**January Book Report**

**“Case File” Book Report**

**Genre:**Mystery - Mystery is a genreof literature (fiction)comprising works that deal with solving a puzzling crime.

**Learning Objectives:**

* 1.W.1: I can write about a topic or a book and tell how I feel about it.
* 1.RL.2: I can retell stories with understanding.
* 1.RL.10: I can read prose and poetry.
* 1.RF.4: I can read with fluency, accuracy, purpose, and understanding.

**“Case File” Book Report Instructions**

1. This month’s genre is **mystery**. Students must choose a book of this genre from the approved classic reading list (or a medal award winner). If there is a book that your child would like to read that is not on this list, email me for approval.
2. Complete a Case File Book Report (see attachment) that represents the book that was read. Please follow the attached instructions carefully. Points will be deducted for book reports that do not follow these instructions (see Rubric).
3. Fill in all of the information. Be sure to write neatly.
   1. Write the reporting detective (student name), title, author, and main character in the spaces provided.
   2. Write three clues used to help solve the mystery of the book.
4. This book report is due on: **Friday, January31st**. Points will be deducted for book reports turned in after the due date.

**Approved Mystery Books**

Please use this list to supplement the approved classic reading list.

**January Book Report Rubric**

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| \_\_\_\_\_/10 | Genre: Mystery (see #1) |
| \_\_\_\_\_/10 | Case FileRepresents the Book (see #2) |
| \_\_\_\_\_/10 | InformationCompleted in Accordance with Instructions (see #3) |
| \_\_\_\_\_/10 | Information Written Neatly |
| \_\_\_\_\_/10 | Turned In On, or Before, the Due Date (see #4) |
| \_\_\_\_\_/50 | |