

2) Novel Box or Bag

While reading the book, the student will find and decorate a bag or box. The decorations should match up with scenes, symbols, characters or ideas from the book. Students then work on placing different items in the novel box or bag. These should include:

Ten Questions on the Book – Some questions can be comprehension facts about the book. Other questions need to make the reader think more.

Vocabulary – Create a ten word glossary as you read the story. You can put this in a notebook or on note cards. These words should be challenging and require you to look them up in a dictionary.

Objects – Find ten things that connect to the story. Tell us why you put them in the bag and how they connect to the story.

The challenging aspect of this book report is making sure you talk about the characters, setting, problem, solution and theme at some point.