

# 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



## INCOMING FOURTH GRADE SUMMER ASSIGNMENT

**All Fourth Graders are required to choose Two books from the list below:**

1. **Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing**
2. **Crenshaw**
3. **Wish**
4. **Fourth Grade Rats**
5. **The World According to Humphrey**

**Upon reading completion, select ONE book and complete the attached English Language Arts Organizers. You may use additional paper if you need more room to answer.**

**The assignments will be collected on Friday, September 9, 2021.**

**Happy Reading!**

**Enjoy the Summer!**

- **Vocabulary**
- **What's the problem?**
- **Do you have a question?**
- **Summarize it**
- **Book Review**
- **Switch it up!**
- **Create a Comic Strip**

# Vocabulary

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Pick 3 new, tricky, or unfamiliar words from this chapter.

**WORD #1:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Found on page:** \_\_\_\_\_

What do **you think** this word means based on how it is used in the sentence? \_\_\_\_\_

Now look up the word in a **dictionary**. What does it mean?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Was your definition correct? *(check one)*

yes

no

close

**WORD #2:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Found on page:** \_\_\_\_\_

What do **you think** this word means based on how it is used in the sentence? \_\_\_\_\_

Now look up the word in a **dictionary**. What does it mean?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Was your definition correct? *(check one)*

yes

no

close

**WORD #3:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Found on page:** \_\_\_\_\_

What do **you think** this word means based on how it is used in the sentence? \_\_\_\_\_

Now look up the word in a **dictionary**. What does it mean?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Was your definition correct? *(check one)*

yes

no

close

Problem/solution

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# What's the Problem?



Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

## •Problem•

Write about one problem or challenge that occurred in this chapter. Be sure to explain the problem and which characters were involved.

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## •Solution•

Was the problem **solved** in this chapter? Yes  No

If **yes**, explain how the problem was solved: \_\_\_\_\_

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If **not**, come up with one possible solution to the problem.

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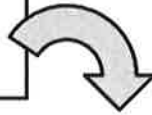
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# Do You Have A Question?

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

If you could ask a character one question about this chapter, what would it be?



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\_\_\_\_\_

If you could ask a different character one question about this chapter, what would it be?



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If you could ask the author one question about this chapter, what would it be?



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If you could ask a friend (who has also read this book) one question about this chapter, what would it be?



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# Summarize It

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

• List the characters' names that are in this chapter:

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• What was the main event in this chapter?

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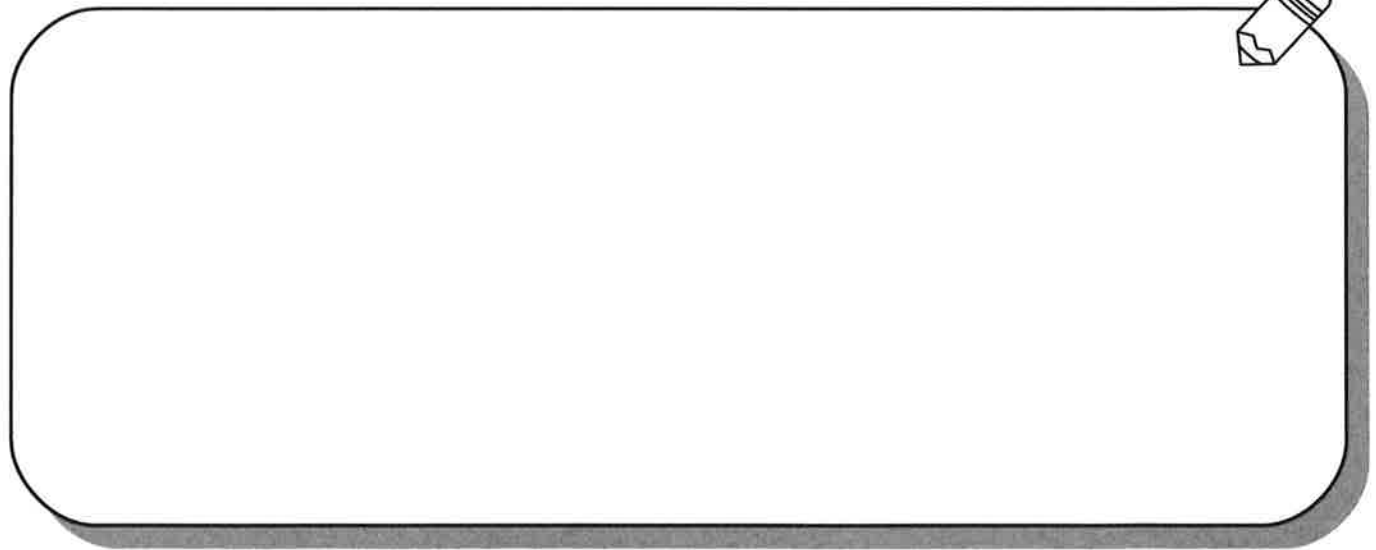
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• What was your favorite part of this chapter?

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• Draw a picture of your favorite scene from this chapter:



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Book Review for: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Who was your favorite character in this book? Why?

2. What was your favorite part or scene from the book? Why?

3. If you could add or change something about the story, what would it be? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Rate this book on a scale of 1 to 5. Color in the stars to show your rating!



poor

Excellent

5. If you could ask the author one question, what would it be?

Alternative events

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Switch It Up!

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Make a change to the original events or characters of this chapter. Then explain how this change may alter the chapter or book's ending. Be creative!

• In this chapter, I would change \_\_\_\_\_

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• As a result, \_\_\_\_\_

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• This change would make the chapter or book \_\_\_\_\_

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# Create a Comic Strip

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Using the comic strip template below, re-enact a scene from the chapter. Add your own dialogue and illustrations!

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