

FIFTH GRADE



PACKET

**FOR GRADE 4 STUDENTS ENTERING
GRADE 5 IN SEPTEMBER**

**ALL ASSIGNMENTS IN THIS PACKET ARE DUE BACK IN SCHOOL BY
SEPTEMBER 5, 2014, NO EXCEPTIONS! THESE ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE
COUNTED IN THE FIRST MARKING PERIOD LANGUAGE ARTS GRADE.**

ASSIGNMENT #1

All students will be required to read: Dear Mr. Henshaw by Beverly Cleary

There will be a reading comprehension quiz the first week of school on this book.

WRITING ASSIGNMENT

Students will make a 10 page book by answering the questions that Mr. Henshaw gave to Leigh in the book. The pages may be written in cursive or printed from the computer (12 font) and glued to the page. There should be one question/answer per page. Write the question and then skip a line and answer it. Each answer should be a minimum of 3-4 sentences. Then draw and color a picture that goes with your answer. You can use crayons, markers, or colored pencils. How you arrange the page is up to you, be creative!

There should be a cover page that reads:

My Answers to Mr. Henshaw

By: Your Name

Make the cover look attractive. You can add pictures, etc. to make it your own.

Here are the questions that you will use in your book. Please answer them in this order:

- Who are you?
- What do you look like?
- What is your family like?
- Where do you live?
- Do you have any pets?
- Do you like school?
- Who are your friends?
- Who is your favorite teacher?
- What bothers you?
- What do you wish?

ASSIGNMENT #2

All students will be required to read one Louis Sachar novel from the list below.

Make sure you bring a copy of the book you've read to school by September 5, 2014.

Dogs Don't Tell Jokes

Someday Angeline

Johnny's in the Basement

There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom

The Boy Who Lost His Face