

Monthly Record for:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday

Weekly Minutes _____

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Monthly Total _____

Please record daily reading in minutes (up to a limit of 60 minutes per day). Write the number of minutes, and have an adult initial in each square of the calendar. Total all reading time that has been recorded. You can add across each week and down for the monthly total. Return this log on the last school day of each month with an adult's signature. We will keep track of and reward individual and class progress. Have fun!

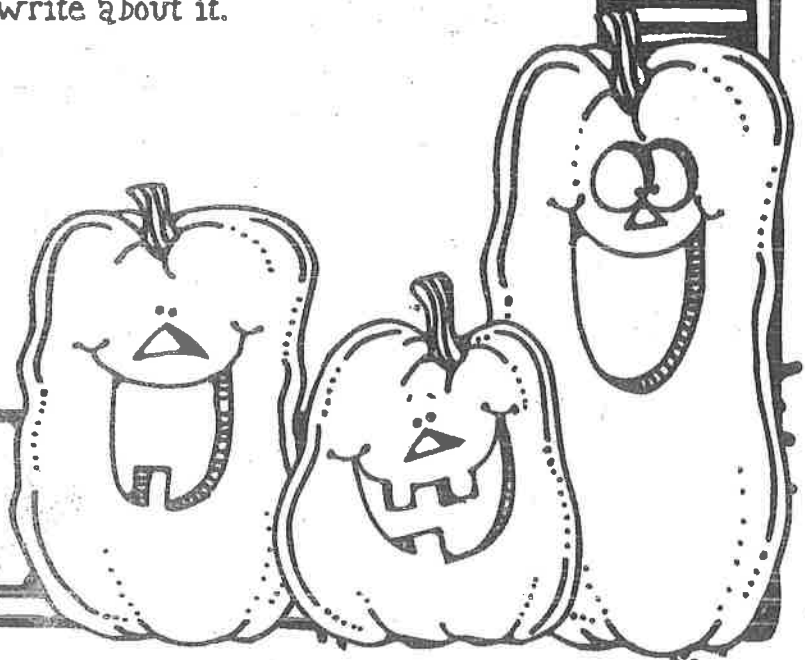
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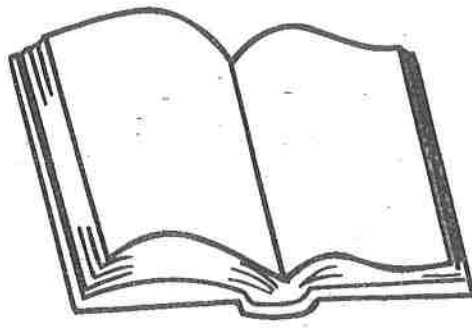
(I have checked the math for this month!)

October Book Report

Attached is your child's book report assignment for October. Please help your son/daughter select a book that interests him/her and that is at an appropriate reading level. Next, after reading the book, please help your child fill out the attached book report form (neatly and in complete sentences) entitled, "Scrolling Through the Story." On the second sheet entitled, "A Special Place," your child needs to draw a picture of one important place in the book and then write about it.

Thank you
so much for your
continued support!





Hello Parents and Students!

A book report is due

Thurs., Oct. 26

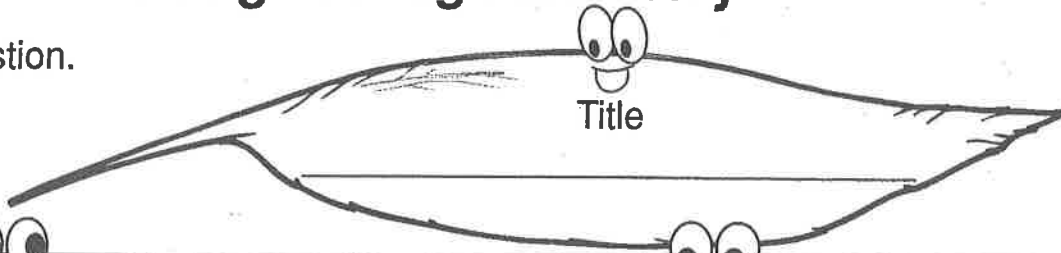
The book report form is attached.


Please help your child select an appropriate book that is at a comfortable reading level for him/her. Use complete sentences and your neatest printing. Be sure to turn in the report on time. Thank you!





Scrolling Through the Story


Answer each question.



Title


 When does the story take place?

 Where does the story take place?

 Who are the story's main characters?

 What did you learn about the main character?

 What is the main problem in the story?

 How is the problem solved?

Name _____ Skill: Book report

A Special Place

Title _____

Author _____

Draw and color a picture showing one important place in the book.



Write four words to describe this place.

Write about something that happened in the story at this place.

1. Halloween

by Frances Frost

The moon is round as a jack-o'-lantern;
The trees blow back and bare;
And we go creeping with spooky giggles
Through the chill ghostly air.

Whose shadow is that on the haunted ground?
Who's hiding behind that tree?
Oh, down the tree runs my bad black kitten,
And the shadow is only me!

2. The Goblin

by Rose Fyleman

A goblin lives in our house, in our house, in our house,
A goblin lives in our house all the year round.

He bumps

And he jumps

And he thumps

And he stumps

He knocks

And he rocks

And he rattles at the locks.

A goblin lives in our house, in our house, in our house,

A goblin lives in our house all the year round.

3. It's Halloween

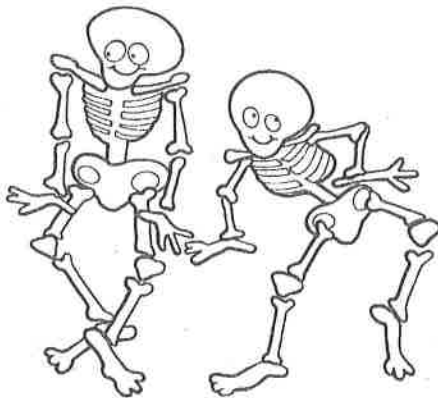
by Jack Prelutsky

It's Halloween! It's Halloween!
The moon is full and bright
And we shall see what can't be seen
On any other night:

Skeletons and ghosts and ghouls,
Grinning goblins fighting duels,
Werewolves rising from their tombs,
Witches on their magic brooms.

In masks and gowns
we haunt the street
And knock on doors
for trick or treat.

Tonight we are
the king and queen,
For oh tonight
it's Halloween!



4. Hallowe'en

by Harry Behn

Tonight is the night
When dead leaves fly
Like witches on switches
Across the sky,
When elf and sprite
Flit through the night
On a moony sheen.

Tonight is the night
When leaves make a sound
Like a gnome in his home
Under the ground,
When spooks and trolls
Creep out of holes
Mossy and green.

5. Black and Gold

by Nancy Byrd Turner

Everything is black and gold,
Black and gold, tonight:
Yellow pumpkins, yellow moon,
Yellow candlelight;

Jet-black cat with golden eyes,
Shadows black as ink,
Firelight blinking in the dark
With a yellow blink.

6. Skeleton Parade

by Jack Prelutsky

The skeletons are out tonight,
They march about the street
With bony bodies, bony heads
And bony hands and feet.

Bony bony bony bones
With nothing in between,
Up and down and all around
They march on Halloween.

7. Dinosaurs
by Valerie Worth

Dinosaurs
Do not count,
Because
They are all
Dead:

None of us
Saw them, dogs
Do not even
Know that
They were there-

But they
Still walk
About heavily
In everybody's
Head.

8. Who Has Seen The Wind?
By Christina Georgina Rossetti

Who has seen the wind?
Neither I nor you:
But when the leaves hang trembling,
The wind is passing through.

Who has seen the wind?
Neither you nor I:
But when the trees bow down their heads,
The wind is passing by.

9. Skyscrapers

Do skyscrapers ever grow tired
Of holding themselves up high?
Do they ever shiver on frosty nights
With their tops against the sky?
Do they feel lonely sometimes,
Because they have grown so tall?
Do they ever wish they could lie right down
And never get up at all?

10. The Dinosaur
by Leland Jacobs

The dinosaur, the dinosaur
Walked the earth in days of yore.
It's good he had such open spaces
Instead of narrow city places.
And think of those poor dinosaurs
Trying to shop in grocery stores.
For dinosaurs 'twould be a pity
To have to live in any city.

