January 8, 2016

Dear Students and Parents,

In Reading over the next 6 weeks, we will be focusing on a unit that deals with The Civil Rights Movement. To add to your knowledge base of this unit, you are asked to read the novel Glory Be by August Scattergood. This is an assignment/project that you will complete outside of school. As fourth graders, this is an opportunity to learn how to effectively manage your time to deal with specific deadlines that are expected of you. Reading comprehension questions will be due on a weekly basis for particular chapters to ensure that you are reading on a daily basis.

Please be aware of the following due dates:

- Chapters 1-4 and 5-8 Comprehension Questions DUE January 22nd
- Chapters 9-12 and 13-16 Comprehension Questions DUE January 29th
- Chapters 17-20 and 21-24 Comprehension Questions DUE February 5th
- Chapters 25-28 and 29-31 Comprehension Questions DUE February 12th
- Character Graphic Organizer, Vocabulary Terms and Character Sketch DUE February 26th

A test based on the entire novel will be scheduled for the first week in March.

Please Note: All assignments will be reviewed and graded. Failure to submit your assignment on time will result in an academic detention as well as a lower grade. All written responses should be in script and in the form of complete sentences using correct capitalization, punctuation and spelling. If additional room is needed for an answer, please use a separate piece of loose-leaf and attach it to the question page.

Failure to follow these guidelines will result in a lower grade.

Happy reading and enjoy the book!

Mrs. Ryan and Miss O'Reilly
Comprehension Questions

Glory Be by Augusta Scattergood

Chapters 1-4

1. What secret did Frankie tell Glory?

2. What is Glory's father's occupation?

3. Compare and contrast Glory's relationship to her sister Jesslyn from last summer to this summer.

4. Who were Glory and Frankie spying on?

5. What did J.T. say to Jesslyn and her friends?

6. Who did J.T. say to blame the pool closing on?

7. What was the significance of the Freedom Workers?

8. How did Frankie and J.T.'s father know about the pool closing?

9. Who did Glory notice at the library?

10. Where was Laura from?

11. What happened when Glory and Laura got a drink of water?

12. How did Glory compare her hands to Emma's hands?

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Chapters 5-8

1. Where was Emma after supper? ____________________________________________

2. Where did Jesslyn tell Glory she was going? ___________________________________

3. Who was at the library with Jesslyn? _______________________________________

4. Where did he tell Jesslyn they needed to go? _________________________________

5. What reason did Jesslyn give her father that she needed to go to Memphis? ______

6. How did Emma respond when Glory asked her if she thought there was something really broken at the Community Pool? _________________________________________

7. What was Emma cooking? _________________________________________________

8. What was Frankie's reaction to the new girl? _________________________________

9. Who did Glory think put ideas into Frankie's head? __________________________

10. How did Jesslyn react when she heard Frankie saying his dad would yank him and J.T. out of school if coloreds were able to attend their school? ________________________________

11. Who was Glory going to invite for supper? _________________________________

12. Where did Laura say she wanted to go during the summer instead of Hanging Moss? ____________________________________________

13. What warning did Emma give to Glory? ________________________________

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Comprehension Questions

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Chapters 9-12

1. What did Glory tell Laura they play at night outside?

2. Who came with Frankie to Glory's house?

3. What did J.T. say to Laura?

4. What did Glory tell J.T.?

5. What happened to J.T.'s finger?

6. Who did Glory run into while watching the pep squad and football players practice?

7. Why did J.T. call Robbie "Elvis"?

8. Who did Robbie live with?

9. Why can't Glory and Frankie go swimming?

10. Who does J.T. think stinks?

11. Who does Glory think stinks?

12. What did the board member want Miss Bloom to do?

13. After reading a letter to the editor while at the library, what did Glory decide to do?

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Chapters 13-16

1. Who suspected something was “fishy” about the way Jesslyn was acting and the shopping trip to Memphis?

2. What was significant about the gold Plymouth station wagon at the end of Chapter 14?

3. Why did Robbie tell Jesslyn he came to live with his aunt in Hanging Moss?

4. How did Robbie know Henry?

5. Why did Robbie’s mother send him to live with his aunt in Hanging Moss?

6. Where did Robbie and Jesslyn go?

7. What happened as they drove back into town?

8. What lie did Jesslyn tell the policeman?

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Comprehension Questions

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Chapters 17-20

1. What did Emma make to take home with her? ____________________________
2. Why was she taking it home? _______________________________________
3. Who were Emma’s visitors? _________________________________________
4. What had already happened to some maids who let “visitors” stay with them? ____
5. What did Jesslyn and Glory play before turning the lights off for bed? __________
6. What news did Frankie bring Glory on a rainy Sunday morning? ________________
7. What news did Glory tell Frankie after Jesslyn left? _________________________
8. What did Glory secretly pray? ________________________________________
9. What did Mrs. Simpson get out of her sideboard and hand to Glory? ___________
10. What was Glory’s father’s reaction to hearing her letter? ____________________
11. Who did Robbie hear put the sign up at the pool as a prank? ________________
12. What was Glory’s reaction about the prank? ______________________________
Comprehension Questions
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Chapters 21-24

1. What did Frankie tell Glory about Laura? ________________________________

2. What proof did he show Glory? ________________________________

3. Did Glory believe Frankie? ________________________________

4. What purpose did Frankie's father have for talking to Glory's father? ________________________________

5. How did Glory's father react to Mr. Smith? ________________________________

6. Where was Laura while the pool was broken into? ________________________________

7. Where did Laura tell Glory she was going? ________________________________

8. Who did Emma say was coming to her church to visit? ________________________________

9. What was significant about this person? ________________________________

10. What was the noise Emma and Glory heard upstairs? ________________________________
Comprehension Questions

Glory Be by Augusta Scattergood

Chapters 25-28

1. How had Mr. Smith and his committee won according to Glory? _____________________________

2. What did Jesslyn's friends now call her? _________________________________________________

3. What did Jesslyn hand Glory? __________________________________________________________

4. What was the first charm on the bracelet, and what did it stand for? __________________________

5. What did Robbie give Glory? _____________________________________________________________

6. Who came uninvited to where Glory, Laura, Jesslyn, and Robbie were? ________________

7. What message did J.T. send Robbie? ______________________________________________________

8. What was in J.T.'s pocket? ______________________________________________________________

9. What did Emma give Glory? ______________________________________________________________

10. What did Jesslyn say about Robbie? _____________________________________________________

11. How does Glory try to make Jesslyn feel better? ____________________________________________
Comprehension Questions
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Chapters 29-31

1. Where did Glory invite Emma to go?

2. Who were the first "new" library patrons to arrive?

3. What was Mrs. Simpson's reaction?

4. What did Glory's father tell Mrs. Simpson?

5. Where did Glory finally find Frankie in the library?

6. What did Frankie leave for Glory?

7. Did Glory still hate Frankie? Why or why not?
Directions: As you read *Glory Be* by Augusta Scattergood, list character traits that you learn about each character.

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Character Sketch

**Directions:** In the book *Glory Be* by Augusta Scattergood, you read about several characters. Choose one character you read about to complete this activity. In the box, draw a portrait of the character. On the lines provided, write a character sketch listing character traits and details about the character you chose.

Character: _______________________

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## Vocabulary Terms

*Glory Be* by Augusta Scattergood

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