

Given November 2

Due December 4

WRAP IT UP!

What To Do: Choose an AR chapter book within your ZPD range or higher and read it. Then design your own wrapping paper related to the characters, setting, and events from the book. Follow all of the directions below.

You need:

1. Freezer paper, blank newsprint, plain paper, **white** wrapping paper, or large **white** paper bag
2. Empty gift box (**shirt box size**)
3. One 4x6 index card
4. Ribbon and/or bow
5. Crayons, colored pencils, or markers

Directions:

1. Measure enough white paper to wrap a shirt size box. This will become your wrapping paper (**do not wrap the box yet**).
2. Lay the paper flat and design the wrapping paper for the book you have read by creating scenes on the plain paper that are related to the **setting, characters**, and **at least three events** of the story. Your wrapping paper should be **mostly** covered with setting, characters, and the events. Remember the example shown in class.
3. Now use the decorated paper to wrap the empty gift box. The box should be decorated on the front, back, and sides. You may also use ribbons and bows.
4. Make a “gift tag” by using a 4x6 index card and writing the **title, BL** (book level), **and author** of the book on the **front (blank side)**. Titles of books are underlined.
5. Write **your name** on the **front** at the **bottom** of the 4x6 index card.
6. Write a **summary** of the book on the **back (lined side)** of the 4x6 index card or type a summary of the book and glue to the **back (lined side)** of the 4x6 index card. **The summary must be written in student’s own words in cursive or typed and must be at least five sentences.**
7. Attach the “gift tag” to the decorated box.
8. See Grading rubric below

Grading:

1. Following directions
2. Neatness
3. Summary of at least five sentences (complete sentences, grammar, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling). **Summary must be in student's own words.**
4. Wrapping paper mostly covered with setting and characters and at least 3 events
5. Points will be deducted every day it is late.
6. Points will be deducted if book is lower than ZPD zone.