



# Katz Hillel Day School of Boca Raton

## Fourth Grade English

### *Summer Reading List, 2022*

For your summer reading assignment you will read the following two books. After reading Charlotte's Web please complete one assignment from the attached choice board. For Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing, complete the attached story map. Make sure that your work is well-done and neat. Please bring both assignments and the novels on the first day of school.

1. Charlotte's Web by E.B. White (ISBN: 978-0061124952) *Charlotte's Web is the story of a little girl named Fern who loved a little pig named Wilbur—and of Wilbur's dear friend Charlotte A. Cavatica, a beautiful large grey spider who lived with Wilbur in the barn. With the help of Templeton, the rat who never did anything for anybody unless there was something in it for him, and by a wonderfully clever plan of her own, Charlotte saved the life of Wilbur, who by this time had grown up to quite a pig. How all this comes about is Mr. White's story. It is a story of the magic of childhood on the farm.*

2. Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume (ISBN: 0142408810) *In this classic story, Peter Hatcher feels like a fourth grade “nothing” since his brother Fudge causes problems for him all the time; Fudge always gets away with things at home. So Peter decides that it is time to make his parents pay more attention to him.*



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# CHARLOTTE'S WEB CHOICE BOARD

<b>ART SMART</b> You have been chosen to redesign the cover of "Charlotte's Web." Draw a new cover featuring an important event from the story.	<b>WORD SMART</b> Choose one of Charlotte's 3 daughters mentioned at the end of the book. Write a story about her life after leaving the barn.	<b>LOGIC SMART</b> Make a timeline of important events in Wilbur's life. You should have 8-10 events. Each event needs an illustration.
<b>SELF SMART</b> Pretend you are Fern and write a diary describing the events in the book from her point of view. Your diary needs at least 5 entries.	<b>NAME:</b>  <b>DUE DATE:</b>	<b>PEOPLE SMART</b> With a partner, choose two characters from the novel. And interview each other. You need to prepare 5 questions for the interview.
<b>BODY SMART</b> Pick 10 vocabulary words from the book. Come up with a "charades" move for each word. You will present your words to the class.	<b>NATURE SMART</b> Create a map of the fairgrounds as they are described in the novel. Use as many details as possible.	<b>MUSIC SMART</b> Write a song about one of the main characters. In the lyrics, include important events the character was a part of. Make up your own beat or use the beat of a popular song.



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# Story Map

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Setting: Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Place: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Characters: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Problem: \_\_\_\_\_

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Event 1 (First): \_\_\_\_\_

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Event 2 (Next): \_\_\_\_\_

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Event 3 (Then): \_\_\_\_\_

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Event 4 (After that): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Event 5 (Finally): \_\_\_\_\_

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Solution: \_\_\_\_\_

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