

## Molin Summer Reading List 2018

### Required 4th

**Frindle** by Andrew Clements

(See written assignment below)

### **Suggested reads for 4th grade**

#### **Choose one:**

Andrew Clements titles

Roald Dahl titles

Judy Blume titles

Waggit's Tale, Waggit Again, Waggit Forever by Peter Howe

Dragonbreath series by Ursula Vernon

Humphrey series by Betty Birney

Alvin Ho series by Lenore Look

#### **New Suggested 4th:**

Who Was, Where Is, What is series?

### Frindle

By Andrew Clements

### Story Elements

Knowing story elements is helpful to readers and writers.

Good writers use these elements in their work.

**Characters:** The characters are the people, animals or things the story is about.

**Setting:** The setting is the time and place in which the story happened.

**Plot:** The plot consists of the various events and happenings in the story.

**Conflict:** The conflict is what the main character goes through (the problem or the struggle).

**Message:** The message is the life lesson or nugget learned from the story.

Identify the story elements in Frindle.

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

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Setting: \_\_\_\_\_

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Plot: \_\_\_\_\_

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Conflict: \_\_\_\_\_

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Message: \_\_\_\_\_

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