

KPMS SUMMER READING ACTIVITIES

Activities: Students are to choose one activity for the book read. Upon returning to school in **August of 2023**, students will present their summer reading activity to their **Language Arts teacher**. Based on the quality of the activities presented, students will earn a grade for each activity which will be applied to the **first nine-week grading period**. Once the first nine weeks have begun, students will have two weeks to turn in the assignments.

NOTE: **Sixth and seventh students in intensive reading received a book which they can use to complete the summer reading criteria.**

Choose one activity for the book read.

1. Write a **poem** about an idea, character, conflict, setting, concept or information presented in your book.
2. Look through magazines for words and pictures that describe your book. Use these to create a **collage** about your book.
3. Create a **Time Line**: Retell the story in chronological order using pictures and/or magazine cutouts to show the events that happened in the story. **Label each event**.
4. Draw a **Comic Strip** that depicts a favorite scene from a chapter in the book. Write a paragraph that explains the events that led up to the scene.
5. Write a **Script** for **One Scene** from the book. Include a paragraph that explains the events that led up to that scene.
6. Create a **Shoe Box Scene**: Select the most important moment in the story (climax) and build a scene using the shoe box as the stage. Include a written synopsis of the scene you select; remember to identify the characters and the issue they are facing in the scene.
7. Choose **five songs** that could be used as the soundtrack of your book. All songs should be relevant to something found in the book. For each song, explain how it is relevant to the book.

Parents:

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