

June 17, 2020

Dear Rising Seventh Graders,

You did such a great job with last summer's projects that I'm excited to see what you come up with this time,

The first book - the one of your choice - has no assignment attached. I want you to read for your pleasure. Just email me a list of the book(s) you read with a sentence or two telling me why you chose it and whether or not you would recommend it.

For your second book, I am assigning *Escape From Mr. Lemoncello's Library*. For your project, choose **one** of the following (or a combination) and be creative.

- 1: Imagine you are living the story and keep a journal as you read. What would it be like to be trapped in a library for a game? Your journal could be a diary, an art journal, a "graphic diary" (sort of like a comic-book diary), or something else you think of.
- 2: Write a book review that could be posted on an online review site (like Goodreads) recommending this book (or not). Note: This is not a summary of the book; it gives your opinion of the book and the reasons you do or do not recommend it.
- 3: Create your own game - one that Mr. Lemoncello might want to buy! You can make it a board game or a video one.
- 4: Create a social media campaign to share one of the character's story with the world. You could tweet your adventures, share "photos" on Instagram, or make a Snapchat story as they try to solve the puzzles.
- 5: Write a letter to one of the characters or the author. Share your reactions.
- 6: Create your own book trailer or do a video book review.
7. Research one of the topics in the book and share what you learned via digital media or a written report.
- 8: If you have some other idea, feel free to email me and check it out.

I've really enjoyed working with you this year, even this last part online, and I look forward to a great year to come.

Have a terrific summer!

Mrs. Curry