

TIPS FOR PREPARING FOR THE BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

1. Remember each person on the team needs to read at least four books.
2. Use the log in your folder to record the books you have read. Show this folder to Mrs. Etter each time you come to the library.
3. You may read “battle” books from your classroom, from Scenic Regional Library, or from your own home library.
4. Be sure that your team is prepared. Have all titles been read by your team?
5. To help you remember details about each book that you read, it is a good idea to use the summary page or questions pages available in the library. These will help you review the books as we get closer to the contest. Questions in the contest will be difficult.
6. You may come to the library on Battle of the Books practice days from 7:20 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. for your team to share/review books you have read or simply to read “battle” books. Practice dates will be announced and will be posted outside the library.
7. You may take an AR quiz as you finish reading a book.
8. Even if it the book isn't in your AR level, taking an AR test is a good way to test how well you remember the book plus earn some points to help reach your AR goal. If one of the selections is above your level, you may opt to have the quiz read to you. If one of the selections is below your level, please see Mrs. Etter to take a practice quiz that will not count toward you AR scores.