

St. Aloysius Academy 5th Grade Summer Reading 2010

Required Reading:

1. The Incredible Journey by Shelia Burnford
2. Babe and Me by Dan Gutman

You will need to complete the following projects for each book:

1. Summarize the story in 100 words or less. Please use the paper provided.
2. Change one thing in the story and explain how this change would affect the book. For example, change the setting of the story, add or delete a character or change an event in the story. (Please Type)

Select a third book from the list below.

1. Rascal by Sterling North
2. The Lion The Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis
3. Manic Magee by Jerry Spinelli

Please complete the following for this book:

1. Write a list of the top 5 favorite reasons why a classmate should read this book.
(Please Type)

Enjoy a summer of Fun! I hope that summer reading will be a part of that fun. Read the books for your reports early, so that you have enough time to complete each report. It is much easier to write the report as soon as you have finished the book; before you forget significant portions of it.

Looking forward to reading with all of you!

Mrs. Nelson



Summarizer

Name _____

Book _____

Write a brief summary of the reading—beginning, middle, and end. Be sure you have included the answers to the following questions: Who? (character names), Did What? (the events), When?, and Where? (the settings).

When your group meets, share your summary. Then, on the next page, write a one-sentence summary of your reading. Your sentence should include the answers to the following questions: Who? (character names), Did What? (the event), When?, and Where? (the setting).

Beginning: _____

Middle: _____
