

## Language Arts Reading Assignments:

If you complete the following reading assignments, you will receive 2 points on your first nine weeks average, and you will be invited to the school's incentive program for those who complete their summer packet. You must complete both assignments to get the credit in Language Arts.

### **Advanced Classes:**

You are to select two novels that you have NOT read. For the first novel, you are to fill out the worksheet identifying the basic plot structure of the novel. For the second novel, you are to complete the ABC advertising project. The handouts for the completion of these two assignments are attached.

### **Average Classes:**

You are to read one novel that you have not read before. You are to fill out the worksheet identifying the basic plot structure of the novel. You are also to complete the ABC advertising project. The handouts for the completion of these two assignments are attached.

When you return to school in August, you must turn in these assignments to your Language Arts teacher.

Make sure that your name and grade level are written on your assignments.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title of the book \_\_\_\_\_

Author \_\_\_\_\_

Genre of the book \_\_\_\_\_

Major characters and a brief description:

Minor characters and a brief description:

Setting:

Main conflict: (Explain)

Complications that occurred:

Climax:

Resolution: (how the story was brought to an end)

Theme:

On the back write a paragraph explaining how two of the main characters contrasted with each other. Use specific examples from the novel as proof.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title of book \_\_\_\_\_

Author \_\_\_\_\_

## **The ABC's of Advertising**

After you have read your book, you will make a poster to advertise it to potential readers. It's as easy as ABC when you follow these directions:

### **A—adjectives**

Use adjectives to give details and interest to your book advertisement Without giving away the complete story line. Consider telling about an Interesting event or character.

### **B---basics**

Include in your advertisement basic information such as the title of The book, the author's name, your name, and a short paragraph to Entice someone to read the book.

### **C—color**

The use of color and design is important to draw attention to your Poster. Illustrations are the best eye-catchers.

As a final addition, rate your book 1-5 stars (with 5 being the best) and write a paragraph explaining why you rated your book as you did.