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REGIONAL SCHOOLS
SUMMER READING
GRADES K-5
What is a Booktalk?
A Booktalk is an informal oral recommendation about a book that you really enjoyed reading. Booktalks usually take two to three minutes at the most, and are unscripted, (although you should think about what you are going to say ahead of time).

What should I do?
   [Book Recommendation List]

2. Begin to think about why you like your book and what you’d tell your friends about the book you’ve read.
BOOKTALK EXAMPLES

- Booktalk Playlist
- Booktalk Example: Wonder
- Booktalk Example/Magic Tree House
Students Entering Grade 1 and Grade 2.
Use the following chart to organize your thoughts and ideas.

Booktalk Planning Tool
Booktalk Anchor Chart

Students Entering Grades 3, 4, and 5.
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Recording Your Booktalk

- Choose an area to record your video. Be sure we can see you clearly.

- Record your video using your computer or a cell phone.
Grading/Submitting Booktalks

Grading Rubric: Students Entering Grades 1 and 2.

Booktalk Grade Rubric

Grading Rubric: Students Entering Grades 3, 4 and 5.

Booktalk Grading Rubric

Submitting Your Booktalk!

- Record your booktalk.

- Email to your teacher for September once you find out who your new teacher is!