To: Parents/Guardians  
From: Ms. Hernandez, Reading Coach/ CRT  
CC: Mr. Hage, Principal  
Re: Mandatory Summer Reading 2018

Hollywood Academy believes in the importance of reading to strengthen fluency, vocabulary, phonics, and comprehension throughout the summer. Therefore, Summer Reading Assignments are once again upon us.

For the 2018-2019 school year, it is mandatory that all students enrolled prior to July 13:

- Read the Required Summer Reading book for his/her entering grade level
- Read a second book of his/her choice at grade level
- Complete book reports for each book
- Book Reports will be collected the first week of school.

Your child has the opportunity to start working on their 2018-2019 Reading Treasures goal over the summer. The goal for each child is to read 50 books over the course of the school year. Your child MUST complete a book report for every book. You can use the Summer Reading Book Reports or the Reading Treasures Book Reports for the grade level your child is entering. You may go online to http://www.hollywoodcharter.org if you need additional copies of both reports.

Have a great summer!
Required Summer Reading 2018-2019

The Tiger Rising
By Kate DiCamillo

Walking through the misty Florida woods one morning, twelve-year-old Rob Horton is stunned to encounter a tiger — a real-life, very large tiger — pacing back and forth in a cage. What's more, on the same extraordinary day, he meets Sistine Bailey, a girl who shows her feelings as readily as Rob hides his. As they learn to trust each other, and ultimately, to be friends, Rob and Sistine prove that some things — like memories, and heartaches, and tigers — can't be locked up forever. (Scholastic.com)
Entering Grade 4

Mandatory Summer Reading Book Report 2017-2018

Name: __________________________________________________________

Names of the Main Characters:
______________________________________________
______________________________________________
______________________________________________

Where does the story take place? (Setting)
______________________________________________
______________________________________________
______________________________________________

When does the story take place? Over the course of the Day? A month? A year? How do you know?
______________________________________________
______________________________________________
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Character Study

Choose two characters to describe by answering the questions below and writing in complete sentences.

Name of Main Character

1. Physical Likeness. (What does the character look like?)
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________

2. Personality. (What kind of a person is the character?)
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
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**Vocabulary**

As you read the story, find three words that you do not understand. Look them up in a dictionary and give the following information.

1. Word: ___________________________ Page Number: __________________
   Definition:
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   Write a sentence using the vocabulary word.
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________

2. Word: ___________________________ Page Number: __________________
   Definition:
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   Write a sentence using the vocabulary word.
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________

3. Word: ___________________________ Page Number: __________________
   Definition:
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   Write a sentence using the vocabulary word.
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
**Your Opinion**

Directions: Answer the following questions using complete sentences.

Did you like the book? Why or why not?
_____________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________

What was your favorite part of the book? Why?
_____________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________

What was your least favorite part of the book? Why?
_____________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________
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Would you recommend this book to someone else to read? Why or why not?
_____________________________________________________________________
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