

ELA Choice Board

Student Directions: Complete 3 of the following activities.



Have you been listening to Dr. Diezi read Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nihm on Facebook live? Write a summary of one of the most recent chapters. Remember a summary is a shortened version that highlights key points. Be sure to capture all of the most important parts.

RL 5.2



What are the pros and cons of being homeschooled? Do students benefit more from homeschool or public school? Which do you prefer? Write an opinion essay including reasons and evidence to support your point of view.

W 5.1



Figurative Language Fun!!!

Being out of school has turned John into a couch potato.

Now it is your turn. Draw an example of figurative language. Write a caption below your drawing that includes clues to the literal meaning of your picture.

L 5.5



Narrative Writing:New Beginnings.

This is your last year of elementary school. What are you most excited or most nervous about when you think of starting middle school? Write a narrative essay about how you think your first day will be with at least 2 examples of dialogue. W 5.3



Persuasive Writing: Earth Day

Earth Day was
April 22nd. Write a letter to
your community explaining
ways to keep the environment
clean and why it is important.
Use examples of ways you can
help at home and prove the
necessity to keep our Earth
healthy!

W 5.1



Prefixes and Suffixes to the Rescue! Write a short story

about a superhero and make sure to include at least 5 sentences with a word that either has a prefix or suffix. Try to include as many as you can

and still have a great fun story!

L 5.4b



W. 5.3

Persuasive Writing: Heroes

If you could write a letter nominating your favorite person as hero of the year, who would it be? Describe using specific characteristics and qualities that describe what heroic acts they are doing or have accomplished and why in your opinion they are a hero. Be sure to convince your reader that they should win the award.



Expository/Informational Writing: Clean Up

Your class will spend the day cleaning up the neighborhood in various communities in the city you live in. You have done this, but your other classmates have not. Write a letter explaining the process and the importance to your peers. Be sure to cite specific examples that describe why cleaning up the neighborhood is important. W.5.1



Do you remember reading about Jackie Robinson's success as a baseball player? Write a summary of how Jackie Robinson's became successful including specific events and people who helped him become successful. In your point of view, describe which one thing was the most important to his success. Be sure to support your thinking with evidence.

RL. 5.2