

Incoming 5th Grade Summer Reading

This summer you will be reading the book *Frindle*, written by Andrew Clements. Attached is a reading comprehension guide to help you with understanding the story. Please answer each question as you read. **Please hand write your answers in your neatest cursive. Remember to restate and check your work for errors.**

Please remember to also work on your assigned Language Arts IXL to practice and strengthen your skills.

Enjoy the summer!

Ms. Pioppo

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Name: _____

Book Study Questions: Each question is followed by the page and location on the page where the answer can be found at: t top of page, m middle of page, b-bottom of page. **Please hand write your answers in your neatest cursive. Remember to restate and check your work for errors.**

Chapter 1

1. Of the three lists of students mentioned on page 1, to which list did Nick Allen belong? (pg. 1t)

Chapter 2

1. What made Mrs.Granger famous? (pg.7b)

Chapter 3

1. What was Nick known for in class? (pg.14t)

Chapter 4

1. What was the rule at Nick's house? (pg. 17t)

Chapter 5

1. Who decides which words go in a dictionary? (pg. 31t)

Chapter 6

1. What name did Nick give to a pen? (pg.35m)

Chapter 7

1. Where did Nick want to launch his new word? (Pg. 391)

2. Did Mrs. Granger like the new name for a pen? (pg.40-41)

Chapter 8

1. What was Pete's great idea? (pg.47b)

Chapter 9

1. What did Nick do while Mrs. Chatham talked? (pg.51b)

Chapter 10

1. What did the students say in the 5n grade class picture? (pg.65m)

Chapter 11

1. What was the title of the story in the Westfield Gazette? (pg.67m)

Chapter 12

1. Who is Alice Lunderson? (pg.72b)

Chapter 13

1. When did frindle become a habit? (pg.84m)

2. What word did everyone in 5th grade get wrong on the spelling test? (pg.87t)

Chapter 14

1. Why did Nick decide not to do anything about the school lunches? (pg.89m)

2. What change did Mrs. Granger notice in Nick? (p9.90m)

Chapter 15

1. What did Nick buy for himself with the money he earned from a frindle? (pg.96m)

2. Which word was on p. 541 of the new dictionary and what was the definition? (pg.97t)

Name: _____ Date _____

Language Arts IXL Summer Assignment for Students Entering 5th Grade.

Directions: Log onto www.ixl.com/signin/sttaob and use your existing username and password. You must reach a SmartScore of 85%. **Be sure to log into 5th grade Language Arts.**

Grade 5 Reading Strategies Objectives	Smart Score	Date Completed
A.2 Determine the main idea of a passage		
B.1 Determine the themes of short stories		
D.4 Match problems with their solutions		
I.1 Identify story elements		

Grade 5 Vocabulary/ Grammar Objectives	Smart Score	Date Completed
HH.2 Determine the meaning of words: using synonyms in context		
EE.1 Multiple-meaning words with pictures		
JJ.4 Is it a complete sentence or a fra		
W.3 Correct errors with signs		

Please check off all skills completed and fill in your SmartScore Percentage and date completed. Return signed form on the first day of school.

Please note, if there are updates to the IXL website over the summer, the objective letters (D.1...) may change. If this happens, please complete the skill with the same objective title (EX: Is it a sentence or a fragment?).

Parent Signature _____