**Prepare your summer reading book report**

**Here are the elements you should include:**

1 -**Information about the book**: the title of the book, the author, the date of publication and the number of pages.

2 -**Information about the author**: a few lines giving significant elements about his/her life, his/her career and his/her major works.

3 -**Information about the story**:

• the genre (what type of book is it?)

• the background / context of the story (Where and when does the story take place?)

• Main characters

4 -**Summary of the story** (15 to 20 lines)

5 -**Give your personal opinion about the book:**

Did you like reading this story? Why? Why not?

How long did it take you to read it? Did you find it easy or difficult to read? Why?

Did you find it interesting, beautiful, captivating, thrilling, scary, moving, funny, sad …?

6 -**Write a back cover blurb to encourage people to read the book**

→ Choose one or two quotes / extracts that you particularly like or that you find interesting to represent the book

→ Write a short summary of the plot in order to attract people’s curiosity (just a few sentences without revealing the ending!)

→ Use laudatory adjectives and superlative forms to refer to the book

**Homework for next week:**

Start preparing your book report: gather information to do parts 1 to 4. We will work on parts 5 and 6 in class.