

## Summer Enrichment for Students Entering 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: 2018-2019

**Directions:** Read a novel (chapter book) of your choice. (Please choose a novel that is new to you!) Complete at least four activities from the choice board on separate sheets of paper. More than four activities is encouraged. Bring your choice board with the four assignments to your homeroom teacher on the first day of school, **August 15<sup>th</sup>**. You must complete at least four assignments to receive full credit.

*Suggestions for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade novels:*

- Humphrey Series by Betty G. Birney
- Boxcar Children by G. Warner
- Ramona the Pest by Beverly Cleary
- Ready Freddy by Abby Klein
- Magic Tree House Series by Mary Pope Osborne
- Magic School Bus Chapter Book Series by Anne Capec
- Capital Mysteries by Ron Roy
- A to Z Mysteries by Ron Roy
- Encyclopedia Brown by Donald J. Sobol
- Who Was Biographies (lots of people by various authors)
- Ballpark Mystery Series by David A. Kelly
- Nancy Clancy: Super Sleuth Series by Jane O'Connor
- Amelia Bedilia by Herman Parish
- Frog and Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel
- Christian Heroes Books by Janet Bengel
- A Jigsaw Jones Mystery by James Preller
- Geronimo Stilton Series
- Hank the Cowdog Series by John R. Erickson
- Soccer Cats Series by Matt Christopher
- The Baby Sitters Club by Ann M. Martin
- Flat Stanley by Jeff Brown
- The Hardy Boys Secret Files Series by Franklin W. Dixon
- Nancy Drew and the Clue Crew by Carolyn Keene
- The Puppy Place Series by Ellen Miles
- My Weird School by Dan Gutman

You may purchase a novel through Amazon or your local book store. You may also check it out from your local library.

# Novel Study Choice Board

Write a poem about two main events in the story.	Draw a picture of the main character, and then write ten words that describe the main character.	Compare one of the main settings of the story to the setting where you live.	Design a comic strip that shows the sequence of events in the story.
Pick five vocabulary words you found interesting. Use them in a different sentence.	Pick 5 events. Write cause and effect statements for those events.	Make connections to the story, including a connection to your life, to another book you have read, and to the real world.	Pick a scene that is described in detail in the story. Draw a detailed picture and then write your own description of what is happening.
Write at least 4 predictions about what you think will happen later in the story (or after the end). Why do you think these things will happen?	Create a graphic organizer comparing and contrasting two characters in the story.	Draw a picture that illustrates the main setting in the story. Write two sentences that describe the settings.	Write a test/quiz for the book. Include 10 questions. Create an answer key.
Write an interview for a main character of the book. Ask at least 5 questions and write the answers to the questions, as the character would respond.	Compare two settings from the text.	Suggest a solution to a problem from the text.	Choose a character and imagine you walked into his room. What would you find in his room, and why?