

April Book Report

Date Due May 12th

You need to read an historical fiction book from our US history during the time frames of the Revolutionary War, Westward Expansion, or Civil War.

For April's book report, you will be making a picture book. This picture book will include, in story order, scenes from the book. It must include 10 hand drawn pictures PLUS 1 title page with a picture for a total of 11 pages and pictures. Each picture must be colored completely (with crayons or colored pencils - no markers, unless it's to outline) and contain 2-3 sentence captions. There should be a lot of detail, so there should be no white showing on the pages, except where your sentences are or for things that are supposed to be white. You may have more than 11 pages. Pages can be full sized (8 1/2" x 11") or can be folded in half to create a smaller book, with each 1/2 page counting as a page. A page can be used for the introduction, conflict, rising action (times three), climax, falling action (times three) and resolution, for a total of 10 pages.

You will not be graded on your artistic ability, rather on the time and effort you spent on this project. Waiting until the night before it's due will be evident in the quality of the picture book!

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Name _____

Title of Book _____

_____ Picture book contains at least 11 drawings, 10 from the story and 1 title page

_____ Pictures cover the entire page with detail and color

_____ Included with each picture are two to three sentences about the scene

_____ Time, effort, and quality are evident in the final product (not necessarily artistic ability - not graded on whether or not you can draw)

_____ The picture book is in sequential/chronological order

_____ The picture book follows the original story

Grade: