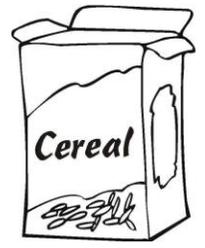


# Cereal Box Book Report

- Due Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>



This month's book report is to create a Cereal Box Book Report. You will need to cover and decorate a real cereal box with illustrations, information, and other interesting facts about your teacher-approved book.

Think about what you will name your cereal. Choose a name that sounds enticing and that relates to the story in some way. Then, choose a shape for the cereal, as well as, colors and ingredients that also relate to the book. For example, for Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone, you might invent a cereal called *Wizard Wands*, a toasted oat cereal in the shape of miniature lightning bolts.

Cover an empty cereal box with paper. The next step is to make a rough draft or practice copy of your cover, written information, sketches, and drawings before moving to your final copy on the cereal box. You don't have to draw on the cereal box, you could use paper and then glue them onto the box.

## Parts of Your Cereal Box Report:

### **Front of the box:**

Write the name of your cereal and draw a picture to go with it. You might draw characters or other pictures from the book to help sell your product. Make your cereal box neat, appealing, and fun! Look at actual cereal boxes for ideas.

### **Back of the box:**

Design a game based on your story. It can be a puzzle, word game, or any other fun activity that might be found on the back of a cereal box. Make sure it includes information from the book.

### **Top of the box:**

Write the title, author, and number of pages. Please remember to rate your book and include reasons why it should get that number of stars. Your ratings explanation needs to have correct punctuation, spelling, and grammar.

### **Left Side:**

Write a summary of your book. Describe important events, the main problem and the resolution, the solution, of the book. Try to use words that will "grab" readers' attention and make them want to buy your cereal. You can use the attached template or do this your own way. You need to have correct punctuation, spelling, and grammar.

### **Ride Side:**

Under the heading "Ingredients", list the main characters and write a sentence about each one. Then describe the setting.

### **Prize:**

Cereal boxes often include a prize. Your prize must be something the main character could have used in the book or something that reminds you of the main character. Include a picture of the prize on the front of your box and tell the reader how it connects to the main character.

**Commercial:** A 1 to 2 minute commercial for you to "sell us" your cereal. Examples are at this site: Check our class website for a link to some example commercials

# Cereal Box Book Report – Templates

(You must have these sections on your cereal box, but you don't have to use these templates.)

**Left Side of Box:** Cut out this box and place in on the left side of your cereal box.

Write a summary that describes the main problem and how the problem was solved. Try to use words that will “grab” the readers’ attention and make them want to buy your cereal.

<p><b>Summary of Book:</b> _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
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**Top of Box:** Cut out this box and place in on the top of your cereal box.

<p><b>Title of Book:</b> _____ <b># of Pages:</b> _____</p> <p><b>Author:</b> _____</p> <p><b>Rating:</b>  _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
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