

Summer Reading Assignment for 4th Grade

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Dear Parents,

In this packet you will find reading ideas that to present the book **The BFG** by Roald Dahl this summer. We have been instructed by administration to pass this on to you, and assign a project to do this book. The **BFG** is to be read and choose one of three project ideas. This project is to be done over the summer, handed in at the beginning of school, and it will be a grade towards the first marking period. I have given three projects that you can choose from, but your child only need to pick one.

The ideas are as follows:

1. Read a book from your list. Choose your favorite character from the book. Go to this site: <http://www.readwritethink.org/classroom-resources/student-interactives/trading-card-creator-30056.html>. Create a trading card about your character. Print out your trading card and display it on small poster board or cardboard.
2. Read a book from your list. Think of the best moments from the book that you would make your peers want to read it. Go to <http://www.toondoo.com> and create a comic strip or cartoon to illustrate the best moments of the book. Or use a separate sheet of paper to create your comic strip or cartoon.
3. Read the book, **The BFG**, and think of words that best describe the book. Go to http://www.abcya.com/make_a_word_search.htm to create a word search puzzle. Print the puzzle or get graph paper and create your own word search puzzle.
4. On a separate piece of paper write a letter to your friend and explain why you found this book, **The BFG**, to be funny. Use examples from text to support your opinion. There should be a beginning, then three reasons with examples why the story is funny, then a conclusion. The letter should be at least a page long.

Happy summer☺

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