## BOOK PROJECTS

## Choose one activity for your book project

Write and illustrate a child's version of your book. What elements of the story will you leave out? How will you simplify the story? Be sure to decide in advance what age you are writing for.	<ol> <li>Character Analysis</li> <li>Setting description</li> </ol>	Create/Draw/Write a comic book version of your book. Be sure it includes dialog/thought bubbles and colorful illustrations.
You are planning a party with a theme based on your novel. Explain what the theme is and which characters you will invite. Be sure to explain why and how this theme relates to the book.  Complete each of the following tasks:  a) Design an invitation to the party which would appeal to all of the characters.  b) Tell what each would wear to the party.  c) Tell what foods you would serve and why.  d) Tell what games or entertainment you will provide and why your choices are appropriate.	Find the top 10 web sites a character in your book would most frequently visit. Include 2-3 sentences for each on why your character likes each of the sites.	Design a newspaper based on the events of the book. Use Publisher to format the newspaper Articles include:  Summarize the book  Analyze the main character(s)  Write a book review  Include advertisements that relate to the book  EXTRAS: comic strip, weather report, sports etc.
Create/Design a board game using problems from the book as ways to get ahead or to be put back. Your game must include the following:  1. a game board 2. a rule sheet 3. clear directions, 4. events and characters from the story.	Convert a book to a radio drama. Put it on cassette tape with sound effects and different voices etc.	Make an illustrated time line of all the events in the book.

Ask for further information if you need it!

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