

# 4th Summer Reading Project

WELCOME TO 4th GRADE!! We are so excited to meet all of you. You will select one of the following books to complete your optional summer reading project!

1. The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate  
Lexile Level: 570  
AR Point Value: 4 points  
Book level: 3.6
2. It's Raining Cupcakes by Lisa Schroeder  
Lexile Level: 640  
AR Point Value: 4 points  
Book level: 3.9
3. The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies  
Lexile Level: 630  
AR Point Value: 4 points  
Book level: 4.1
4. The City of Ember by Jeanne DuPrau  
Lexile Level: 680  
AR Point Value: 9 points  
Book level: 5.0

## ASSIGNMENT:

You will complete an "Amazon Book Review" on the book you have read. For this assignment you can create a poster, a powerpoint, or a written review on paper. All the following information must be included:

1. Book Title and Author **10 points**
2. Your rating of the book (1-5 stars) with explanation (why did you give it this rating?) **30 points**
3. Summary of the book **30 points**
4. Quotes- select 3-5 important quotes from the text and explain them **30 points**

\*Optional- create a new cover for the book! This can be done in any way you like. BE CREATIVE **+5 points**

The book review will be presented in class during the first week of school. We are excited to meet you and see what you have come up with!

-4th grade ELA teachers

## Links to books on Amazon:

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Slides

# Amazon Listing Novel Project

Marketing Expert. That is your new job title! Every book on Amazon.com has a listing that informs buyers about the book. Your job is to create a paper version for the novel you have read. Follow the format below.

## NEW BOOK COVER

Create a new book cover for the novel and draw it here.

Draw an important scene from your book here.

Draw another important scene from your book here.

## BOOK TITLE

**AUTHOR**

Write a one to two sentence preview summary that will capture a potential reader and make them want to buy this book!

## SUMMARY

Write a complete summary of the book here.

## PRODUCT DETAILS

Include the following:  
Age Range•Grade  
Level•Pages•Publisher•

## QUOTE ME

Select 3-5 quotes from the book to display here. Choose quotes that are meaningful and represent the story well.

## RANK OR RECOMMEND

Choose one of the following options for this section:

- 1) Rank this book against 4 other books you have read recently
- 2) Recommend other books people may like if they are interested in this book.

## EDITORIAL REVIEW

Write a review of the book.

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