

Name: _____

Wednesday, November 30

Start reading the book *Arthur, For the Very First Time*
You have 15 days to read this book.

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.
I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

This story is making me think about...

Thursday, December 1

You have 14 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.
I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Do you like the story so far? Why or why not?

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Friday, December 2

You have 13 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Did the first chapter of the book draw your attention? Why or why not?

Saturday, December 3

You have 12 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

(from Chapters 4-6)
What gift did Moreover give to Arthur?

Name: _____

Sunday, December 4

You have 11 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Create a map of the story’s setting. Include a map key, compass rose, and a title. Describe your drawing:

Monday, December 5

You have 10 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

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Here is what happened today:

Tuesday, December 6

You have 9 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which characters are friends? Which ones don't get along well?

Wednesday, December 7

You have 8 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

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What do you like or dislike about what you are reading?

(from Chapters 7-9)
Who offered the sermon at church?

Thursday, December 8

You have 7 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which character do you like best?

(from Chapters 10-12)
What did Moira and Arthur think was in Yoyo's boiling pot?

Name: _____

Friday, December 9

You have 6 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Do you think the author was good at explaining things so you can easily understand the story? Why or why not?

Saturday, December 10

You have 5 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Come up with two different titles that would fit this book other than the one it has.

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Sunday, December 11

You have 4 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Are any characters suddenly acting differently?

Monday, December 12

You have 3 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

If it existed, would you benefit more from watching the movie of this book? Would the storyline be better if it were a movie? Explain your reasoning.

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(from Chapters 13-15)
What did Moira finally call Arthur?

Tuesday, December 13

You have 2 days left to finish *Arthur, For the Very First Time*

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

Which character has learned a lesson in this story?

Wednesday, December 14

Finish reading the book *Arthur, For the Very First Time*
Finally, you can finish this book today!

Started reading at _____ and finished reading at _____.

Name: _____

I read up to page _____ today.

Here is what happened today:

If you wanted to retell the story to a classmate using just a few sentences what would you say?

Character Development - How did Arthur change over the course of the story?

Introduction - How does the book begin?

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_____ How did Uncle Wrisby say "I know what you mean?"

- A. "I know what you mean."
- B. "That, too."
- C. "Goes without saying."
- D. "Go away."

_____ Which creature enjoyed Uncle Wrisby's singing?

- A. The chicken (Pauline)
- B. The mockingbird
- C. The pig (Bernadette)
- D. Skunk

_____ What creatures did Arthur's father describe as ugly, but Uncle Wrisby describe as secretive?

- A. Skunks
- B. Crows
- C. Squirrels
- D. Moles