



The Charleston Catholic School 2022 Summer Reading List Rising Fifth Grade

CCS encourages students to read during the summer months. Reading challenges new vocabulary understanding and usage, exposes students to a variety of authors and styles of writing, and hopefully will enhance student's personal writing.

Incoming fifth graders are required to read a minimum of 2 books over the summer. One book is **required** by all fifth graders. It is *The Hero Two Doors Down* by Sharon Robinson. Students will be given this book as well as a packet of questions to answer. This packet and the book should be returned on the first full day of school. The questions should be answered in complete sentences. They may be written or typed.

Some suggested award winning titles/authors are given below: ** South Carolina Junior Book Award Nominees

Call it Courage (Sperry)

Freaky Friday (Rodgers)

Adam of the Road (Vining)

Island of the Blue Dolphin (O'Dell)

Summer of the Swans (Byars)

The Phantom Tollbooth (Juster)

The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle (Avi)

Bud, Not Buddy (Curtis)

** The Liberation of Gabriel King (Going)

** Soul Surfer (Hamilton)

** Amelia Lost: The Life and Disappearance of Amelia Earhart (Fleming)

** The Apothecary (Meloy)

** Chomp (Hiaasen)

** City of Orphans (Avi)

** The Underdogs (Mike Lupica)

Title of 2nd book: _____

Author: _____

Date completed: _____

Please submit this paper on the first day of class in August.

Parent signature: _____

Student name: _____

The Hero Two Doors Down

Prologue

1. What is one way Stevie is feeling in this chapter? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. What is another way Stevie is feeling in this chapter? Use details to explain your answer.

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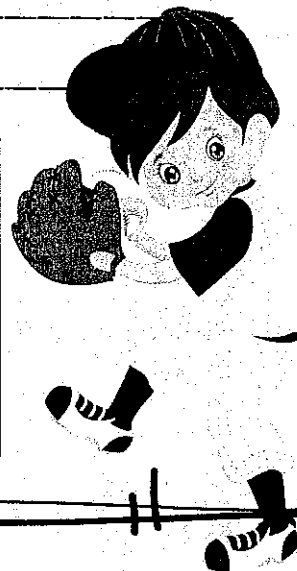
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Chapter #1

1. Why would they have to be worried about Jackie staying in the same hotel as his teammates? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. Do you think Stevie is a good student? Use details to explain your answer.

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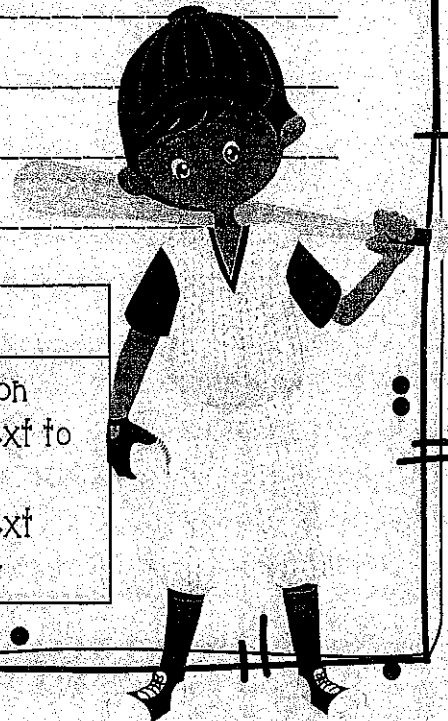
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Chapter #2

1. Do you think Jackie got an appropriate punishment? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. Explain what is going on in Stevie's neighborhood. What do you think about all this? Use details to explain your answer.

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Chapter #3

1. What was dad's good news? Explain why Stephen is so excited about that? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. What are Stephen and Mom getting ready to do at the end of the chapter? How does Stephen feel about it? Use details to explain your answer.

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Chapter #4

1. At the beginning of the chapter explain what Stephen and his family did when the Dodger game was on? How is this different than what we do today? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. What happened at the end of the chapter? How does Stephen feel about this? How would you feel if you were him? Use details from the text to support your answer.



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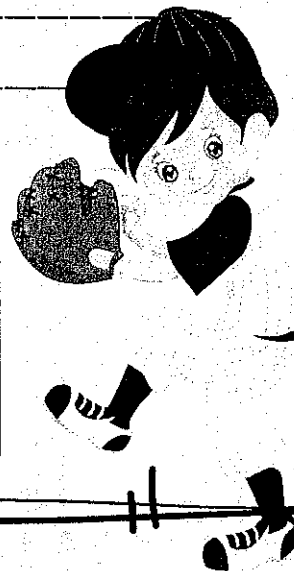
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Chapter #5

1. Do you think Stephen has good parents? Explain using details from the text. Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. What are Stephen and Jackie talking about at dinner? How do you feel about all of that? Use details from the text to support your answer.

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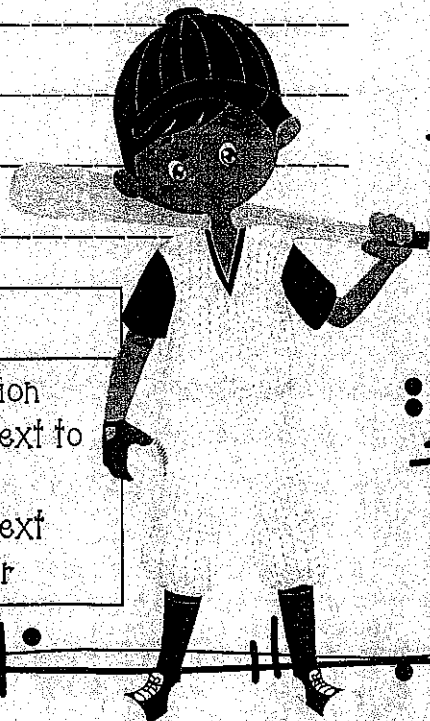
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Chapter #6

1. What was the problem at the beginning of the chapter? Should Steve have done that? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. What is Jackie doing for Steve at the end of the chapter? What does this say about who Jackie is as a person? Use details from the text to support your answer.

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Chapter #7

1. Why did Stephen say this was the best birthday ever? Do you agree? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. Why did Stephen get in trouble again? Do you think it will happen again? Use details from the text to support your answer.

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Chapter #8

1. What will Stephen and his cousin's mitzvah be? Do you think that is a good idea? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. How does Stephen feel about doing this mitzvah? Use details from the text to support your answer.



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Chapter #9

1. What did Stephen and Sena do for fun in the snow? Would you like to join them? Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. Explain why Stephen says he has never seen a tree inside a house before. Use details from the text to support your answer.

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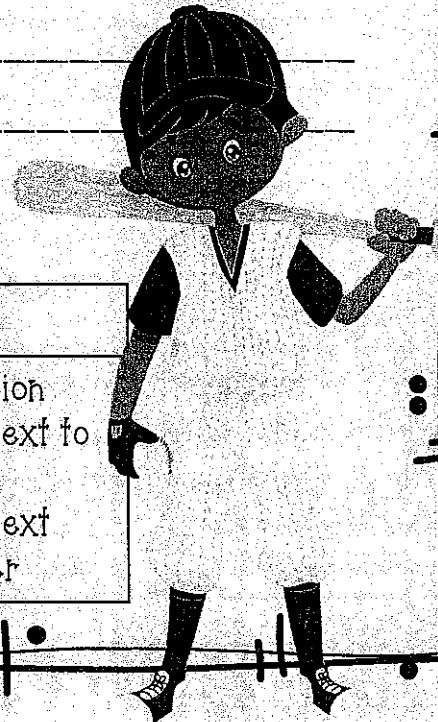


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Chapter #10

1. Explain why the Robinson's gift to Stephen was awkward at first. Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. How did the first day of Hanukkah go? Use details from the text to support your answer.



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Epilogue and Afterward

1. Why does Steve go to see Jackie? Does it help him? Explain how it does or does not help him. Use details from the text to support your answer.

2. How did reading this book make you feel? Do you want to go do good in the world? Use details from the text to support your answer.

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