

BOOK REVIEW SUBMISSIONS

Here is an idea of what you **MIGHT** want to include in your book review. It will probably take around 1 minute.

Please show the book cover (if possible) without blocking your face. Try to record with enough light (or go outside). Please have the person recording you hold the phone horizontally. Speak loudly and clearly. Remember, DON'T give away the ending! People should have to read the book to find out the best parts! Try not to copy the summary exactly from the inside or back cover, either. Use your own words.

Email your video to Miss Ellen at ephillips@westhartfordct.gov by **August 27th**.

Hello. My name is _____ . I am in _____ grade at
(First name only) (Don't say "going into" grade, in case we show it again in the fall.)

_____. I recently read _____
(School, if you want to share what school you go to) (Book Title)

by _____. It is a _____.
(Book Author) (Mystery? Fantasy? Realistic Fiction? Graphic Novel?)

Briefly summarize what this book is about:

(For example: *The main character in my book is Lily, who has to move with her mom and sister and go and live with her Halmoni – that's how she says "Grandmother" because she is Korean. Her Halmoni is ill and Lily thinks she has the power to make her well by making a deal with a magic Tiger. Halmoni stole something long ago from the tigers. If Lily can find a way to give it back to them, will Halmoni get well?*)

I liked this book because:

(For example: *I liked the character of Lily. She was very quiet and always felt invisible, especially compared to her more outgoing sister. I also liked how they wove Korean folklore and culture into the story.*)

I think you will like this book if you liked:

(For example: *I think you might like this book if you liked "Where the Mountain Meets the Moon." They are similar because they both involve realistic characters but also weave folklore throughout the story.*)

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