

Fourth Grade Summer Reading

Student Guide

1. Choose two activities for each book. You should have a total of six different activities completed.
2. Complete all work on a Google doc. Please have the name and number of each activity. For Illustration, please complete on a piece of construction paper, and hand write your description. Please see below on how Google doc should be organized. Please bring all finished work to school.
3. Please do more if you want!
4. I will have a summer reading bulletin board to showcase all your great work.
5. Please email me if you are unable to finish the reading at eforsyth@oakhillacademy.com
6. Have fun!

Activity #1 Directions:

Because of Winn-Dixie

Describe a problem the character had. How was it solved? How would you have solved the problem differently? Would you solve it the same way?

Activity #2 Directions:

Path to the Stars

Create an illustrated timeline of 6 important events. Write a brief description of each event.

Activity #3 Directions:

One and Only Timeline

Imagine if you were Ivan. Create a list of 3 challenges

Ivan faced. Describe each challenge. Write two to three sentences of what you would have done differently.

Activity #4 Directions:

Choose one of the three novels. Choose a favorite scene. Draw an illustration of it. Write a brief explanation about what happened. Write why it is your favorite.

Activity #5 Directions:

Because of Winn-Dixie

Imagine you went to visit Opal. Write a letter to a friend telling them all about the setting. Include details from the story.

Activity #6 Directions:

One and Only Ivan

A character sketch describes what the character looks like, how they think and feel, and the problems they have.

Complete a character sketch for three characters.

Activity #7 Directions:

Path to the Stars

Path to the Stars is a memoir. A memoir is a story written about the author's personal memories. It can focus on a period of time or an event. It is different from an autobiography, because the memoir will only cover a specific period or event in that person's life.

Write your own memoir. Tell me all about you: family, interests, favorite food, sport, movie, and anything you want me to know about you.

Activity #8 Directions:

Vocabulary

Choose four words from each book. Write the definition. Write each word in a sentence.

Write a synonym for each word.

Name

Date

Activity 8:

Activity 7:

Activity 5:

Activity 1:

Activity 6:

Activity 2:

