
January Book Project Rubric

The purpose of this assignment is to encourage you to read throughout the school year. Reading is so important because it can take you on adventures, provide information, and help you to become a better student in school. I want you to write about what you read to show me that you have completed your reading assignment. Writing about your book will help you share your story with others. Please use the rubric below as a tool to help you do your BEST WORK on the writing portion of this assignment. This assignment is worth 50 points total (2 points: gift).

Please choose a fantasy book, with at least 200 pages.

Category	0-3 points	4-6 points	7-8 points
4 line heading, title & author displayed	Not present	Some, but not all requirements are present	All requirements are present
Main Characters (may be 1 or a few important characters)	Main character is mentioned, but no detail is given	Main characters described but few details are given <small>(no mention of personality or importance to story)</small>	At least 2 paragraphs are written describing the main character's appearance, personality, & importance to the story
Your Favorite Scene In the Story	No illustration	Simple illustration Little detail and simple illustration	One page detailed illustration of your favorite scene in the story
Opinion And Recommendation of the book	No recommendation or opinion is given	At least 1 paragraph is written about your opinion & recommendation, but few details are given	At least 2 paragraphs are written describing what you thought of the book & why.
Format/Neatness	Incomplete, messy, format ignored	Less than 1 page, messy writing &/or single space	At least 1 page is written in best cursive or type, double spaced
Timing	3+ days late	1-2 days late	Turned in on or before the last class day of the month

Please use this paper as your cover sheet.