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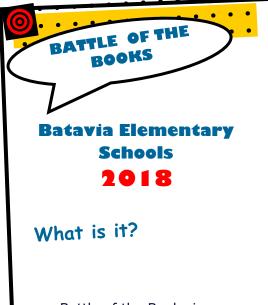
PERMISSION SLIP-Team information Due N /13

2018

Battle of Books List

- 1. <u>Among the Hidden by Haddix</u>
- 2. <u>Save Me a Seat by Weeks &</u> Varadarajan
- 3. Soar by Joan Bauer
- 4. <u>Crenshaw</u> by Katherine Applegate
- 5. The Thing About Georgie by Lisa Graff
- 6. Fuzzy Mud by Louis Sachar
- 7. Chomp by Carl Hiaasen
- 8. <u>Kensuke's Kingdom</u> by Michael Morpurgo
- 9. Dash by Kirby Larson
- 10. <u>How to Steal a Dog</u> by Barbara O'Connor

READ! READ! READ!



Battle of the Books is a reading incentive program for students in 4th and 5th grade. Students read specific books and come together to test their knowledge of the books they have read. Teams are formed with 1-4 members.



How Students Can Prepare...

- Form teams of 1-4 students.
- Decide as a team who will read which books. Try to have 2 people read each book.



READ VERY CAREFULLY!

 Read assigned books VERY CAREFULLY. Questions for the Battle will all follow the same format. The title of the book will be the answer.

Ex. In what book did the main character receive packages from America that help her family survive the winter?

Answer: <u>Boxes for Katje</u> by Candace Fleming

4. Take notes if you want so you can review details of the story before the battle. Notes might include character's friends, family, favorite things to do, or main events in story, etc. Notes may not be used during a battle.

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Schedule

Week of Jan 23rd Book titles released

Feb 9th Book order due (optional)

Feb 13th Teams & permission slips due

Feb 21st Book order should be delivered

Local Battles During School

Round 1 1st week April

Round 2 2nd week April

Round 3 3rd week April

Final Battle-BPL

7:00 pm April 25, 2018 Batavia Public Library

*ALL STUDENTS will battle at least 3 rounds. The final battle will include the highest scoring team from each of the 6 elementary schools.

Format

- 3-4 teams will battle in each room
- 12 local/25 final questions per round
- 25 seconds to answer a question
- The same questions will be given to all teams.
- Earn 4pts for the title.
- Earn 1 bonus point for author only if title was correct.

Challenge Procedure

- Only team members can initiate a question challenge.
- Students must ask for the official question in writing from LRC. This starts the process.
- Team members must submit the title and the page number where they found the answer. All this must take place within 24 hrs of the battle.
- This does not apply for the final battle.





CHECK IN WITH YOUR TEAM REGULARLY!