Rising 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer ELA work

This summer, choose a fiction or true story to read. Choose a project from below, which will go along with the book. This project is due the first week of school.

## **Summer Reading Project Activities**

Choose one of the following projects to complete with your assigned reading this summer. Projects are due the first week of school.

Character Analysis Google Slides or Power Point	<ul> <li>Time to meet the characters you love (or love to hate), and slides/ppt is the tool to help you do it!</li> <li>Requirements: <ul> <li>Your project must include analysis of 3 characters in your novel.</li> <li>Each analysis must include: character's name, three character traits with proof from the text, picture (use descriptions from the book to find a picture to match what the character could look like), how the character changed throughout the book and your feelings towards the character. Use text evidence to support your thoughts.</li> <li>Project must be colorful and easy to follow.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Scrapbook	<ul> <li>Create a scrapbook as if the main character put it together.</li> <li>Requirements: <ul> <li>Cover must include the character's name.</li> <li>Include journal entry from the main character's point of view that gives a summary of the book.</li> <li>Include a letter written from the main character's point of view to a secondary character describing the main problem that the character faces in the story. Include a letter from the secondary character's point of view in response, describing the solution to the main character's problem as it happened in the story.</li> <li>Include pictures and photographs to illustrate the main characters, main events, and the setting. Place the pictures throughout the scrapbook with captions that describe what is shown in each.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Biography	<ul> <li>A biography is a written account of the series of events that make up a person's life. The biography explains how those events shaped the person they have become. Write a biography about the main character in the book, describing how these important life events have changed and molded the character into the person at the end of the story.</li> <li>Requirements: <ul> <li>Cover must include the title of your biography, author's name, and character's name.</li> <li>Include the following about the character: Important dates, Family information, Lifetime accomplishments, Major life events, Effects/impact on society, Explanation of how life events influenced who the person has become.</li> <li>Each of the above requirements should each have a section in the biography</li> </ul> </li> </ul>