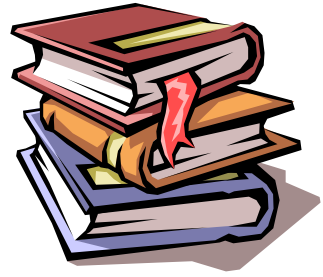


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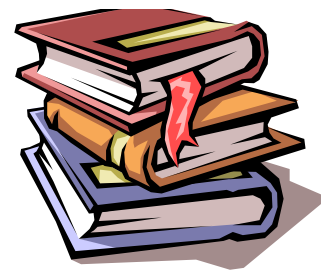
The goal of this project is to read a non-fiction book and then communicate to the class what you learned from reading the book. You will need to read a non-fiction book that is at least 60 pages in length. The book may be about a place, a hobby, an invention, animal, or other topic. It may not be a biography.

After reading the book you will create your own book similar to *Animal Fact/Animal Fable* by Seymour Simon, which we read in class. Your book needs to include:

- A cover page with a title and your name. Also include title and author of the book read.  
(*Butterfly Fact/ Butterfly Fable* by Mrs. Steiger based on Butterflies by John Doe)
- A statement (fact or fable) about your topic on the first page.  
(Butterflies migrate like birds.)
- On the back of the first page, or the front of the second page explain why the statement is a fact or a fable. Write at least three sentences.  
(Fact: Butterflies do migrate. They usually migrate from the place they were born to a new place. They may migrate to avoid overpopulation, because their home was destroyed, or because the weather is changing. Monarch butterflies come to California from the eastern part of the United States to avoid cold weather in the winter.)
- On the next page then you would write a new statement. The reader should have to turn the page to discover whether the statement is a fact or a fable. You need to include at least 5 statements in your book.
- Each page should have a picture on it. Your picture may be drawn by hand, found on the computer, etc.
- The book needs to be put in a plastic report cover. We will display these books in our class library for other students to read and learn.

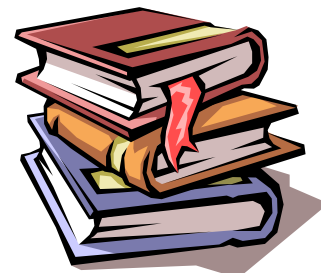
Due: Wednesday, January 13, 2016

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## Graphic Organizer(optional)

#	Statement	Sentences
Example	Butterflies Migrate like birds. <input type="radio"/> Fact or Fable?	Butterflies do migrate. 1. They usually migrate from the place they were born to a new place. 2. They may migrate to avoid overpopulation, because their home was destroyed, or because the weather is changing. 3. Monarch butterflies come to California from the eastern part of the United States to avoid cold weather in the winter.
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2	Fact or Fable?	
3	Fact or Fable?	
4	Fact or Fable?	
5	Fact or Fable?	