

#KPSLovesReading

We know you love reading...so we have given you a book to take home! Complete these activities during and/or after you have read the book! You don't need to complete them all.....you choose which ones you want to do!

- 1. Postcards** - Write to a friend, the author, or to a character about this book. Write as if you were the character or author and write to yourself.
- 2. Mapmaker** - Draw a map of the book's setting.
- 3. Moviemaker** - Write a one page "pitch" to a producer explaining why the story would or would not make a great movie.
- 4. Trailer** - Movie previews always offer a quick sequence of the best moments that make us want to watch it - storyboard or narrate the scenes for your trailer.
- 5. Dig deeper on the Web** - Prior to, while, or after reading the book, research the book, its author, or its subject online.
- 6. Draw!** - Translate chapters into storyboards and cartoons; draw the most important scene in the chapter and explain its importance and action.
- 7. Fictional friends** - Who of all the characters would you want for a friend? Why? What would you do or talk about together?
- 8. Dear Diary** - Keep a diary as if you were a character in the story. Write down events that happen during the story and reflect on how they affected the character and why.
- 9. Time machine** - Instead of traveling into the book, write a scene or story in which the character(s) travel out of the book into today.
- 10. Biography** - Write a biography of one of the characters who most interests you.
- 11. Autobiography** - Have the character that most interests you write their autobiography of the time before, during, or after the story occurs.
- 12. P.S.** - After you read the story, write an epilogue in which you explain - using whatever tense and tone the author does - what happened to the character(s) next.
- 13. Sing me a Song** - Write a song/ballad about the story, a character, or an event in the book.
- 14. Quiz** - Create a quiz about the book. Write the questions and answers.

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