

## Summer Reading Assignment Instructions

**6<sup>th</sup> grade: *All Creatures Great and Small***

***By: James Herriot***

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade: *Chabon Summerland***

***By: Michael Chabon***

***Students should read the novel, and write a 4-5-page report. The report is due on the first day of school.***

The 4-5 page report needs to include each of the the following items:

1. A list of characters (only list them by name)
2. In at least a half-page, describe the following:
  - a. Characters (Choose 3-5 main characters)
  - b. Plot (summarize briefly)
  - c. Setting (Time)
  - d. Setting (Place)
  - e. Conflict and Resolution
3. Briefly explain how you were able to identify the setting. What are some events that are happening during the course of the story in the wider world?
4. Write a summary (half-page or less) on what you liked most about the book.
5. Write a summary (half-page or less) on what you liked least about the book.
6. Write 1 paragraph for each of the following:
  - a. What happened at the beginning of the story?
  - b. What happened in the middle of the story?
  - c. What happened at the end of the story?

All the above should be in a 4-5 page report. Break it down how you see fit, the best way to make sure that all the work is balanced out.

If you have any questions email me to clarify at:

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# St. Hilary School Supply List

Grades TK – 8

**Please bring supplies on the first day of school.** We ask that you have belongings neatly marked. No stickers or other writing on the outside of book covers, backpacks (book bags), folders or binders will be permitted.

- 1 Book Bag (Grades TK–8)
- 2 Large Kleenex Boxes (Grades TK–8)
- 2 Reams of 8 ½ x 11 inch White Paper – 20 lb. (Grades TK–8)
- 1 Container of Disinfecting Wipes (Grades TK–8 )

## Grades 4 – 8

- 1 zipper pencil case (preferable the kind that fits in a 3 ring binder) which contains:
  - 3 Lead pencils (Mechanical Pencils are allowed in grades 5–8 only)
  - 2 Blue or black ink ballpoint pens (**NO** Gel Pens)
  - 2 Red ink ballpoint pens
  - 1 Pencil Eraser

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- 1 Box of crayons (16 in a box)
  - 1 Set of markers (water base, not permanent, 8 colors)
  - 1 Pair of scissors
  - 1 Small bottle of white glue
  - 1 Set of 8 colored pencils (Grades 5–8 only)
  - 1 Plastic box with lid to keep the above items which will be collected and used for art class (box should be no larger than 4” high or 13” long)
  - 1 Glue stick

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- 1 12-inch Ruler with linear and metric measurement
  - 1 3-ring Loose-leaf binder (back no wider than 1½”)
    - Loose leaf paper must be 8½ x 11” (wide or college rule OK)
  - 3 Spiral Notebooks for Grade 4
  - 5 Spiral Notebooks for Grade 5
  - 5 Spiral Notebooks for Grade 6–8
  - 4 Pocket Portfolios for Grade 4–8

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**\*\* No Liquid or Paper Correction Fluid (Wite-Out<sup>®</sup>) Allowed \*\***  
**\*\* No Pencil Boxes \*\***

6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grades will be required to purchase a thesaurus and dictionary from the school once classes begin.

Your student’s teacher may request and additional item, folder, binder, etc. once classes begin. More information will be sent home.

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