



Whitmore Bolles Elementary School

Battle of the Books Permission Slip & Commitment Form Winter 2016

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS INFORMATION

WHAT: Battle of the Books is something new. This activity will be open to students in grades 3-5. The students will meet once a week and read books. The children's participation in the reading of the books will end in a friendly competition between teams of students to test their knowledge of the books. The team that answers the most questions correct will win the competition. The competition will be in a game style format.

WHERE: Mrs. Philpott's Room 209

START DATE: Tuesday- February 16, 2016

TIME: 7:30 a.m.

TEAM PRACTICES

- Tuesdays 7:30a.m. – 8:30 a.m. (February 16 – April 29)

TEAM COST

- The cost is \$25. Battle of the Books is open to any third thru fifth grade student. Payment should be made by check. Please make checks payable to *Whitmore Bolles Elementary* and turn them in to Ms. Shannon in the office. **All Battle of the Books payments and permission slips need to be submitted at practice on February 16th.** Please know the team fee should not exclude anyone who wishes to participate in Battle of the Books. If payment is a problem please contact Mrs. Philpott immediately.

STUDENT COMMITMENT:

I will work hard, show respect to my teammates, and strive to help my team grow. I also understand that my school work comes first and completion of all homework and class assignments is the number one priority.

Student's Name

Student's Signature

Date

Grade/Teacher

PARENT COMMITMENT:

I give permission for my child to practice and compete on in Battle of the Books. There will be a cost of \$25*. I commit to making sure my child *attends practices for the full time*, and will drop off (or arrange other transportation for) my child to practices promptly at 7:30 a.m.. I also understand that my child's school work comes first and completion of all homework and class assignments is the number one priority. If at any time homework is missed or neglected I understand my child will be asked not to attend team practices until all missing assignments are made up. As well, classroom behavior will be the barometer on whether my child is able to attend team competitions.

Parent's Name

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