# Book Reports

Students will be required to complete a book report each month throughout the school year. Each month will incorporate a different type of literary selection (i.e. autobiography, fiction, non-fiction, etc.) Students will also have the opportunity to display and create multiple learning styles throughout the year. For instance, one month may be a standard written book report on a fiction selection, while the next month may be an oral book report on a Newberry Award winner. The reports are outlined by month below and each report will be given a rubric to help the student aid in the expectations for that report.

***Month Literary Classification Type of Report Due Date # of Pts***

September Fiction Written 9/28/12 50 pts

October Non-Fiction Written 10/31/12 50 pts

November Autobiography Poster/Display 11/30/12 30 pts

December Free Choice Written 12/21/12 50 pts

January African American History Oral 1/31/13 30 pts

February Fiction Newspaper/Comic 2/28/13 30 pts

March Newberry Award Winner Written 3/28/13 50 pts

April Non-Fiction Written 4/30/13 50 pts

May/June Free Choice Movie Review 6/7/13 30 pts

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Written Report Rubric

Title Page – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Title
* Author
* Name
* Date

Table of Contents – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Table of Contents
* Main Characters
* Setting
* Plot

Main Characters – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* List & describe each main character (2-3 sentences for each character)

Setting – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Describes the place or places in which the story takes place (minimum 2 paragraphs)

Plot – 30 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Clearly states what happens in the book
* Uses proper grammar, sentence structure, paragraphs, punctuation, etc.
* Describes events in detail
* Points out foreshadowing, climax, protagonist, antagonist, etc.

Total Possible Points – 50 Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Special Report Rubric

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Presentation – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Title
* Author
* Name

Creativity – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Delivers information in an interesting way
* Put thought and effort into creativity

Lists Characters – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* List and/or describe each main character

Setting – 5 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Describes the place or places in which the story takes place

Plot – 10 pts Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Clearly shows/explains what happens in the book
* Uses proper grammar, sentence structure, paragraphs, punctuation, etc.
* Describes events in detail
* Points out foreshadowing, climax, protagonist, antagonist, etc.

Total Possible Points – 30 Points Earned \_\_\_\_\_\_\_