

DRESS UP

DECEMBER BOOK SHARE



For this Book Share you will dress up as a main character from the story you read and demonstrate the character's personality traits and character development as you tell the story from your character's point of view. Carefully read and follow the requirements listed below.

DUE DATE: Tuesday, January 6, 2015

1. The book you choose to share must be a book you have read on your own during the month of December and have not already shared in a Book Share or Book Commercial. You may not do a book share on a book read in class or for another class assignment (like Book Clubs).
2. There is no required genre for this Book Share, but the book must fit the requirements below.
3. You must take the AR test for the book before sharing the book on the due date. Your comprehension score on the AR test will count for part of your score for this project. If we do not have an AR test for your book, you can write your own 10-question test (with answers) or give an oral summary to the teacher.
4. Choose a main character from the book you read who experiences growth or change as a result of the experiences he/she has throughout the book. The character you choose does not have to be THE main character, however, he/she should appear enough in the book that you can recognize growth or change in the character from the beginning to the end of the book.
5. On the day of the Book Share, dress up as the character you chose. Although some characters dress in "normal" clothes, you need to find something to wear or hold that will help you "be" the character. The more complete your costume is, the more fun it will be for you and others.
6. This particular book share will take longer than in previous months because you will be required to do several specific things as you share the book. First, you will need to share the title, author, and genre of the book with your group. Second, you will need to explain who you (the character) are and what you were like when the book started. Finally, you will need to share the plot of the book you read from the point of view of the character you are portraying (while trying to talk and act like your character) with a focus on how you, the character, changed by the end of the book. Your group members will be given a rubric and will help determine if you have met these requirements.