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**Book in a Bag**

We are going to be doing a book report project. If you don't normally have paper grocery bags at home, please be sure to pick one up the next time at the grocery store to be ready for the project. This project will mostly be done outside of class time and will be turned in for a grade. It is due in about one month. Check the exact due date at the bottom of the page.

**Directions: Book Report in a Bag**

1. Remember to make sure you have a proper grocery bag.

2. **On the front of the bag**  write the title and the author’s name. You also need to draw and colour a scene from the story. You should do all of this on a white piece of paper and then glue it onto the bag. Get creative! Attaching a small basketball hoop or fake plant leaves onto the front of the bag are examples of creative details that make the bag look great!

3. **On the back of the bag**  write a summary of the book. The summary should tell about the main characters, setting, and a brief explanation of the plot. Write your summary on lined paper or type it and then glue or staple it to the bag. The summary should be double spaced and 14 pt font if typed. It should be at least 150 words in length.

4.**On the left side of the bag**  write a review of the book. The review you should also be written on lined paper or typed with 14 pt font. Draw stars (five stars being excellent and one star being poor) to indicate how well you liked the book. You need to write at least 100 words about what you liked or didn't like.

5. **On the right side of the bag**  pick two of the main characters from the story and create a Venn Diagram comparing the two characters.

6. Put at least 8 artifacts that have some significance in the bag. Explain how these artifacts go with the story by providing a 50 word description of each item. Be imaginative and creative. You can use real objects or create the objects by drawing them or using modelling clay or other art supplies to create them. You will write the explanations on index cards supplied by the teacher.

7. **Bottom of the Bag**  please put your first and last name.

8. **Practice for your book report talk.** You will be sharing your project with the class. For your presentation you will need to show the bag to the class; explain how many stars you gave to the book and why; show the artifacts from the bag and tell how they went with the story; and either read your summary to the class or briefly explain what the book was about. You will only have 5 minutes to present, so practice!

\*\*\* Project due date\*\*\*

**June 8, 2018**