



Sign of the Beaver Choice Board



p* You may choose any of the projects (independent or Group.) Your project will be due on June 3rd. You can take a picture and send it to me for completion. We will also have a ZOOM meeting on June 4th at 11:00am to share the projects with each other if you choose. The invite will be sent to your group email in your school account. Have fun with these. If you have something else in mind for a final project, just send me an email to check with me before you start. I want you to enjoy the project!

Independent Projects

R: Matt
A: Family
F: Written letter left at the cabin
T: You decide not to wait for your family to return and you **accept Atteans' and Saknis's offer** to join the Beaver Tribe. Leave a letter at the cabin explaining all the **reasons why** you decided to join the Beaver Tribe and anything else you want to tell your family if they find your letter (at least 1 page, size 14 pt. font).

R: Attean or Saknis
A: Matt
F: Persuasive letter
T: Try to **convince Matt** using good reasoning **WHY** he should come with you and your tribe and not stay at the cabin over the winter (at least 1 page, size 14 pt. font).

R: Attean or Matt
A: Matt or Attean
F: Postcard
T: Ask each other at least 10 worthwhile (and character-appropriate) **questions**, as well as **describe** what is going on in your lives now. **Illustrate** the front of your postcard with scenery from your location (at least 1 page, size 14 pt. font).

R: Elizabeth George Speare
A: Readers of Sign of the Beaver
F: Rewrite ch.22 of Sign of the Beaver
T: As the **author** of the novel, Elizabeth George Speare, you have decided you want to **rewrite ch.22** in your novel to change it to **Matt leaving to go with the Beaver Tribe**. Rewrite this chapter using good details and descriptions (at least 1 page, size 14 pt. font).

R: Any major character from the book
A: Readers of the diary entries
F: **At least 2 diary entries and no more than 4 entries**
T: Write (at least 1 page total, size 14 pt. font) diary entries about important events that happened to this character. Make sure to really pay attention in your

Group Projects

R: You and your partner will be **Matt and Attean**
A: Anyone
F: Each **packing your own overnight bag**
T: Matt has been invited back to the **Beaver Tribe village to stay overnight** and needs to fill his overnight bag with at least 10 important (and character-appropriate) **items** and write a brief explanation **WHY** he packed each item. The next week, Matt invites Attean to **stay overnight at his cabin** and so Attean needs to fill his overnight bag with at least 10 important (and character-appropriate) **items** and write a brief explanation **WHY** he packed each item.

R: You and your partner will choose to be either **illustrators or actors**
A: Readers of a new comic book/graphic novel
F: **Comic Strip/ Graphic Novel** for "Sign of the Beaver"
T: You and a buddy will either be creating a comic strip (drawn by hand or printed off pictures) or graphic novel (using actual photographs of you and your buddy as the characters). Choose **1 major event** from the novel and turn it into a comic strip or graphic novel with at least 6 frames in it.

R: You and your partner are **designers**
A: People wishing to purchase Sign of the Beaver merchandise
F: **6 Trading Cards**
T: On the front, draw a **picture of the character** and write their name. On the back, provide a **description** of their personality, appearance, plus some fun facts such as their favorite food, special skills, fears, pet peeves, most embarrassing moment, or other appropriate ideas.

R: One of you will be a **major character** from the novel and one will be a **newspaper reporter**.
A: Newspaper reader
F: **Interview**
T: The reporter will **interview** the character, asking them at least 10 worthwhile, important, and interesting questions (using the 5 W's) about themselves. The responding person will give at least 10 worthwhile, important, and interesting answers. Have someone **videotape** you and your buddy when you feel ready to present on camera.

R: You and your partner are **board game designers**
A: People wishing to purchase "Sign of The Beaver" merchandise
F: **Board game**
T: Create a board game for "Summer of the Monkeys" with **at least 30 total game squares**. Of those 30, **at least 20 squares (or cards)** need to be **questions about the book**