

Fourth Grade Summer Assignments

Hello Boys and Girls!!

We cannot wait to begin fourth grade with you. For your summer assignments, we have a few things we would like you to work on. First, we would like to practice, practice, practice those math multiplication facts that you worked so hard on all through third grade. Having these facts memorized will really help you in math this year. Doing practice addition and subtraction problems can help you keep your mind sharp as well.

For your summer reading assignment, all students are to read the book **Charlotte's Web by E.B White**. We challenge you to try to read at least 20 minutes every day. Attached is a reading log to help you keep track if you would like.

Once you have finished reading **Charlotte's Web**, you will make a small poster about the book. You will draw lines to break your poster into 4 sections. The directions for each section are listed below:

Section 1- Book Cover: In your own creative way, recreate the book cover. Please do not use a printed picture; I would like to see your own creativity. Please make sure to include the title, the author, and the illustrator.

Section 2- Main Characters: Find the 2 main characters in the book and draw a picture of them. Please label the characters with their full names.

Section 3- Main Events: Find 3 main events, or big things that happened in the story. For each event, you will write a sentence about the event and include a small picture to illustrate each scene.

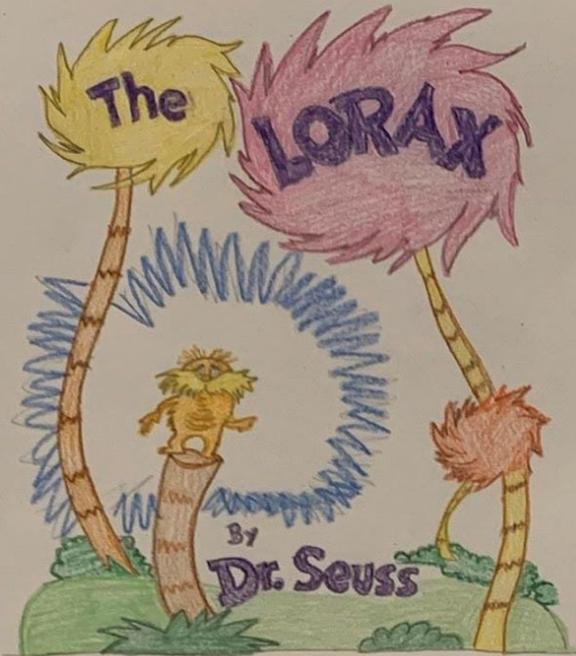
Section 4- My Favorite Scene: Pick your favorite scene or event from within the book. Draw a picture to show the scene and write a sentence to explain what is happening in your picture.

Attached is a model of the poster based on the book **The Lorax** by Dr. Seuss for you to use as a guide. We look forward to seeing you in the fall, and we can't wait to see how creative you can be on your posters. Have a great summer!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Gendron, Ms.Murphy, and Mrs. Neville

Summer Reading Project Example



Main Characters



The Lorax

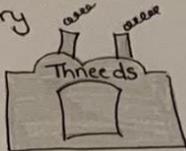


Main Events

1. When the Once-Ler cut down the first Truffula Tree.



2. The Once-Ler created the Thneed factory.



3. The Once-Ler gave the boy the last Truffula Tree seed.



My favorite scene is...

when the Lorax arrives to yell at the Once-Ler.



Mister!
I am the Lorax.
I speak for
the trees!



