

Rising 2nd Grade
Summer Work Packet
Summer 2023

Name: _____

Dear Rising Second Grader,

Second Grade is your last year in the primary hall! We look forward to preparing you for the lower school and for you to be leaders of our hallway. It is going to be a wonderful year, and we can not wait to see you in August.

This summer, we would like to encourage you to use your summer activities to help you write some great things down. We are asking you to journal 2 things you do over the summer break. We will keep one too. On the first day of school, we will use our journal entries to share about our summer in order to learn more about each other. Please be sure they are in complete sentences, begin with a capital letter, include the correct ending mark and be a minimum of 3-5 sentences. An example is attached at the end of this document.

Summer isn't complete without reading a couple of amazing books. In addition to your two journal entries about your summer activities, you will also complete a book report using the papers attached to this letter. There are 2 pages included that are a planning sheet, and then 2 pages that are your final book report. You may choose between 3 books.

1. Little Bear's Friend by Else Holmelund Minarik (Emerging Readers)
2. Nate The Great by Marjorie W. Sharmat (Intermediate Readers)
3. The Chocolate Touch by Patrick Skene Catling (Advanced Readers)

This book report will need to be turned in on the first day of school. There is also a rubric included for how we will grade the assignment. We also encourage you to continue to read at home, visit the library, or join an online book club! We have included a list of recommendations.

Happy Reading!

2nd Grade Summer Reading Series Recommendations

Hour of the Olympics, Ghost Town at Sundown or Twister on Tuesday-for more challenging book-goes along with 2nd grade curriculum

Mystery

A to Z Mysteries

The Big Bad Detective Agency

Adventure

Magic Tree House

Realistic

Junie B. Jones

Ivy and Bean

Dory Fantasmagory

Stink

My Weird School

Breyer Stablemates

Fantasy

Owl Diaries

Unicorn Diaries

Ricky Ricotta

Mercy Watson

Black Lagoon Adventures

Beginning Chapter Books

Press Start! Game Over,

Super Rabbit Boy! by Thomas Flintham

All Paws on Deck (Haggis and Tank Unleashed #1) by Jessica Young

The Princess in Black and the Perfect Princess Party by Shannon Hale and Dean Hale

Monster and Boy

Charlie and Mouse

Our Friend Hedgehog

Snail and Worm

In addition to reading, students are to practice the skills detailed below for a minimum of 180 minutes. Students may complete these skills in the manner that best supports family travel and summer plans (i.e. more practice some weeks and fewer practice other weeks). Students have unlimited access to grade level curriculum IXL and are to continue to practice throughout the summer even if mastery of the assigned standard (80%) is accomplished. Teachers will view the time spent practicing, problems practiced, and the number of skills attempted/mastered upon return to school. Class credit will be assigned for completion. In addition to IXL we are including additional worksheets to complete for enrichment. These worksheets are not required. They can be found on the link provided in the Eagles' Nest updates.

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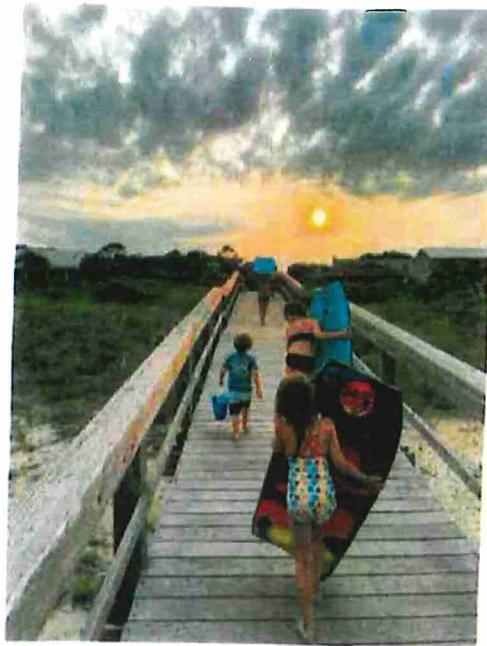
• Letter and/or number can be subject to change (IXL system updates). Please match the math skill name.

Suggested 2nd Grade IXL Math Skills to Practice:

- A. Counting and Number Patterns
- E. Addition- two digit
- F. Subtraction- two digit
- M.1, M.2, M.4, M.5, M.6 Place Values
- P.1, P.2, P.3, P.4, P.8 Money
- Q. 1, Q.2, Q.3, Q.4 Time

Name: Sam Smith

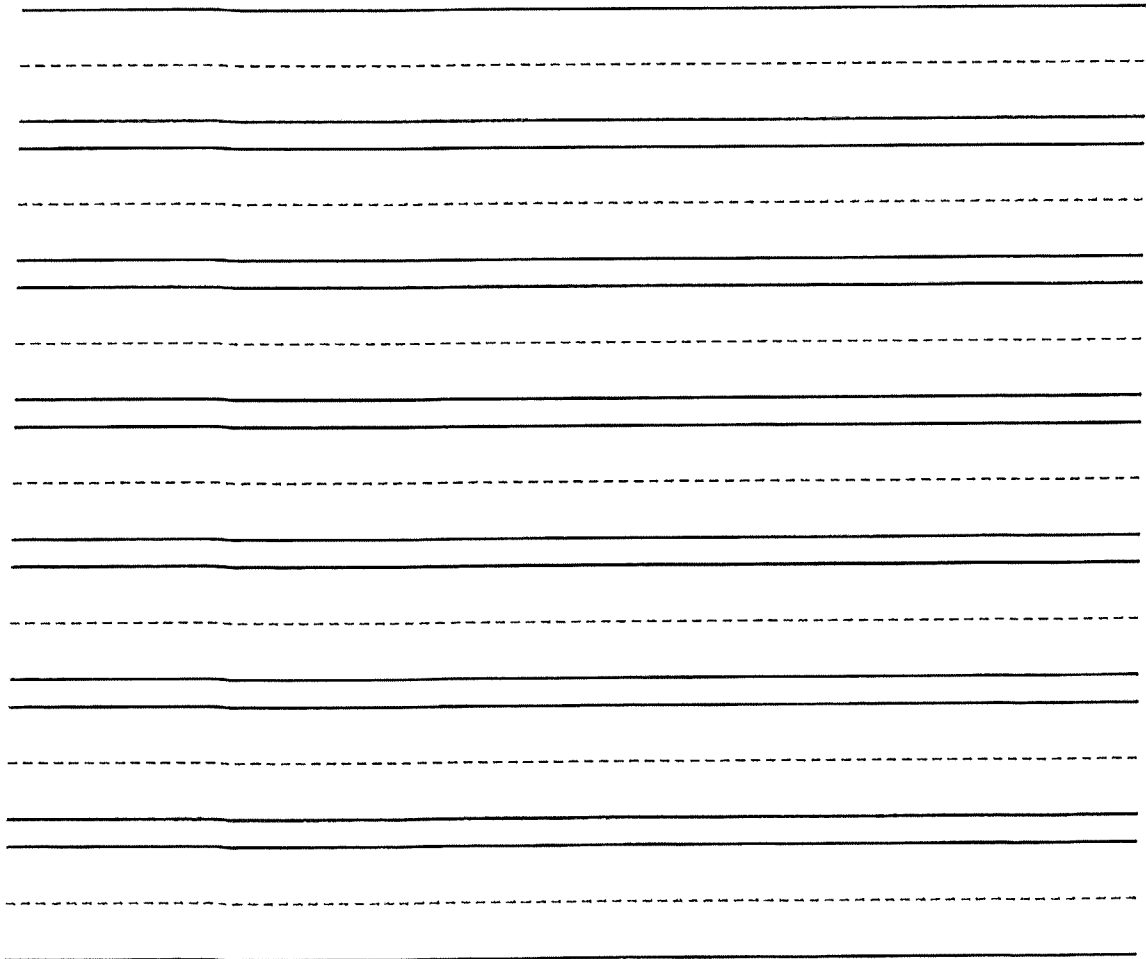
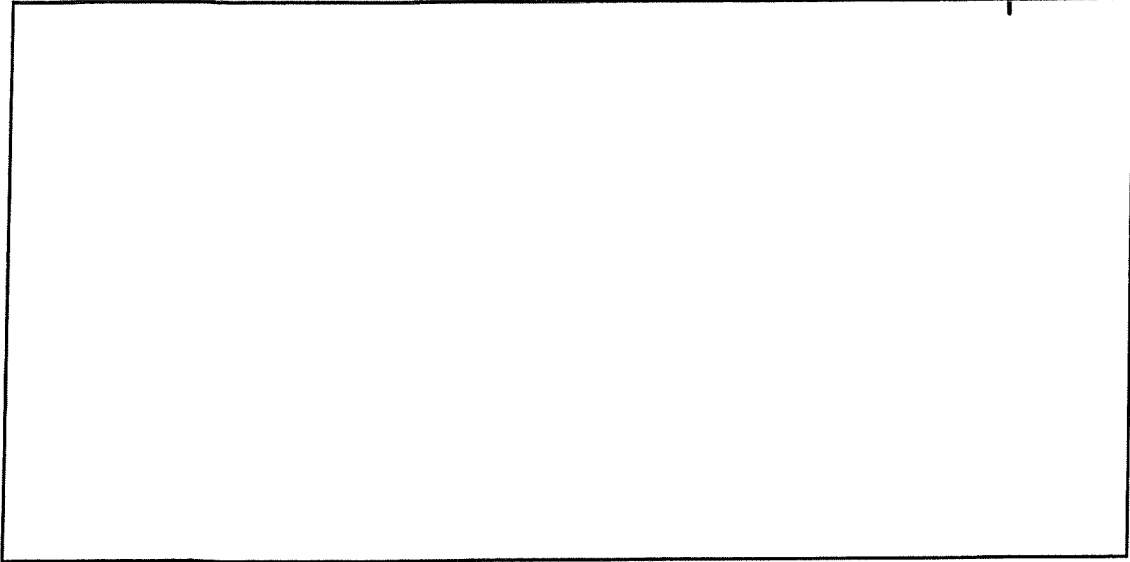
Journal Entry
Example



I went to Tybee on
July 4th. We rode
waves on my boogie
board. I played with
my cousin.

Name

Journal Entry # 1



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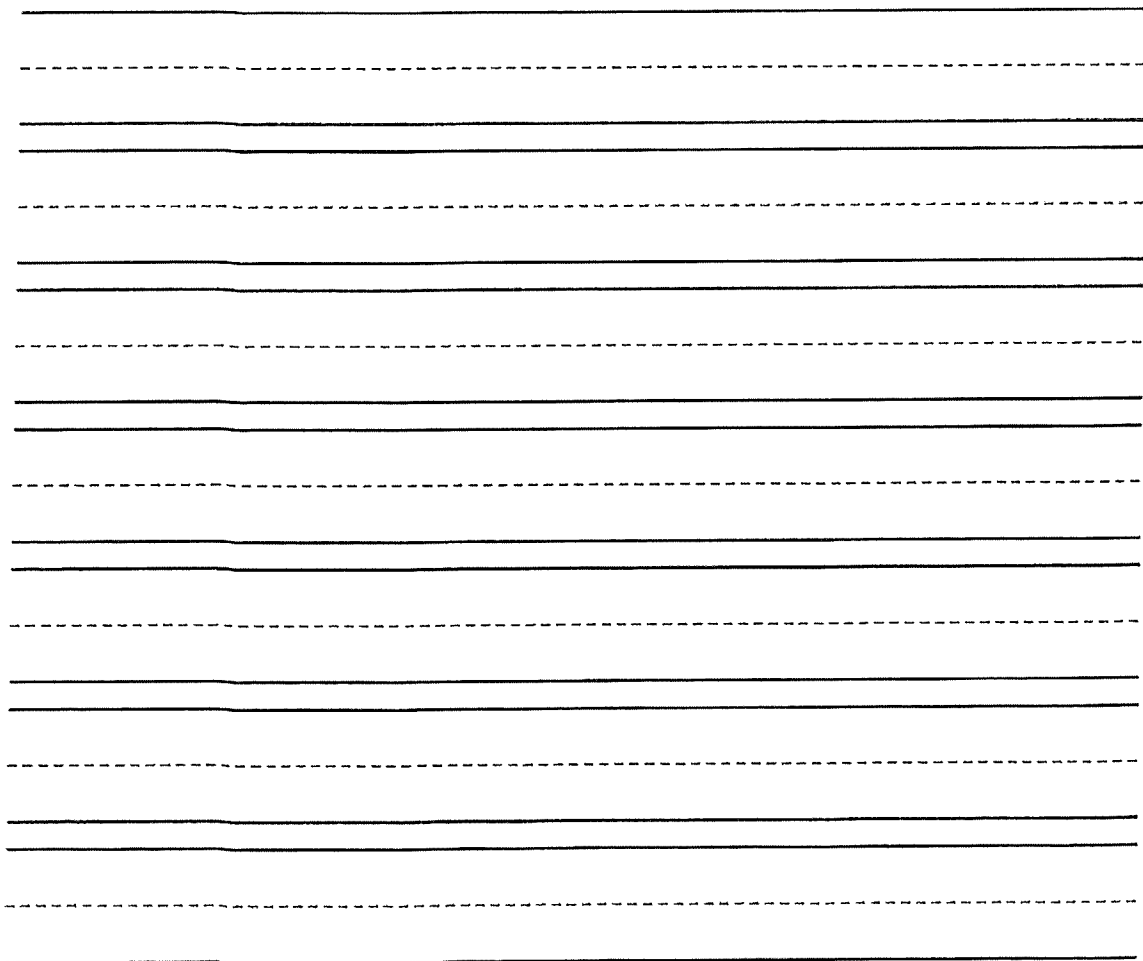
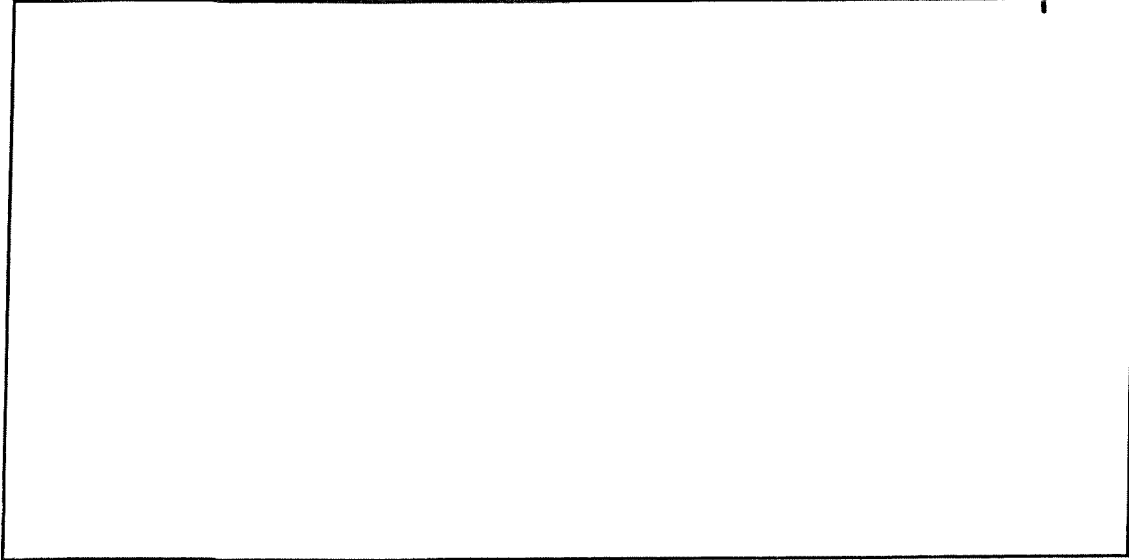
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Name

Journal Entry #2.



Name: _____

Date: _____

My BOOK Report Planning Sheet

Title of my book:

Author of my book:

The main setting of this story was...

(Hint: Where did the story happen? What did it look like?)



My Favorite Character was:

Three Words to describe him/her are:

My favorite part of the story was

when... (Hint: What happened? Why did

you like that part?)

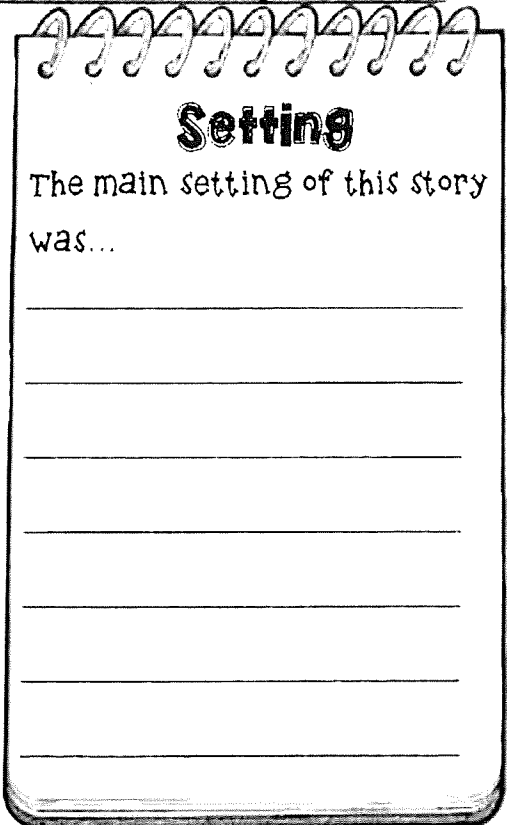
My Book Report

My Name: _____

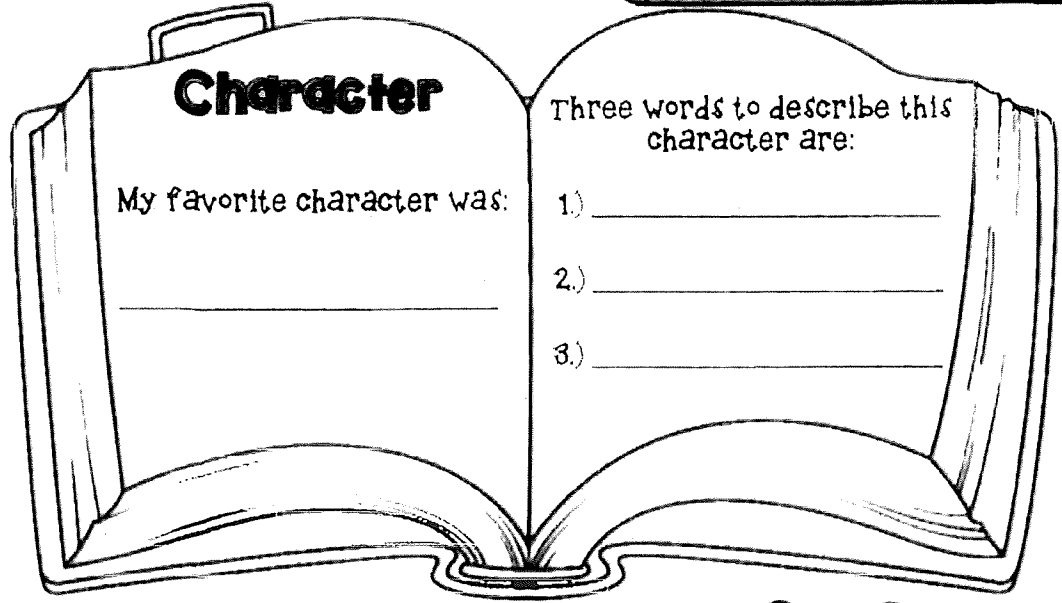


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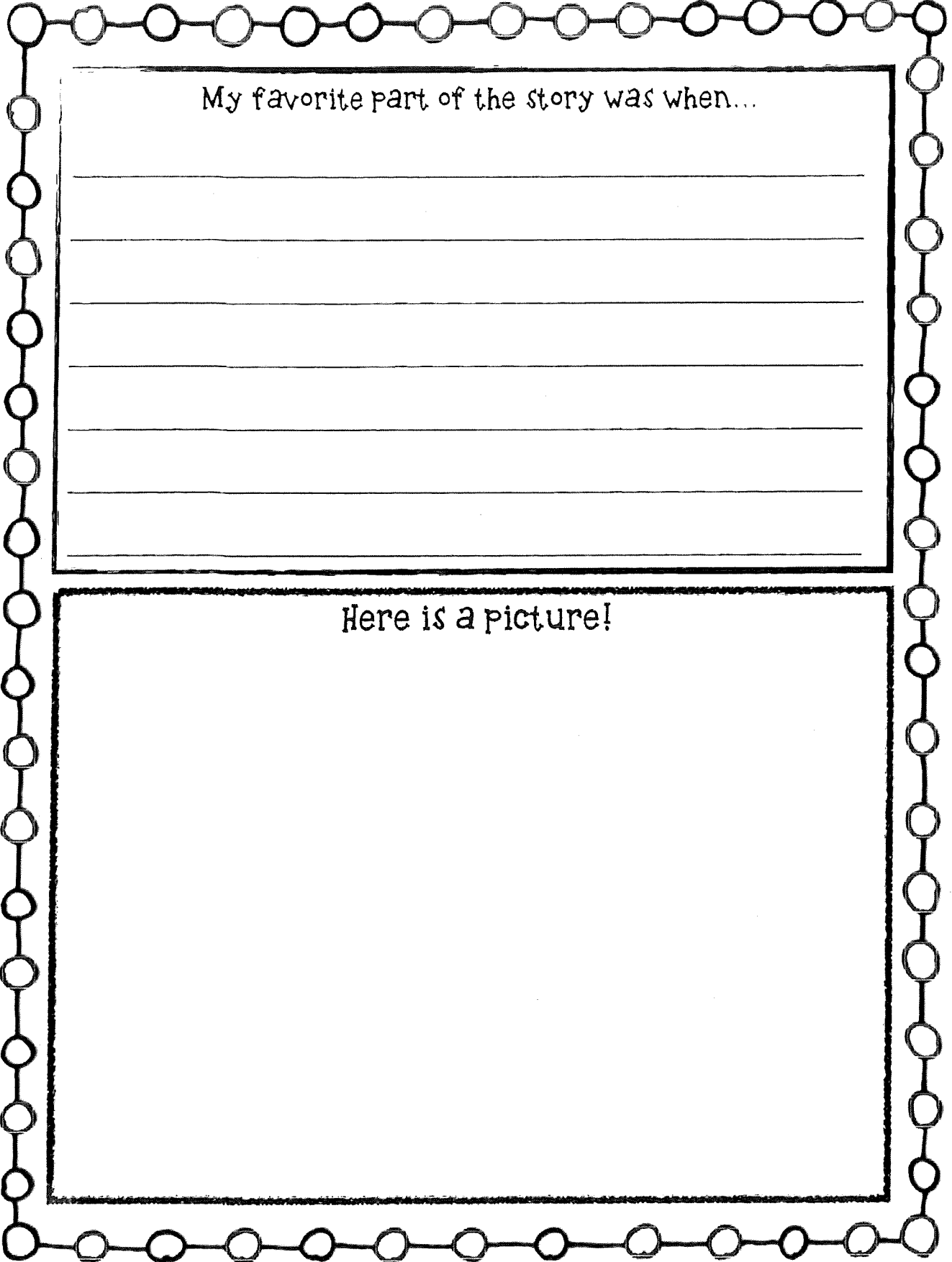


Setting
The main setting of this story was...



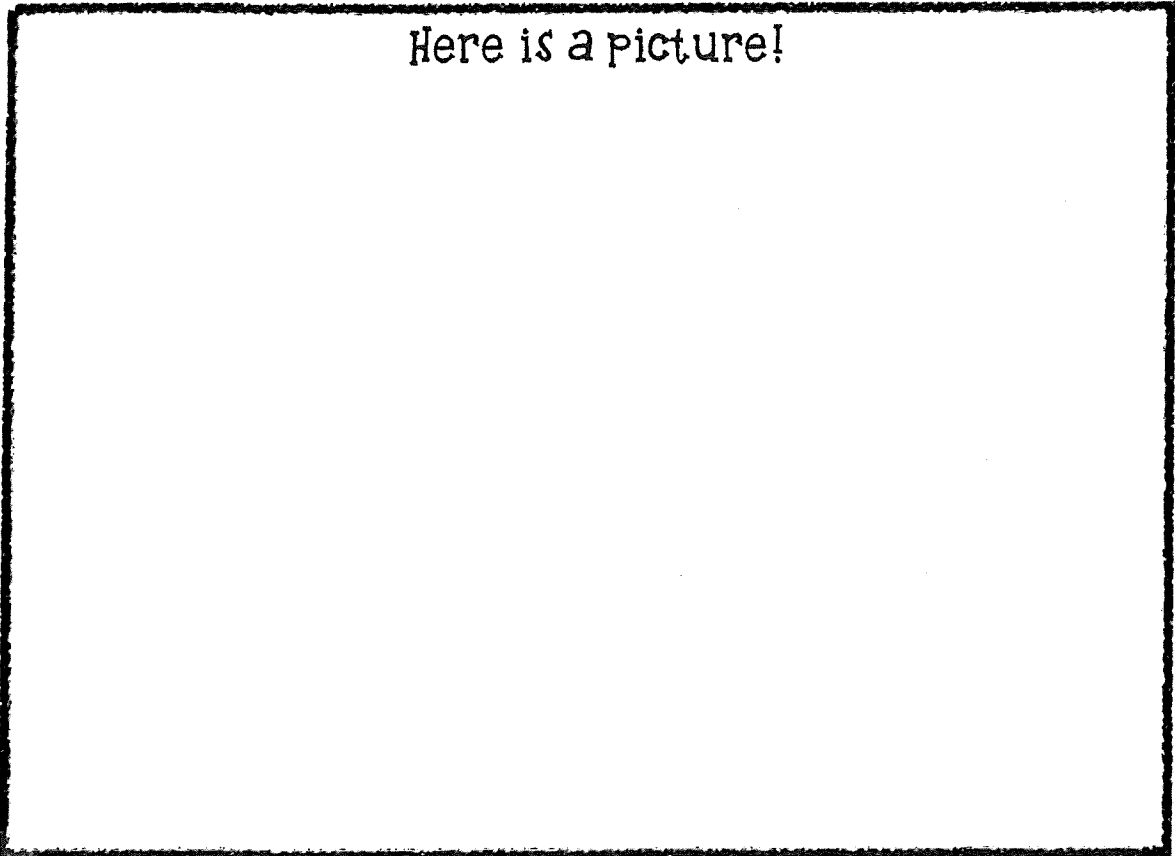
Character
My favorite character was:

Three words to describe this character are:
1.) _____
2.) _____
3.) _____



My favorite part of the story was when...

Here is a picture!



Summer Book Report

Student: _____

Component	Points Possible	Points
Was the report turned in on the first day of school?	20 points	
Did the student read the book and complete the planning sheet?	10 points	
Is the book report written neatly?	10 points	
Did the student complete all sections of the book report and explain each of them ?	Title: 10 points Author: 10 points Favorite Character: 10 points Setting: 10 points Favorite part:10 points Illustration :10 points	
Final Grade	100 points	