

Book Report: "Orange Characters"

For our first book report/project of the year we will be doing a character report. The report will be on a book that is a narrative with a very strong/solid main character. You may choose your own book, **but you must have it approved by your teacher before you begin.** After you finish reading your book, think about the main character. Your assignment is to write **1 TYPED** paragraph describing your character (paragraph should be at least 5 complete sentences). Make sure to include a lot of details and examples about your character's appearance and personality.

Then, you will decorate a real, *baby* pumpkin to look like the main character in your book! (Please do not bring in a regular or large-sized pumpkin.) Be creative! You can use any materials you wish to make your pumpkin look like your character (paint, yarn, craft materials, etc.).

On the day your project is due, you will share your pumpkin character with the class. In addition to your pumpkin and paragraph, you will also need to answer the questions on the next page. You will have more than 3 weeks to complete this report. **Any time spent on this project counts toward your daily 20 minutes of reading.** Also, please do not turn in your pumpkin and writing assignment before the due date. Please let me know if you have trouble acquiring the necessary materials for this project, or if you have any questions!

Have fun!

My signature indicates that I have reviewed the information about the **term 1 book report (due Monday, Oct. 24th)** with my child.

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____

Book choice: _____

Please return this bottom portion to your teacher by Monday, September 26th ☺

Book Choice Due: September 26th

Report Due: October 24th

Name: _____

Title of Book: _____

Main character's name: _____

Three adjectives that describe your main character: _____,
_____, _____.

Would I recommend this book to a friend? Yes or No. Why?

Cut and paste your TYPED paragraph describing your character here—