



2019-2020 DVEF BATTLE OF THE BOOKS - TEAM FORM

Dear Student:

The Battle of the Books Program is a VOLUNTARY reading competition designed to promote your love and appreciation of reading.

Team members are limited to three (3) students currently enrolled in either 5th or 6th grade at the participating school. Team members need to be in the same school, but not in the same grade. Once the first competition has begun, teams may not be modified unless the following conditions apply: if a team member has left the school, the remaining members may continue as a team of 2 or even 1. If a team member has moved away or becomes incapable of continuing due to health, an alternate (NOT currently on any team) may replace that team member. You may also replace with a team member with a student who is new to your school if he/she was participating in the Battle of the Books at his/her previous school site this year. Alternates MAY NOT be used to fill in for team members who are absent on the day of a competition or for members who have quit the Battle.

The 2019-2020 books are:

Battle 1 (Oct/Nov):

- Because of Winn-Dixie**, Kate DiCamillo
- City of Ember**, Jeanne DuPrau
- Hatchet**, Gary Paulsen
- Walk Two Moons**, Sharon Creech

Battle 2 (Jan/Feb):

- Captain Nobody**, Dean Pitchford
- The Unwanteds**, Lisa McMann
- Escape From Mr. Lemoncello's Library**, Chris Grabenstein
- Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes**, Eleanor Coerr

Battle 3 (Mar/Apr):

- Pictures of Hollis Woods**, Patricia Giff
- Poppy**, Avi
- Ella Enchanted**, Gail Levine
- El Deafo**, Cece Bell

OPTIONAL:
 _____ Check here if your team is interested in having a mentor* assigned to them.
 *Mentors are students who have participated in previous Battle of the Books competitions and can be especially helpful to NEW team members in being better prepared for each battle.

Please list your **TEAM INFORMATION** below:

SCHOOL: Stetson Hills Elementary – DVUSD

TEAM NAME (if you have one): _____

TEAM MEMBER #1: STUDENT NAME: _____ STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

GRADE: _____ PH#: _____ HOMEROOM TEACHER: _____

TEAM MEMBER #2: STUDENT NAME: _____ STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

GRADE: _____ PH#: _____ HOMEROOM TEACHER: _____

TEAM MEMBER #3: STUDENT NAME: _____ STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

GRADE: _____ PH#: _____ HOMEROOM TEACHER: _____

LIBRARY CLERK SIGNATURE: _____

Please return this form **ALONG WITH YOUR PARENT CONSENT FORM** to school library clerk
NOTE: Schools keep all SIGNATURE FORMS and TEAM FORMS and bring them with them to each Battle.