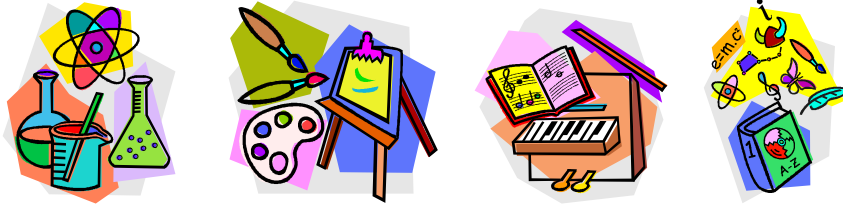


Nonfiction Monthly Book Project



This month we will be reading informational nonfiction books. These are books that discuss a certain topic. (not biographies, autobiographies, etc).

Students will choose an informational book on a topic of their choice and create an accordion book of facts.

Please see directions below. Projects are due October 30.

Materials: 9x12" construction paper (from Mrs. Lamb)

1. Fold the construction paper in half hamburger style, cut along the fold.
2. Tape the short ends together creating a longer sheet of paper.
3. Make the accordion book by folding the paper about 1/6 of the way, then take that sixth and fold back. Continue folding back and forth until you reach the other end. You should have 6 total sections.
4. Find 10 important facts in your nonfiction book.
5. On the first section (on the left) write the title and author of your book. Add an illustration related to the topic.
6. On each remaining page, write on fact and an illustration for that fact.
7. When you run out of room, turn over and continue on back. You will have 5 facts on the front, 5 on the back.
8. On the last section on the back, write a conclusion you have arrived at from reading your book. In other words, tell me what have you learned from this book.

Grading Rubric-turn this in with project!

Criteria	Points earned
Ten Facts (70 total points)	
Followed directions (10 points)	
Spelling (10 total points)	
Neat and colored (10 points)	