5th Grade Summer Work

Students entering 5th grade will read The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies. This book is available at most book stores , on Amazon, and at the library.

Students need to keep a journal for this book. Keep a list of the characters (main), and brief description of each. What kind of person are they? Kind, athletic, smart, etc. Each chapter should be summarized. A minimum of 3 or 4 sentences should be written for each chapter. Explain important events from that chapter. Include good details, but please do not try to write down everything in each chapter. They should also include the setting of the story. What problems do the characters face and how are they solved?

All journals need to be brought to school the first week, as students will be creating a project based on the story. This project will be done in class. It will count as the first, formal grade in language arts and reading. Please be sure your child's journal is legible and they understand what they wrote in their summaries.

The second book is a "student's choice". It may be any genre. It must be at least 125 pages long and at your child's reading level. There is no assignment for this book. The reading log at the bottom of the page should be signed by a parent and returned in September.

There is also a math worksheet that will be collected the first week of school. Please do not have your child do this at the beginning of the summer. It is intended as a review for 5th grade. Completing this at the end of vacation will review skills forgotten over the summer. Multiplication tables 2-12 should also be practiced all summer and be memorized. Multiplication table quizzes will be given weekly the first trimester. These will count as quiz grades.

Student's name_____

My child read_____

as their second book over the summer. # of pages_____

Signed_____

5th Grade Summer Math

Add or Subtract Remember your rules for each operation.

3 102 + 492	5040 - 338	9526 + 921	8880 -7 42
786 +19	30.1 - 9.8	2233 +777	987 +34
10.097 - 8.632	98.75 + 4.44	7003 -5356	203.0 - 87.6

Multiply Remember the decimal rule.

423 x 68	506 x7 7	291 x 29	998 x 7. 6
0.34 X 45	7.2 x .53	546.4 x .68	55 x 12

Divide Some will have remainders

345 ÷ 5 102 ÷ 7 3672 ÷ 3 4516 ÷ 4

4572 ÷ 9 3456 ÷ 2 9063 ÷ 9