

# Middle School Summer Reading Requirements

## Fifth Grade

### Rising GRADE 5

#### CHALLENGE

Students will read at least 3 chapter books including the required title: *Bridge to Terabithia*, which students will take a quiz on during the first month of school.

All books should be comparable grade level books chosen by the students with parent approval. Students should read a variety of genres and authors.

When students start their first English class on Monday, August 13 (after retreats), they will be expected to bring their assigned novel, their completed assignment, and have their summer reading novels submitted on the [digital reading log](#).

#### CORE READING

**Required Title:** *Bridge to Terabithia* by Katherine Paterson (ISBN: 9780064401845)

**Step One:** Read the required novel.

**Step Two:** Create a minimum 8-frame illustration based on the book *Bridge to Terabithia*. Project directions are below:

### PROJECT INSTRUCTIONS – Rising GRADE 5

Create a minimum eight-frame illustration based on the book *Bridge to Terabithia*.

The illustration needs to make a point about something important in the book.

Each frame should be *at least* 3 inches wide and 3 inches tall.

Be creative and use dialogue and pictures. Really show the background (trees or buildings, or furniture if it is an inside scene). Also use callouts for dialogue.

Check your spelling!

A large part of this process is the ability to read and synthesize the information to retell the story and incorporate the information into your own personal knowledge systems.

**PROJECT Rubric – Rising GRADE 5**

Create a minimum eight-frame illustration based on the book <i>Bridge to Terabithia</i> .	_____ /20pts
Illustrations make a point about something important in the book.	_____ /10pts
Each frame is 3 inches wide and 3 inches tall	_____ /10pts
Illustration is creative	_____ /10pts
Illustration uses dialogue with callouts	_____ /10pts
Illustration uses detailed pictures	_____ /10pts
Illustration has correct spelling	_____ /10pts
Illustration tells an accurate story	_____ /10pts
Illustration is neat and organized	_____ /10pts
<b>Total Points</b>	_____ /100