

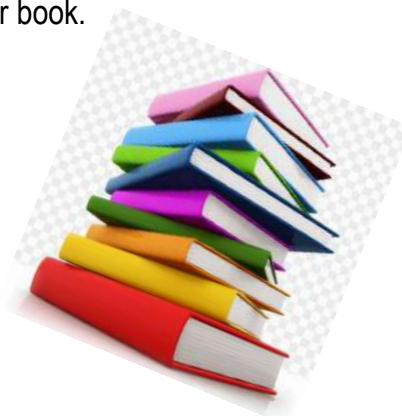
Name _____ Date Assigned _____ Due Date _____

Objectives:

1. Read a 4.5 grade level book or higher. Please make sure it is a book that you have never read before.
2. Use pictures, words, and fabric scraps to create a character collage.
3. *Type a 10 – 20 sentence summary about your book.

You will need:

- one sheet of poster board
- pencil
- markers and crayons
- fabric scraps
- old magazines and/or clip art from the computer
- scissors
- glue
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****When completing this book report, make sure to continually refer back to the rubric that has been provided.****

Character Collage:

1. Using your pencil, **draw** a large picture of the main character from the book you have just read in the center of the poster board. Make sure to write the main character's name by the drawing.
2. With crayons and/or markers, color the character.
3. From fabric strips, cut out and add a collar, handkerchief, hat, pocket, tie, jewelry, hair bow, or other similar accents and accessories.
4. Search through old magazines (or clip art from the computer) to find words, phrases, and pictures that describe this character or are related to him or her in some way. Please refer to your **character traits sheet** that is glued into your Reading Interactive notebook.
5. Cut out these words, phrases, and pictures.
6. Arrange these words, phrases, and pictures around the edges of your drawing, allowing them to overlap in ways that make your composition interesting.
7. When you are satisfied with the arrangement, glue them in place on the poster board.
8. Make sure to add the title of your book and the author's name **on the front** of the poster board- perhaps at the center top or center bottom.
9. Make sure to write your name **on the back** of the poster.

Summary:

1. You will need to *type a 10 – 20 sentence summary making sure to identify the setting, main characters, conflict (problem), plot (important events), and resolution (solution to the problem.) Be ready to share your character collage and summary with your classmates on or before _____. *If you do not have access to a computer for typing and/or printing, please see me **before** the due date with your rough copy, and you will be able to type and print your summary at school.