

Independent Reading Assignments



1. Complete a series of five drawings that show five major events in the plot of the book. Write a 3 sentence caption for each drawing so that the illustrations can be understood by someone who did not read the book.
2. Make a test for the book you read. Include 8 true-false, 8 multiple choice, and 8 short answer questions. Be sure to provide answers for your questions.
3. Make a book jacket for the book you read. Include the title, author, and publishing company of the book on the cover. Be sure the illustrations relate to an important aspect of the story. On the inside flap or on the back of the book jacket, write 2 paragraphs telling about the book.
4. Make a collage that represents major characters and events in the book you read. Use pictures and words cut from magazines and /or newspapers in your collage. The entire poster should be covered with words and pictures. Include a 2 paragraph explanation of how the collage represents the book you read.
5. Turn your book , or part of it, into a comic book, compete with comic style illustrations and dialogue bubbles that summarize the main events of the story.

GSE's Addressed

R-10-12 Reading Strategies: Strategies for Monitoring and Adjusting Reading

R-10-13 Reading Strategies: Reading Comprehension Strategies

R—10-14 Breadth of Reading: Reading Widely and Extensively

R-10-17 Breadth of Reading: Participating in Literate Community