

## Second Quarter Book Reports

Attached is a copy of the format you must use to complete your book report. The report must be completed on plain, white paper. **You may not use notebook paper for this report.** If you do not have any plain, white paper, let your teacher know.

We prefer that these book reports be done on the computer. You may even create illustrations on the computer if you wish. It is not mandatory that they be done on the computer.

Your report must be done on the Magic School Bus book that you were assigned. Remember that each section must be one page. The summary section will be multiple pages. Do not write your report on the example format. Use the checklist on each page to make sure that everything is included in the report. The due date for each section is on the bottom of each page of the example format. You will have a section of the book report due each week during second quarter. Each section is for a part of the grade. There is a rubric on the back of this page that shows exactly how you will be graded. You will not be presenting these to the class.

.Have fun and do a GREAT job!!

Third Grade Teachers

## **Summaries**

Chapters One and Two Summaries due: November 17

Chapters Three and Four Summaries due: December 1

Chapters Five and Six due: December 8

Final Chapters Due December 15

## **Summary Checklist**

Write a summary paragraph (three to four sentences minimum) for each chapter. The sentences need to be complete. DO NOT put more than two summaries per page. We suggest writing the summary after you read each chapter. The students will be turning in either eight or nine summaries, depending on the particular *Magic School Bus* book they have chosen.

## **Second Quarter Book Report Timeline**

**Parents, one of the goals for this book report is to teach students how to break a large project into smaller, manageable parts. It is essential that students keep the due dates in mind as they work through this book report. Keep this in a handy place so you may refer to it often.**

### **Due Dates:**

**November 10- Cover page Title page, and Copyright page due.**

**November 17- Summaries for chapters 1 and 2 due.**

**December 1- Summaries for chapters 3 and 4 due**

**December 8- Summaries for chapters 5 and 6 due.**

**December 15- Final summaries due**

**January 5- Glossary due**

**January 12- Table of Contents and Appendix due. (final piece)**

Title

Publisher

***Title Page Checklist***

\_\_\_\_\_ *Title*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Publisher*

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**Title Page Due: November 10**

Publisher

Author

Illustrator

Copyright Date

***Copyright Page Checklist***

\_\_\_\_\_ *Author*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Illustrator*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Publisher*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Copyright Date*

Copyright Page Due: November 10

Name #

Title of Book

by

Author

(Illustration)

***Cover Checklist***

- \_\_\_\_\_ *Title*
- \_\_\_\_\_ *Author*
- \_\_\_\_\_ *Illustration*
- \_\_\_\_\_ *Your name & number*

Cover Due: November 10

# Table of Contents

<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Title of Chapter</u>	<u>Page</u>
1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____
6	_____	_____
7	_____	_____
8	_____	_____
9	_____	_____

## ***Table of Contents Checklist***

- \_\_\_\_\_ *Chapter Numbers*
- \_\_\_\_\_ *Chapter Titles (You create these.)*
- \_\_\_\_\_ *Page Numbers*

**Table of Contents Due: January 12**

## Glossary

admire verb. to think of someone with approval and respect: Everyone admired the painting at the museum.

### ***Glossary Checklist***

\_\_\_\_\_ *One scientific word from each chapter  
(there should be a total of 9 words)*

\_\_\_\_\_ *The words must be in ABC order.*

***You must include in each definition:***

\_\_\_\_\_ *the word*

\_\_\_\_\_ *the part of speech*

\_\_\_\_\_ *the definition*

\_\_\_\_\_ *an example sentence.*

**Glossary Due: January 5**



# Appendix

## Illustration with Labels

### ***Appendix Checklist***

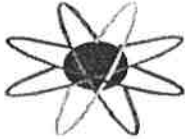
\_\_\_\_\_ ***Create a Diagram Related to the Topic***

*It must teach something.*

\_\_\_\_\_ ***Label Your Illustration***

***You must do the labeling (not copied from another source.)***

**Appendix Due: January 12**



## 2nd Quarter Book Report

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### Cover

Title (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Author (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Illustration (2 points) \_\_\_\_\_

### Title Page

Title (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Publisher (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_

### Copyright Page

Author (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Illustrator (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Copyright (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_  
Publisher (1 point) \_\_\_\_\_

### Table of Contents

Chap. and Page Number (1/2 each) (9½ points) \_\_\_\_\_  
Titles (1 each) (9 points) \_\_\_\_\_

### Body

Summaries (5 each) (45 points) \_\_\_\_\_

### Glossary

ABC order (2 points) \_\_\_\_\_  
Definition / Part of Speech (1 each) (9 points) \_\_\_\_\_  
Sentence (1/2 each) (9½ points) \_\_\_\_\_

### Appendix

Diagram (5 points) \_\_\_\_\_  
Labels (3 points) \_\_\_\_\_

### Spelling and Grammar

(8 points) \_\_\_\_\_

(100 points) \_\_\_\_\_