SUMMER Reading Challenge!!!

~READ 5 BOOKS IN 1 SUMMER~

Name:__________________
★READING CONTRACT★

I agree to read five books over the summer and complete a mini book report when I finish. I will make sure to:

• Read books on my reading level.
• Use my close reading strategies to help me read fluently and understand what I am reading.
• Pick books that I find interesting.
• Work thoughtfully on each mini book report.
• Hand in my book report to my teacher in September.

Student Signature_______________________________________________

Teacher Signature_____________________________________________
Book 1 Skill: Visualizing the Main Events

Why is it important to visualize a story?

Pick an exciting scene from your story. Draw a detailed visualization you had while you read that section. Add a caption at the bottom that sums up your illustration.
Book 2 Skill: Describing the Main Character

Keep a list of the characters introduced in the book:

Choose one character from your book: ______________
Pick one adjective to describe them: ______________

Find two details from the text to support your description:

Book 3 Title:____________________________________
Author:__________________________________________
Date Completed:________________________________
Book 3 Skill: Summarizing

🌟 After reading your entire book, summarize the main events of the book. Be sure to include:

- Who the main characters were
- What the main problems/obstacles the character faced
- How the problems/obstacles were overcome
- Explain how the story ended

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Book 4 Title:____________________________________________
Author:________________________________________________
Date Completed:________________________________________
**Book 4 Skill: Sequencing**

🌟 Based on what you read, sequence the main events of what you read.

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Book 5 Title: ______________________________
Author: ____________________________________
Date Completed: __________________________

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Book 5 Skill:  Writing a Book Review

When you write your book review, be sure to include:

1. The book title and author
2. A brief summary of the plot that doesn’t give too much away
3. Comments on the book’s strengths and weaknesses
4. Your personal response to the book to support whether you loved it or hated it

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