

# Northwood Temple Academy



## Summer Reading for Rising 7<sup>th</sup> Graders

Read at least two books from this list. Complete the summer cereal box report outlined below and submit the second week of school.

*National Velvet*

Enid Bagnold

*The Wizard of Oz* (Unabridged)

L. Frank Baum

*White Fang* (Unabridged)

Jack London

*Anne of Green Gables*

L. M. Montgomery

*Where the Red Fern Grows*

Wilson Rawls

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Summer Book Report: Cereal Box Project



For this project you will advertise your favorite summer reading list book by designing a cereal box that represents the book.

**Instructions:**

1. Cover each side of your cereal box with construction paper or wrapping paper. Hint: You will need to be able to open the box to put something inside, so don't seal the box when you cover it.
2. Write the actual book title and author on the front of the box at the top. Then create a cereal title to give readers an idea of what the book is about. For example, if you are doing a report on a boy who survived in the forest, you might call your cereal "Wilderness Crunch."
3. Illustrate a scene from the book on the front of the cereal box under the title. Write a one or two sentence description of this scene beneath the picture.
4. Write "Ingredients" on one side of the cereal box. Make a list of important details from your book—setting (time and place), major characters, conflicts, climax, and resolutions.
5. Write "Nutritional Information" on the other side of the box to indicate the book's genre classifications. List a percentage of the following things readers will get from the book: Action, humor, history, drama, suspense, and mystery. You do not have to use all of these. (Example: 40% humor, 20% action, 10% history, and 30% drama).
6. Write a slogan that fits your book on the back of the cereal box at the top. Think about something that sounds like it fits with cereal, such as Tony the Tiger's "They're GREAT!"

7. Illustrate another scene from the book under your slogan. Write a one or two sentence description of this scene beneath the picture.
8. Think of something that would have been useful to one of the characters in your book. For example, if your book was about a boy surviving in the forest, you might come up with a plastic knife and fork. Place this prize inside the cereal box.
9. Place your name on the bottom of the box.

**Point Values:**

Title and author	<b>10 points</b>
Original cereal title	<b>10 points</b>
Two illustrations/descriptions	<b>20 points</b>
Ingredients (summary)	<b>20 points</b>
Nutritional information (genre description)	<b>10 points</b>
Slogan	<b>5 points</b>
Prize	<b>5 points</b>
Neatness/creativity/effort	<b>10 points</b>
Spelling and grammar	<b>10 points</b>

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