

5th Grade Summer Reading

Students will be required to keep a summer reading log that will record their time spent reading books during the summer. Students need to read at least 8 books of their choice, these do not have to be chapter books, and record time spent reading in his/her reading log. In addition to this reading log, students are required to read one of the following books below, fiction or nonfiction book, and complete a Lapbook Book Report on their chosen book. The book report choice will count toward a student's 8 summer reading books.

Attached you will find:

Fiction and Nonfiction Book Report Reading List (see below)

Material List for Book Report (Lapbook)

Instructions for the Book Report (Lapbook)

Summer Reading Log

Happy Reading!

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Reading List for Lapbook Book Report

Fiction - Maniac McGee - Jerry Spinelli, Wonder - RJ Palacio, A Series of Unfortunate Events book series, Because of Winn Dixie - Kate DiCamillo, There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom - Louis Sachar, The Wayside School series books - Louis Sachar, I Survived series book, Roald Dahl books - Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Charlie and the Great Glass Elevator, James and the Giant Peach, the BFG

Nonfiction - The Who/What Was series

5th Grade Summer Reading Log

Name _____

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BOOK REPORT Lap Book



GREAT FOR DISPLAYS!

Flip Flap Book Report

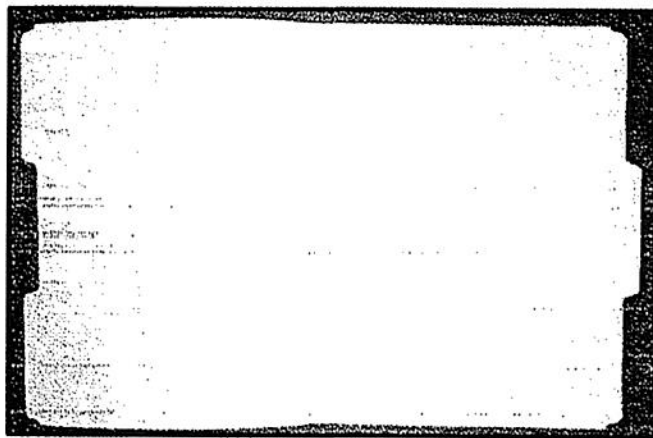
How to Create a Lap Book

Making a Lap Book does not have to be a complicated project. This "Flip Flap Book Report" Lap Book Project will require the following items for each student:

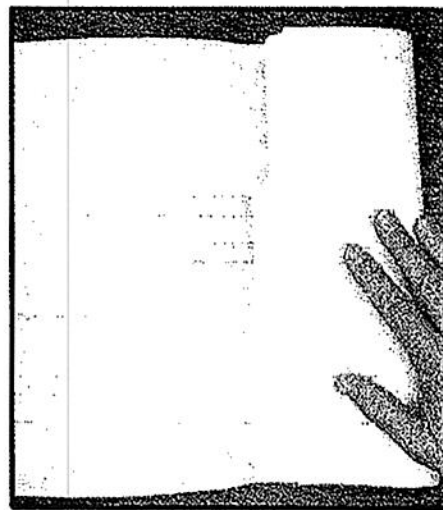
- 1 file folder
- Scissors and glue stick
- Colored pencils or crayons
- 1 piece colored construction paper
- Clear tape
- Copies of pages you choose from this unit

I have kept this project as simple as possible, so that students could easily assemble it. Here is how to create the lap book:

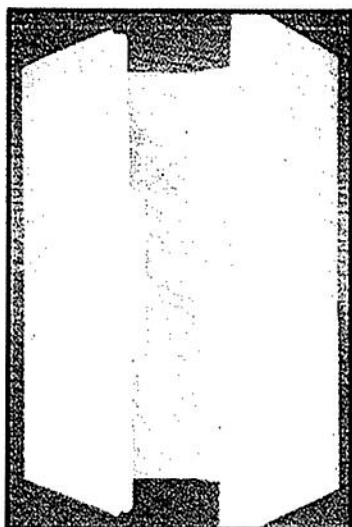
1. Place a regular-sized file folder open flat on the table.



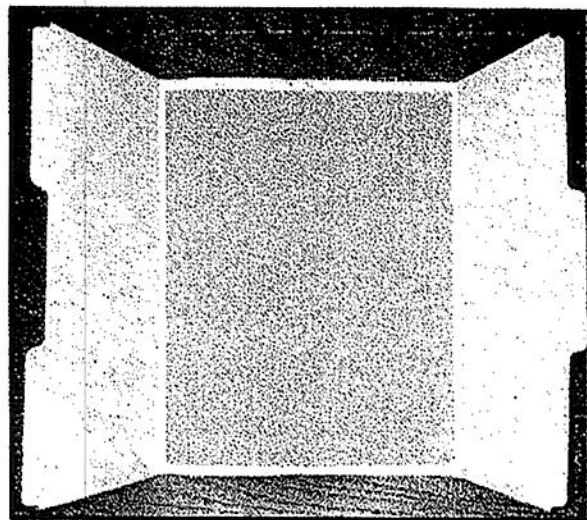
2. Fold each side in until the edge meets the middle and crease the new folds.



3. This is what it will look like after step 2 is complete.



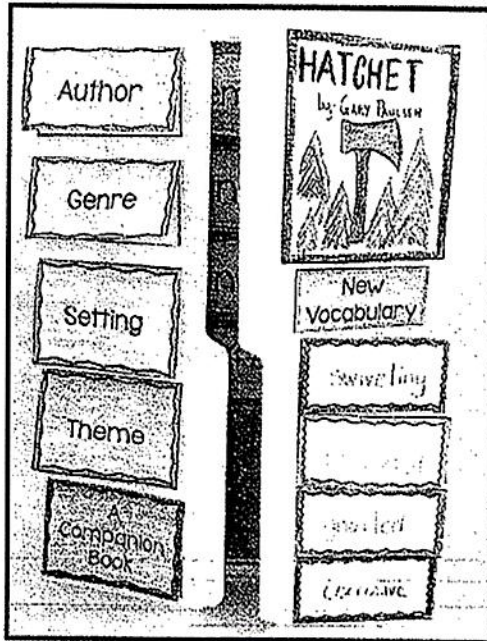
4. Cut a heavy piece of construction paper or cardstock to match the size of the inside back wall. Glue into place. This will not only make the lap book sturdier, it will add some color to the project. Now you are ready to add all of your foldables and components!



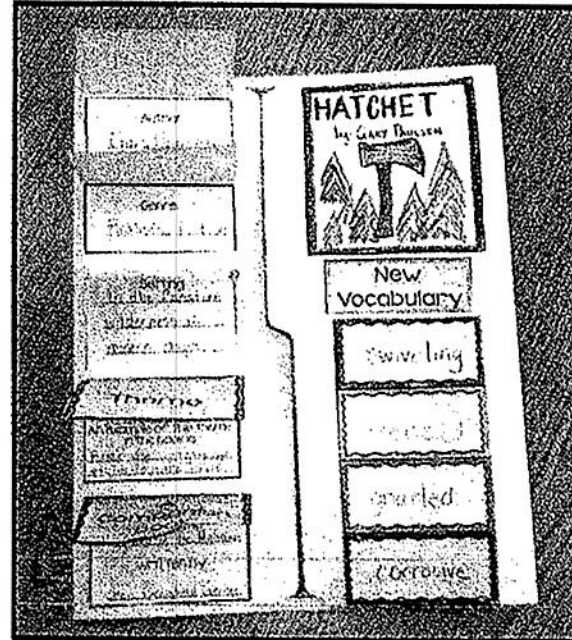
Assembled Lap Book

There is no set arrangement for the pieces of this lap book. That is the great thing about these projects; you can put them together in whatever way looks best to you. I prefer, however, for my students to all use the same basic order to make grading a bit easier for me. Take a look at the sample Book Report Project below:

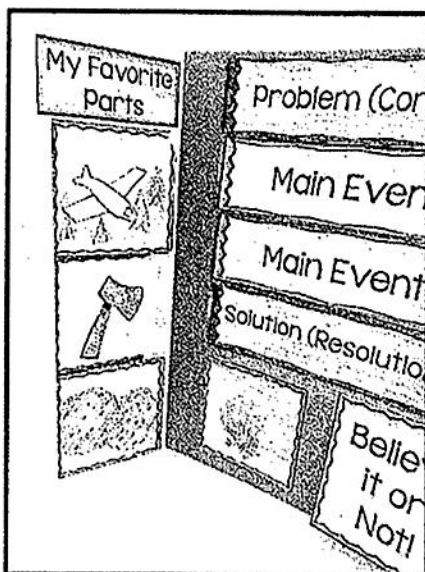
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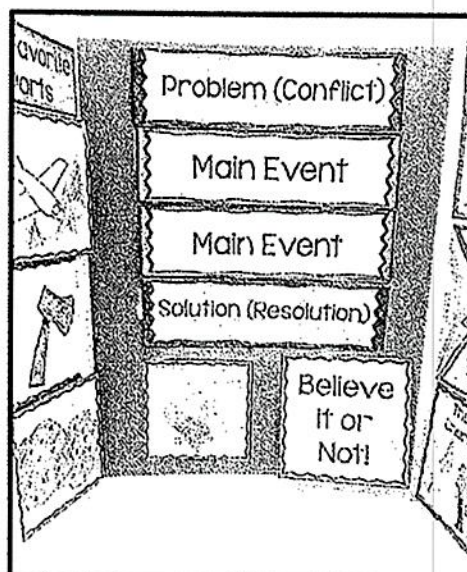
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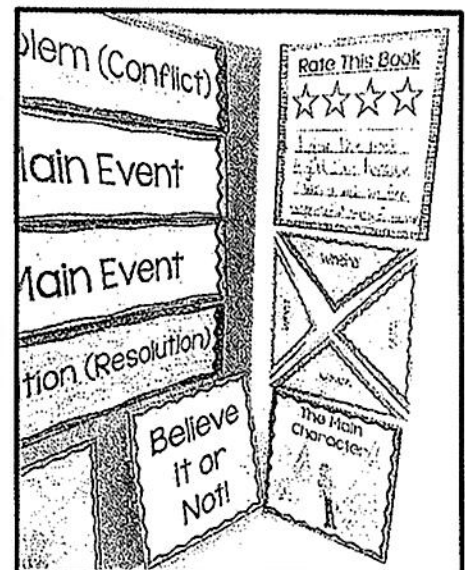
Inside Left



Inside Center



Inside Right



Color, cut, fold the flap over, and glue to the page. Then, glue the information boxes beneath each flap. Add pictures, if desired.

glue here

Author

Author:

glue here

Genre

Genre:

glue here

Setting

**The Main
Character**

Setting:

Color, cut, fold the flap over, and glue to the page.
Glue the information boxes beneath each flap.

glue here

Theme

glue here

A
Companion
Book

Rate This Book



The theme of this book is:

An example of this
theme in the book is:

Another book similar
to this one is:

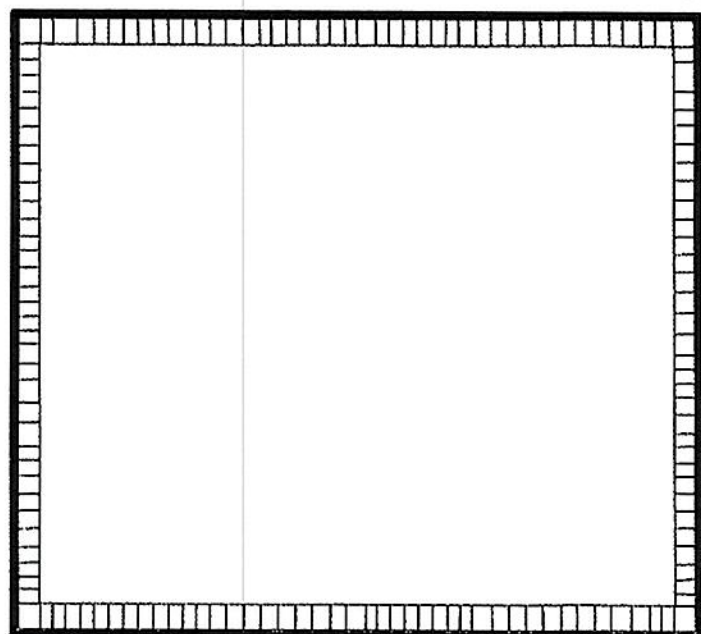
Written by:

Book Cover:

Create a cover for your book.

Include the title and an illustration.

Make your cover stand out!



Rate This Book:

How many stars would you
rate this book? Explain why.

Find four new vocabulary words in your book. Write them on the front of each flap. Then, write the definition of each word on the information box and glue it below the flap.

New Vocabulary

Color, cut, fold the flap over (if desired), and glue to the page.
Glue the information boxes from the next page beneath each flap.

Problem (Conflict)

Main Event

Main Event

Solution (Resolution)

Write the information, illustrate, cut out each box,
and glue to the page beneath its flap.

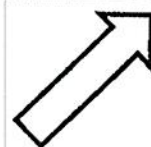
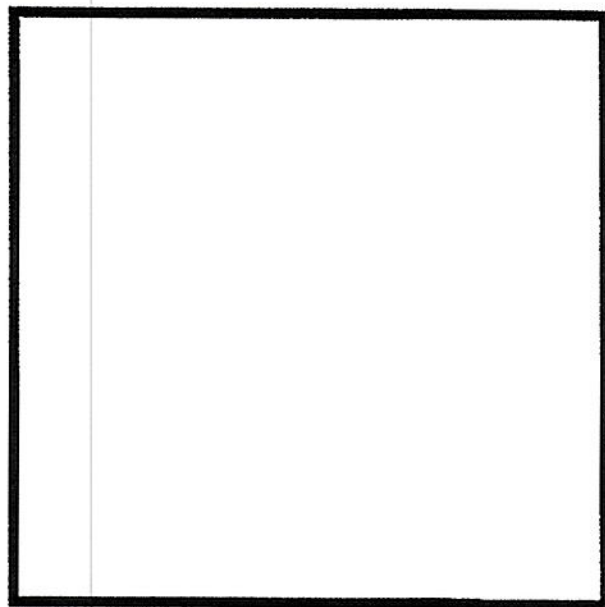
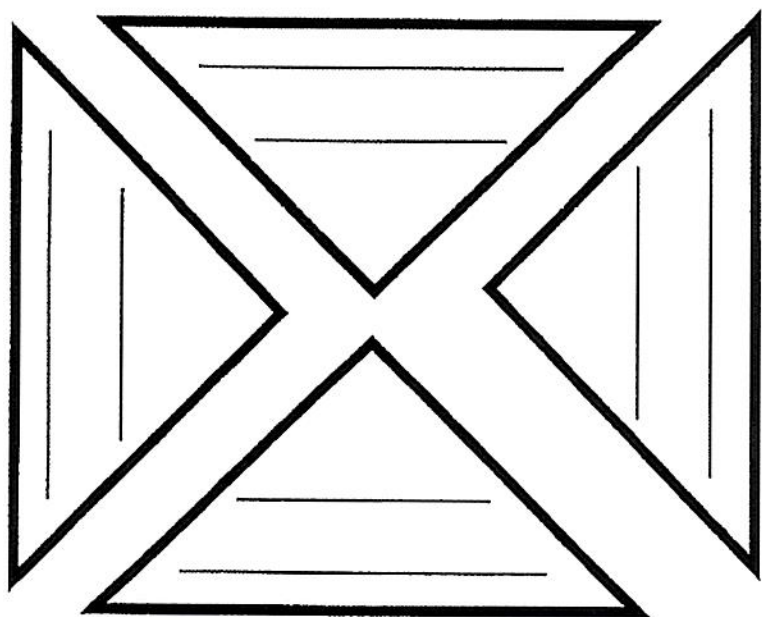
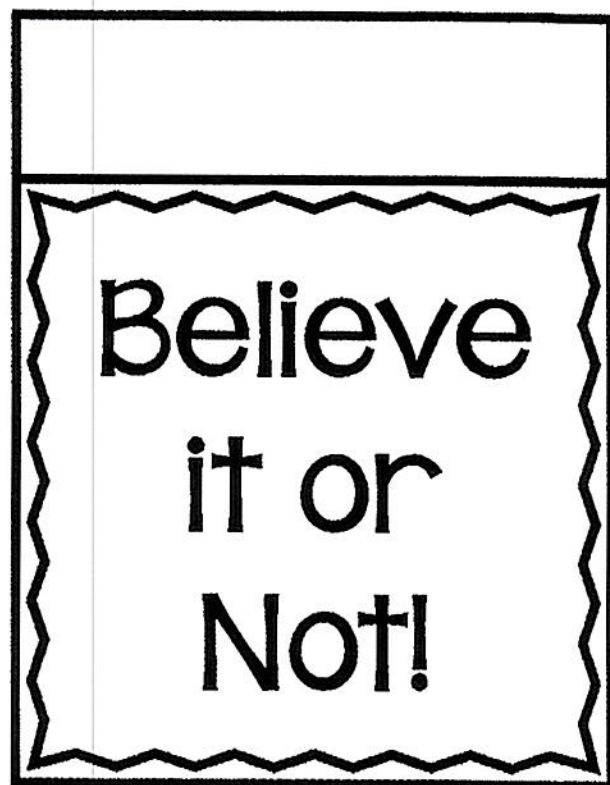
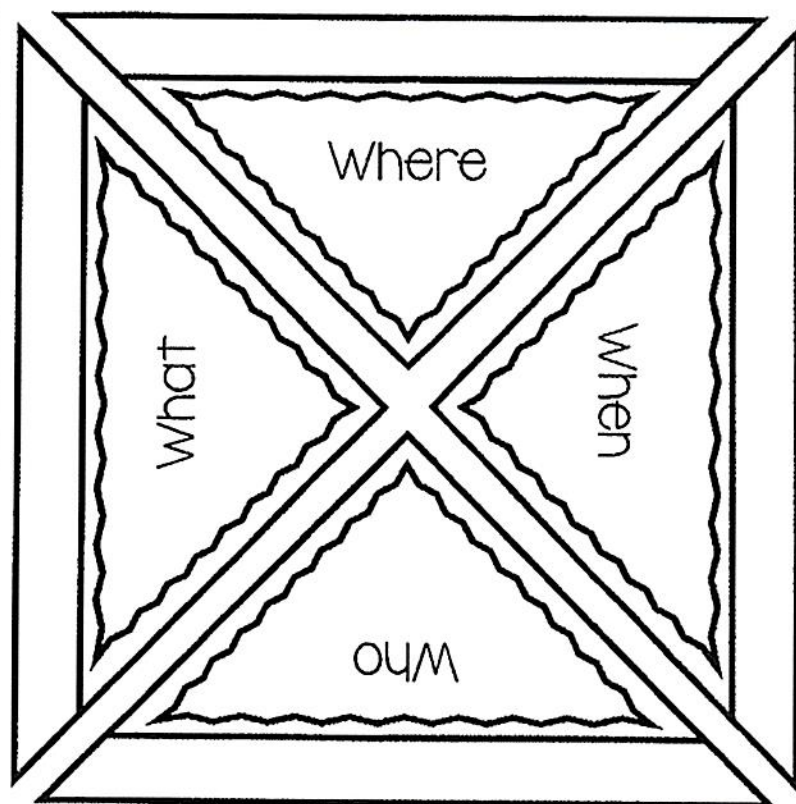
The problem of this story is:

A main event that happened was:

Another main event that happened was:

The problem was solved when:

Color, cut, and glue to the page.
Glue the information boxes beneath each flap.



Think about an unusual event that occurred in your book.
Write that event and illustrate it on the second flap. Glue in
place beneath the "Believe it or Not" flap.

My Favorite Parts

Think about your four favorite scenes from the book. On each of the flaps below, create a photo of each place by drawing a picture and coloring it. Then, use the boxes on the next page to describe each favorite part. Glue the information boxes beneath each flap.

My Favorite parts

Cut this title and
glue it to your
project above
the flaps you
have created for
"My Favorite
Parts."



