

# 5th Grade Reading Response Options

## Read for at least 30 minutes and choose a response

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Vocabulary</b></p> <p>In your fiction or nonfiction reading, pick at least 6 words that you are unfamiliar with . On a piece of paper (or in your reading journal - IF you have one) find the definition of the word online or in a dictionary and write down what it means. <i>Then</i> write down what it means in relation to the book you are reading.</p> <p>The word....means.....</p> <p>In my reading it means...</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Favorite or Least Favorite Part</b></p> <p>What was your favorite or least favorite part of the story? Why?</p> <p><b>My favorite part/ least favorite part in the story was....because...</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Supporting Characters</b></p> <p>In your fictional reading, who are the characters that support the main character as they grow in the story?</p> <p>The supporting characters in the story are....</p> <p>----- is a character who helps the main character in the by -----.</p> <p><b>*Do this for <u>each supporting character</u>.</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Problem and Solution</b></p> <p>What is the problem in the story and how was it solved?</p> <p><b>The main problem in the story is... and it was solved by... (use supporting details from the text)</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Write a Postcard</b></p> <p>Pick a character in a story to write a postcard to. Tell the character what you have been up to since school at home started or make it up!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dear...</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Book Review</b></p> <p>Write a book review for a book you have read.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>What is it about?</b></p> <p><b>Who are the main characters?</b></p> <p><b>What is the Problem(s) in the story and how are they solved?</b></p> <p><b>Would you recommend the book to others? Why or why not?.</b></p> <p><b>Please use details from the story to support your answers.</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Compare and Contrast</b></p> <p>Compare a character to another character in your book.</p> <p>How are they alike?</p> <p>How are they different?</p> <p>Do they help one another or are they enemies?</p> <p><b>The two characters in my book</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Prequel</b></p> <p>Write a beginning to the story that happens <b><u>BEFORE</u></b> the story starts. Think Star Wars and how they flashback to stories that happened before the current story.</p> <p><b>Who are the main characters?</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Poetry</b></p> <p>Pick a poem online, in a book or one that you have written. Then;</p> <p><b>Write the poem down and then write about it.</b></p> <p><b>Is it fiction or nonfiction? How do you know?</b></p> <p><b>Why did you pick this particular poem?</b></p>

<p>are....</p> <p>The first character is ... He/She is....</p> <p>The other character is... He/she is..</p> <p>They help one another by... (use details from the story)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>They are enemies because... (use details from the story)</p>	<p>What is the setting of the story (where does it take place)?</p> <p>What is the problem that will lead you to the book you are reading or have already read?</p>	<p>Illustrate (draw) the poem.</p>
<p><b>Text to Self Connection</b></p> <p>Does this story remind you of something that has happened in your life or to someone you know why:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">This reminds me of...</p>	<p><b>Main Idea and Details</b></p> <p>What is the main idea of the text? What are 3 supporting details?</p> <p>The main idea of the text is...3 ideas that support the main idea are...</p>	<p><b>Lesson Learned</b></p> <p>What lesson does the main character learn at the end of the story? Why is this lesson important? Could the lesson be learned by the reader?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The lesson is...</p> <p style="text-align: center;">It could/could not be learned by the reader because....</p>
<p><b>Another Version</b></p> <p>Using a favorite folk or fairy tale that you are familiar with (look it up online if you need help remembering it) and write a different version of the story.</p> <p>How is it different from the version you know?</p> <p>Who are the characters?</p> <p>What is the problem and is it solved at the end of the story?</p> <p>You can illustrate your version if you would like.</p>	<p><b>Text Features</b></p> <p>Name a text feature that you used when reading to learn about something. (for example: glossary, diagram, table of contents, chart, etc.) Write another text feature to add to the book.</p> <p><u><i>*It could be a heading with accompanying text, it could be an illustration, diagram, chart or an addition to the Table of Contents or Glossary.</i></u></p> <p>I made a ...for the text as a text feature.</p> <p>This helps the reader learn...</p>	<p><b>Word Search</b></p> <p>Take a blank piece of paper or lined notebook paper and use a ruler (or anything with a straight edge) to create a word search using words from the text you are reading.</p> <p>You can make them across, down, diagonal or even backwards! Don't forget to write the words down that you are using.</p> <p>Challenge Someone at home to complete your word search when it is done :)</p>