

First Day of School Survey

Please fill in the front and back of this paper to help me get to know you!
Feel free to ask questions.

Name: _____

Date: _____

If you were not at this school last year, where are you from? (If you were here last year, skip this question)

If you attended this school last year, who was your language arts teacher? (If you are new here, skip this question)

If you had to guess...

How many books would you say you owned? _____

How many books did you read as a 7th grader? _____

How many books did you read this summer? _____

In general, how do you feel about reading, about books, and about yourself as a reader?

In your ideal book, what would the main character be like?

Do you know the title and/or author of the book you'd like to read next? If so, please tell me.

What is the most important lesson you have learned so far as a reader?

Wait! You're not done yet — there's more on the back →

In general, how do you feel about writing and about yourself as a writer?

What is the most important lesson you have learned so far as a writer?

Who is someone you admire? Please explain why you admire him/her.

What is something you could tell me about your family?

Please write anything else you would like me to know.

Now, it's your turn to ask me something! Write at least one question about language arts, this classroom, or even me. Your question will be shared, but I won't share who asked it.

Hand your paper to me when you are finished. Thank you!