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Due: November 1, 2019

October

This month, you must READ four chapter books and one informational book or article (should have something to do with one of your mysteries or is a real life mystery itself). Choose at least two mystery titles. Look for novels in which a **detective** (either professional or amateur) investigates and **solves a crime mystery**, the **police** solve a crime, a **medical or legal crime is solved**, or a **thief is foiled by a crazy detective**. Not sure if a book has a mystery theme? Go to arbookfind.com and look up your title to find the topic-subtopic. Each should be at an appropriate level for you. Write the title of the book you read and the author in the box. If you read more than four, keep track of those, too!

RL 5.9: Compare and contrast texts in the same genre (e.g., mysteries and adventure stories) on their approaches to similar themes and topics.

Mystery

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Characters must travel in order to solve mystery	Mystery solved by a boy	Graphic Novel	Free Choice (any genre)
Written by an Author You've Never Read Before	Award Winner	Author's last name begins with a T.	An Author Whose Last Name Begins With V.
Mystery solved by a girl	Mystery involves a lot of money	Character kept a journal or log	Setting takes place inside America
Informational Text: Real life mystery or an informational book about something in one of your stories.	Kid saves adult	Someone is kidnapped	Duo solves mystery

Parent Signature