

Third Graders Entering Fourth Grade  
2021-2022

Dear Almost Fourth Graders,

Congratulations on completing another great year at St. Francis of Assisi! It is finally time to relax, spend time with family, and enjoy many books this summer! For students entering the 4th Grade, they will be required to read one class book and two more books of their choosing. The grand total for this summer is three books, but I encourage you to read more than that!

All students will be completing a book report using the following pages for two of the books you have read. The two book reports can be on any of the three books that you have read from the list below. During the first week of school, we will be doing activities with our summer reading books - especially paying close attention to our required reading, *The Lemonade Wars*.

I hope you are quite excited for 4th grade! I know I am looking forward to teaching you next year!

I will see you very soon,

The 4th Grade Teacher

**\*\*Required Summer Reading Book:**

*The Lemonade Wars* by Jaqueline Davis

**\*\*Choice Book Selection (Please read TWO)**

*Brave Like My Brother* by Marc Tyler Nobleman

*The Chestertons and the Golden Key* by Nancy Carpentier Brown

*Counting Thyme* by Melania Conklin

*Flashback Four #1: The Lincoln Project* by Dan Gutman

*Gone Crazy in Alabama* by Rita William-Garcia

*I Survived the American Revolution, 1776* by Lauren Tarshis

*Katerina's Wish* by Jeannie Mobley

*Lincoln and Kennedy: A Pair to Compare* by Gene Barretta

*Martin de Porres: The Rose in the Desert* by Gary D. Schmidt

*Pieces and Players* by Blue Balliett

*Raffie on the Run* by Jacqueline Resnick

*Wish Girl* by Nikki Loftin



TITLE:

DRAW A PICTURE FROM THE BOOK

AUTHOR:

YOUR NAME:

ILLUSTRATOR:

# BOOK FACTS

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHOR: \_\_\_\_\_

ILLUSTRATOR: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF CHAPTERS: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF PAGES: \_\_\_\_\_

FICTION OR NONFICTION: \_\_\_\_\_

WHEN DID YOU START THIS BOOK? \_\_\_\_\_

WHEN DID YOU FINISH IT? \_\_\_\_\_

OVERALL GRADE FOR THIS BOOK:

A

B

C

D

F

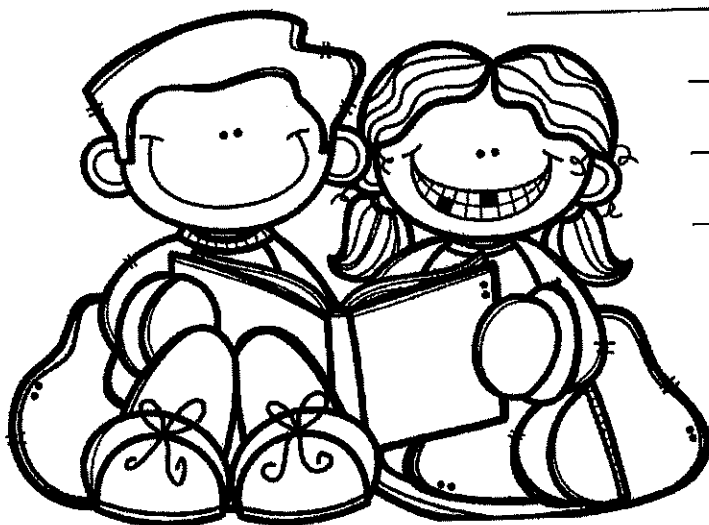
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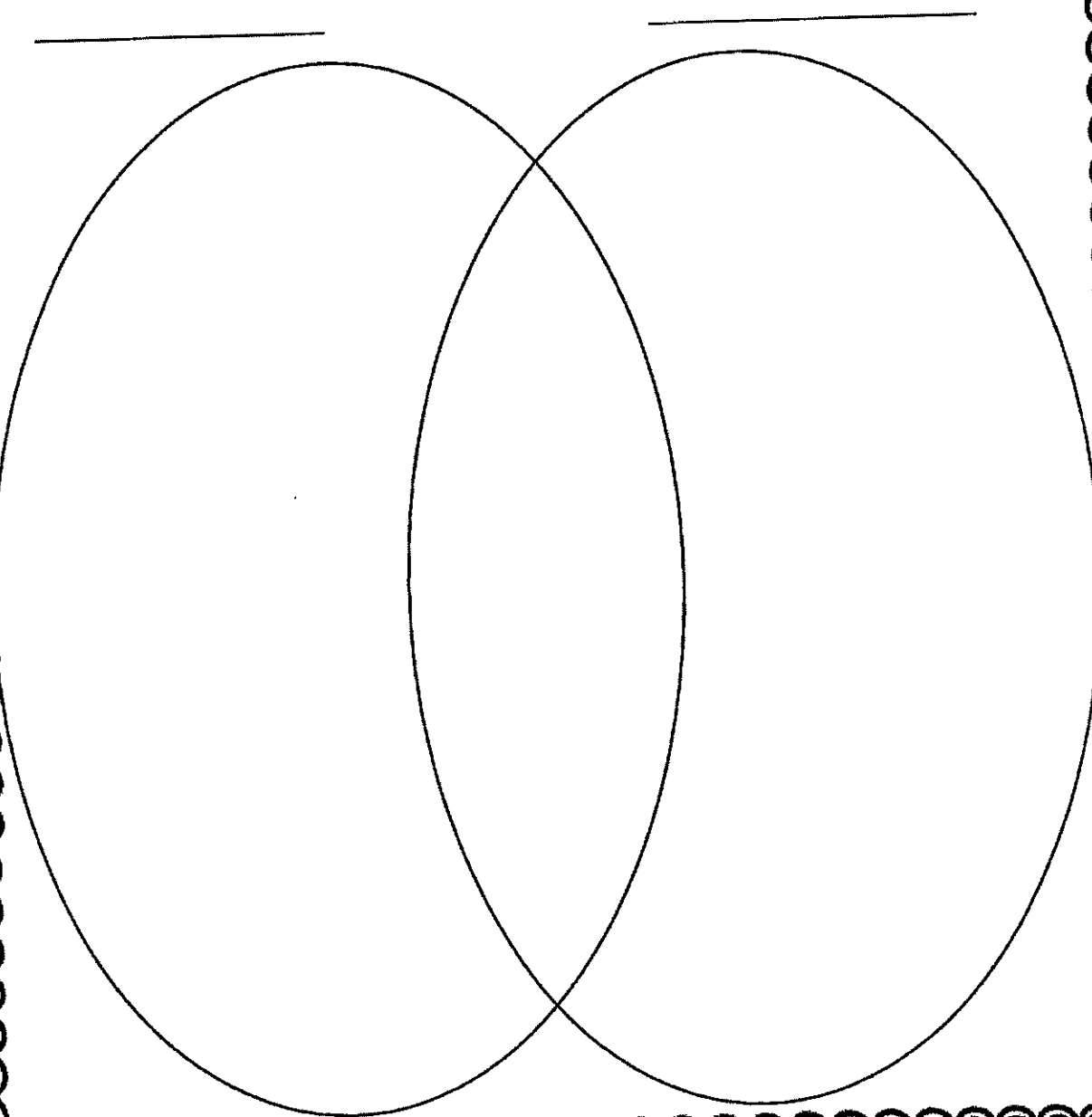
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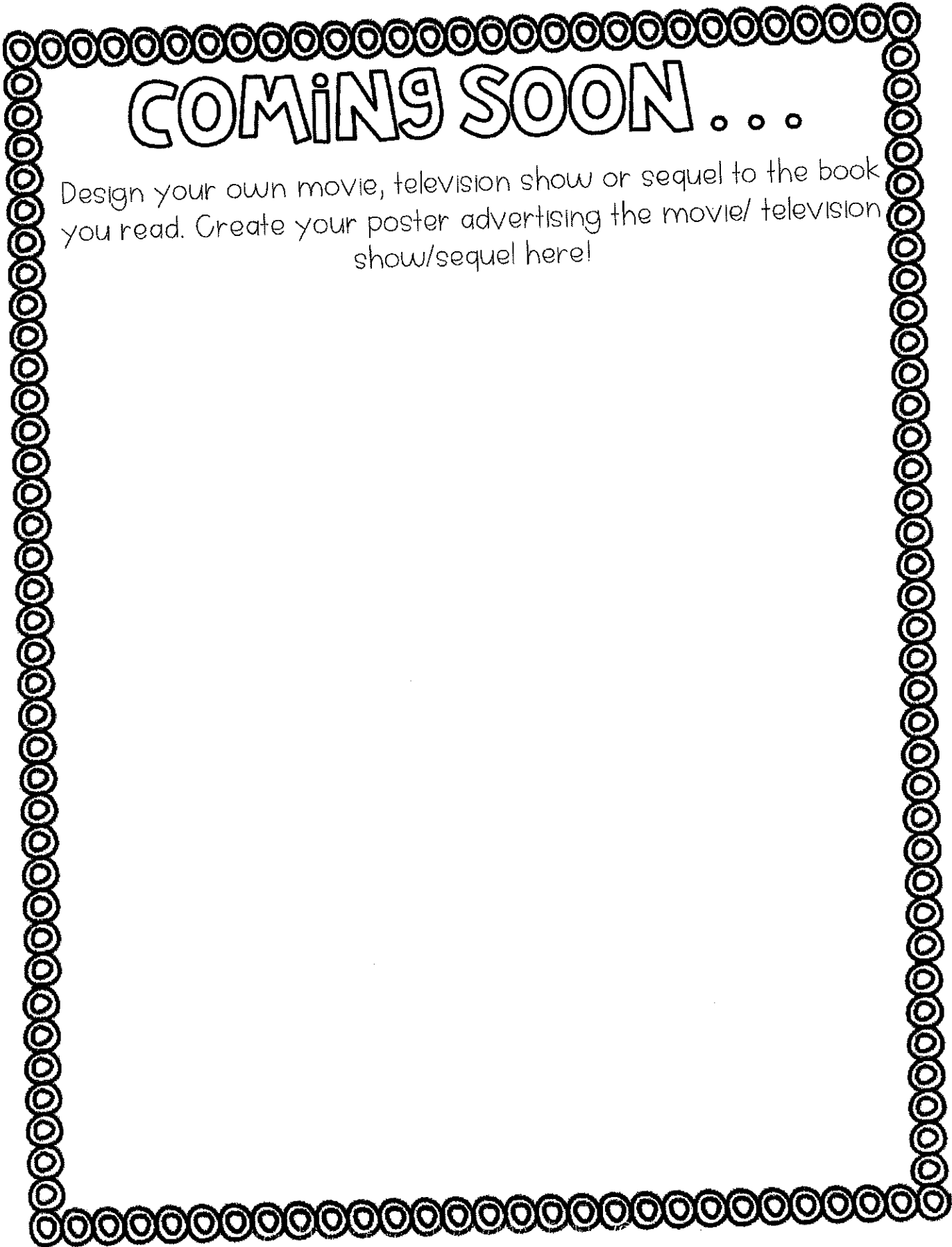
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# COMPARE & CONTRAST

CHOOSE TWO PEOPLE, TWO EVENTS OR TWO THINGS TO COMPARE AND CONTRAST FROM THE STORY YOU READ. COMPLETE THE VENN DIAGRAM WITH THREE WAYS THEY ARE DIFFERENT AND THREE WAYS THEY ARE ALIKE.







# COMING SOON...

Design your own movie, television show or sequel to the book you read. Create your poster advertising the movie/ television show/sequel here!

Summer Reading Rubric

<b>Title</b>	<b>Component</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Somewhat</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Superb!</b>
Cover Page	Includes the title, author, illustrator, their name, and a creative, colorful cover page.	0	1	2	3
Book Facts	All corresponding books facts have been completed accurately.	0	1	2	3
Compare & Contrast	Two major characters, events, or parts of the story are compared to show similarities and contrasted to show differences.	0	1	2	3
Summary	Student wrote 3-5 sentences to summarize their story.	0	1	2	3
Coming Soon...	Student designed their own poster for the sequel, television, or movie advertisement.	0	1	2	3
Handwriting & Coloring	Student used their best handwriting and colored in all of their drawings.	0	1	2	3

Total Possible Points: 18

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_