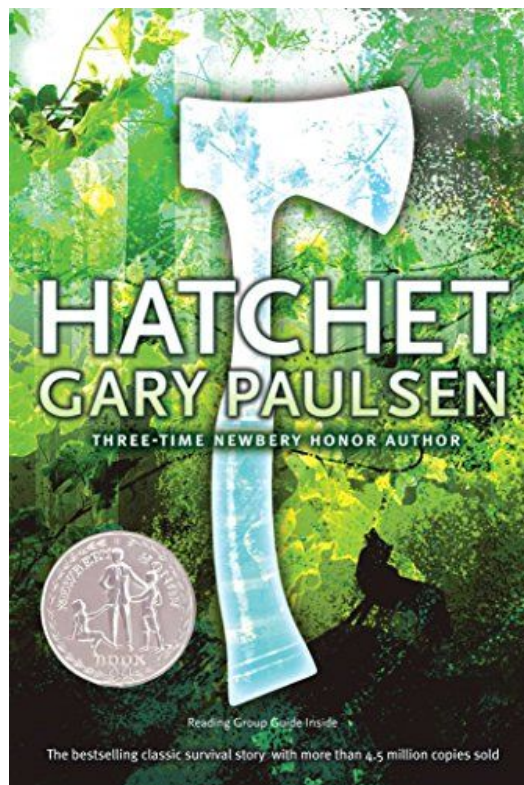


Winter Reading Program:

Hatchet

Gary Paulsen



December 19th, 2020 - January 15th, 2021

Educational Talent Search

8th Grade



Recommended Reading Schedule

Week 1: Chapter 1-7

Week 2: Chapter 8-14

Week 3: Chapter 15-19

Turn in assignments on the

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Quiz #1 (Due date 12/26/20)

Week 1: Use the Bookmark timer and time yourself to compare your current reading times and track future reading improvement.

Who gave Brian the Hatchet?

What happened to the pilot during the flight?

Where did Brian decide would be the best place to land the plane?

What was the secret Brian knew about his mom?

What attacked Brian as he watched the sun rise?

What was the saying that Brian's English teacher Perpich repeated?

What was the flashback he had with Terry?

Please select the best answer below that gives the best description of Chapter 7?

- A. To show how Brian tries to survive with cherries and his windbreaker-bag.
- B. To explain how Brian was able to crash land the plane he was in.
- C. To explain to the reader Brian's true feelings he had towards his mother during the plane crashes.
- D. To explain the causes of the pilot's heart attack.

Free write

Give us your general opinion on the book so far. Have you read this book before? Is it in the same genre of books you enjoy reading?

Quiz #2 (Due date 01/02/21)

Week 2: Make sure to highlight where you found the answers in the book.

What caused Brian to wake up in the middle of the night?

What did Brian dream about once he got rid of the quills from his leg?

What does Brian realize he can do with his hatchet at the end of chapter 8?

True or False? Was Brian able to get a fire started?

What type of animal egg does Brian find when he wakes up?

What idea does Brian get when watching the bird fly above the water?

What “weapon” does Brian create to help him fish?

What noise did Brian hear from the forest that made him drop all the materials he was using to create a bow?

What does Brian see when he feels something/someone watching him?

What attacked Brian when they saw him eating the eggs?

What does Brian do to his camp after getting attacked?

Assignment/Quiz #3 (Due date 01/09/21)

- Please answer the following questions in 3 or more sentences.

- After completing the book, what did you find most interesting when reading? Did you enjoy the reading?
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- If you were in the same situation as Brian, what would you have done differently? What were some of the errors that you thought Brian made?
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- Where do you think the author drew inspiration to write a book like Hatchet? If you were to write a book, what genre would the book be and what would the plot look like?
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Week 3: Go through each chapter and write down a couple of questions you still might have. Or anything interesting you thought about when reading the book. You can then share them with the rest of the students in our Zoom Call later on next week.

- Dates to Remember!!!!

- 12/26/20 Week 1 Assignments due
- 01/02/21 Week 2 Assignments due
- 01/09/21 Week 3 Assignments due
- 01/15/21 Zoom Call

- The link for the Zoom call will be sent out via email.

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