SUMMER READING FOR UPCOMING 5TH and 6TH GRADERS

Please have your child read widely and often both with you and independently! Students are required to read a minimum of **two** fiction books from the following list, but we encourage them to read more. The books must be ones they have not read before.

When you finish reading, write book reports using the attached format for **both** books. These will be due the first week of school.

Books options:

- ~ The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- ~ <u>Holes</u> by Louis Sachar
- ~ <u>The Tale of Despereaux</u> by Kate DiCamillo
- ~ Because of Mr. Terupt by Rob Buyea
- ~ <u>Wishtree</u> by Katherine Applegate
- ~ Bridge to Terabithia by Katherine Paterson
- ~ <u>Tuck Everlasting</u> by Natalie Babbitt
- ~ Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D. Taylor
- ~ <u>City Spies Series</u> by James Ponti (If you've read book 1, you may continue with the next book in the series.)
- ~ Millie Maven Series by Ted Dekker
- ~ Dream Traveler's Quest Series by Ted Dekker
- ~ Esperanza Rising by Pam Munoz Ryan
- ~ The Girl Who Drank The Moon by Kelly Barnhill
- ~ Hatchet by Gary Paulson
- ~ <u>Wonder</u> by R.J. Palacio
- ~ <u>Black Beauty</u> by Anna Sewell
- ~ <u>Little Women</u> by Louisa May Alcott
- ~ <u>Schooled</u> by Gordon Korman
- ~ Extremely Inconvenient Adventures of Bronte Mettlestone by Jaclyn Moriarty
- ~ <u>City Spies Series</u> by James Ponti (If you've read book 1, you may continue with the next book in the series.)
- ~ Journey to Impossible Places Series by Ted Dekker
- ~ Dream Traveler's Quest Series by Ted Dekker

Book Report Form for 5th and 6th Grade

Name	Date
Book Title	
Author	Genre

In 5-7 sentences, write the summary of the book.

Describe in detail the main character(s) of the book. Include physical appearance, personality, likes and dislikes, type of character (hero, villain, victim....)

Your review: I _____ liked _____ did not like this book because