

Literature Circle Ideas

- a board game based on the book
- a new character for the book
- a new cover for the book
- a new ending to the book
- a puppet show about the book
- a sequel to the story
- a song or a dance about the book
- a timeline of the story
- an advertising campaign for the book
- an original skit based on the book
- artwork (a painting, sculpture, poem, mobile, collage, or diorama) interpreting the book.
- background/research on the setting or the period
- collages representing different character
- diary of a character
- diorama of a scene
- family tree of a key character
- gravestone and eulogy for a character
- impersonation of a character (in costume, with props)
- interview with a character
- interview with author (real or fictionalized)
- letter recommending the book to the acquisitions librarian
- letters to (or from) a character
- news broadcast reporting events from the book
- panel debates
- performances of a "lost scene" from the book
- plans for a party for all the characters in the book
- posters advertising the book
- read-alouds of key passages
- reader's theater performances
- reader-on-the-street interviews (live or videotaped)
- report on the author's life
- review "duels" (in the style of "Siskel and Ebert")
- the story rewritten for younger kids as a picture book
- videotaped dramatizations