Cereal Book Report
Genre: Realistic Fiction
Due Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2015

It's book report time! Below is the information to complete a book report!

1. Select a fiction chapter book to read. Over the next month, you will be responsible for reading this book. This can count as your 20 minutes of nightly reading.
2. Select an empty cereal box and use a piece of white or light colored paper to cover the entire box. It is a good idea to stuff the empty box with newspaper to make it sturdy. Make sure your cover does not allow any of the original printing to show through.
3. Create a small prize for your cereal box. Cereal boxes often include a prize. Your prize must be something the main character could have used in the book or something that reminds you of the main character. This should be something you **made** and is not expensive or valuable.
4. Follow the directions below to complete the narrative elements for the book that you have read. Each template for sections of the box is attached.
5. Bring your book that you have read, the prize you created, the completed covered cereal box, and the rubric to school on **Wednesday, March 11, 2015.**
6. Please refer to the attached rubric to make sure that your book report is done correctly.

DIRECTIONS:

Front of Box: Include the name of the cereal and a picture. Invent a name for the cereal that is related to the title of the book and sounds like the cereal. Do not use the exact title of the book. Example: *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*, you might invent a cereal called Wizard Wands, a toasted oat cereal in the shape of miniature lightning bolts.

Right Side: Make a list of ingredients that includes the story elements: **Characters** and **Setting**.

Left Side: Write a **summary** that describes the main problem and the solution of the book. Write in complete sentences.

Back of Box: Design a game that is based on the story. It can be a puzzle, a word search, a word scramble, a maze, a crossword puzzle, a hidden picture illustration or any other fun activity that might be found on the back of a cereal box.

Top of Box: Include the title, author, number of pages, and number of stars you would give the book if you were a book critic.

PRIZE: You can include a picture of the prize on the front of the box to let the reader know what is inside the box, or you can bring the prize with you.

Have fun!

Cereal Box Book Report Rubric

Name: _____

	Indicator Earned
Book was read by the specified due date.	
Cereal Box is neat, colorful, and attractive.	
The front and top of the box is complete and thoughtfully done. The top includes the title of the book, the author's name, and your name. The front includes the name of the cereal (related to the book) and an original illustration.	
The back of the box is complete and thoughtfully done.	
The left side of the box is complete and accurate.	
The right side of the box is complete and accurate.	
Spelling, punctuation, and grammar are correct.	
Comments	

Cereal Box Book Report Templates

Left Side of Box: Cut out this box and place in on the right side of your cereal box. Write a summary that describes the main problem and how the problem was solved. Try to use words that will "grab" the readers' attention and make them want to buy your cereal. Use complete sentences,

Summary of the book:

Top of Box: Cut out this box and place it on the top of your cereal box.

Title of Book: _____

Author: _____ **# of Pages:**_____

Rating:

Right Side of Box

Cut out this box and place in on the right side of your cereal box.

Characters:

List the main characters and write a sentence about each one. For example, if you were using the story "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory," you might include the following characters:

Charlie Bucket: *He is a poor boy who finds the last golden ticket and wins a trip to Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory.*

Willy Wonka: *He is the lively owner of the chocolate factory who allows six children and a member of their family to spend a day at his magical factory.*

Setting:

Use complete sentences to tell where the story takes place. You may find that there is more than one setting in the story. For example, if you were using the story "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory," you might write:

The beginning of the story takes place in Charlie Bucket's very small house that he shares with his large family. Once Charlie finds the golden ticket and wins the contest, the rest of the story takes place Wonka's amazing chocolate factory.

INGREDIENTS

CHARACTERS:

SETTING: