdogs costs \$2.75 and a would like. come in packages drink costs \$1.85. Estimate the total of 10. Buns come in ABOUT how much cost without tax to packages of 12. should you bring to the nearest dollar. How many the movie theater? packages of hotdogs and buns do you need to buy? #12 List 10 different #11 Matt weighs 120 #13 Create two Addition/ lbs. If someone combinations of 4-digit numbers Subtraction else weighs 210 two 2- digit using the following pounds, how much numbers that equal numbers: 3, 5, 7, + and and 8 so you get more do they 100. weigh than Matt? the largest possible difference. Fractions #15 Find a recipe for #16 Draw a #17 Write your complete first and a favorite food such tic-tac-toe frame. as chocolate chip last name. What Put an X in 2/3 of cookies. Write fraction of the the boxes. down the fractions letters are and mixed consonants? numbers in order Vowels? from least to greatest.



Multiplication	# 20 If vowels cost \$15 each and consonants cost \$50 each, write a word that would cost \$230 to build.	#21 Count the number of televisions and telephones you have in your home. Tell as much as you can about the number. (odd/even, prime/composite, multiples, etc.)	# 22 Write and solve a summer story problem for 15 x 8 =
A307: 45=87, 43 -120 -105 -105 -15 -15 -15	#24 Stacy's coach told her she should drink 4 gallons of water every week. How many 8 oz glasses of water should she drink each week? (Hint: 1 gallon = 128 oz)	#25. If you and three friends go to the Mall and spend \$12.40 in all on ice cream, how much will each of you pay? Use a picture to show your work.	#26 When we simplify a fraction we divide by the Greatest Common Factor. What's the GCF of 15 and 20? (The largest number that will go in to both.
Measurement	#29 Watch the weather report for 5 days, record the daily high and low temperature – for a total of 10 temperatures. Make a Bar Graph.	#30 Ask an adult to share an lowa road map with you. (Or find one online.) What is the scale for that map? What town is about 60 miles away from Mason City?	#31 Take a step forward and measure the length of your step from the heel of your front foot to the back heal of your other foot in inches. Go for a walk and keep count of how many steps you take. How many inches did you walk?
GEOMETRY	#34 Draw and label: square, pentagon, hexagon, septagon, octagon, nonagon, and decagon. Write the number of sides inside each polygon.	#35 Aaron is planting a garden in his backyard. The length of the garden is 6 feet and width is 9 feet. What is the area of the garden? What is the perimeter of the garden?	# 36 Using all 7 tangram pieces make ONE of the following shapes: square, rectangle, triangle, parallelogram or trapezoid.