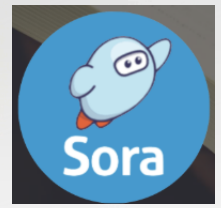


Fifth Grade Summer Reading Homework



Welcome to Your Summer Reading Adventure!

This summer, you'll explore *Girls Think of Everything* by Catherine Thimmesh, an inspiring book that highlights the stories of women inventors and their incredible contributions to the world. Use this packet to reflect on the themes, inventions, and the determination of these amazing women. Happy reading and discovering! 🌟

[*Girls Think of Everything* by Catherine Thimmesh](#)

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Multiple-Choice Questions

- 1. What inspired Mary Anderson to invent the windshield wiper?**
 - A. Watching people struggle to see through their car windows in the rain
 - B. A desire to make cars faster
 - C. A need for better car designs
 - D. A request from a car company
- 2. What is one common theme in the stories of the women inventors featured in the book?**
 - A. They all worked in teams.
 - B. They faced challenges but persevered to achieve their goals.
 - C. They were all scientists from a young age.
 - D. They all became famous immediately after inventing their products.
- 3. What does the book teach readers about the process of inventing?**
 - A. It is always easy and quick.
 - B. It requires creativity, persistence, and problem-solving.
 - C. It is only for people with advanced degrees.
 - D. It is only possible with a lot of money.
- 4. What is one lesson readers can learn from the women inventors in the book?**
 - A. Success comes without hard work.
 - B. It's important to give up when faced with challenges.
 - C. Creativity and determination can lead to amazing achievements.
 - D. Only adults can invent useful things.

Short Response Questions

1. Choose one inventor from the book and describe her invention. Why do you think her invention was important?

2. What challenges did some of the women inventors face, and how did they overcome them?

3. How does *Girls Think of Everything* inspire readers to think about their own ideas and inventions?

Extended Response Question

Imagine you are an inventor. What problem would you want to solve, and how would you approach creating a solution? Use inspiration from the book to guide your answer.

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