

## ACS Summer Reading

Rising 4th Grade

The book for 4th grade is Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl. While there are so many great books to read over the summer, Charlie & the Chocolate Factory was chosen because of its ease of reading and interesting characters. Students can read with a parent or by themselves and complete the novel study.

This novel study is designed to have students read three chapters then answer comprehension questions. It also contains several brief writing exercises that ask students to think critically for themselves, tell about themselves personally, or express thoughts they may have. **Students should answer all questions in complete sentences.** Question responses may vary in length - there may be two sentences, three sentences, or a paragraph needed to answer each question. If students need more room, please write on a separate piece of paper. The novel study is due in the first week of school.

4th grade Summer Reading

**Charlie**  
AND THE  
**CHOCOLATE**  
**FACTORY**

By Roald Dahl

Name \_\_\_\_\_

August, 2023

**Chapter 1 Here Comes Charlie, Chapter 2. Mr. Willy Wonka's  
Factory, Chapter 3. Mr. Wonka and the Indian Prince**

Quick write: Who lives in your home with you? Tell about each person.

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**True or False:** Mark T for True and for false statements corrects the unlined word to make it a true statement.

1. The Buckets are a very rich family. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Mr. Bucket works at a farm. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Charlie Bucket's favorite food is cabbage. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Six adults live in Charlie's home. \_\_\_\_\_
5. The Bucket home is near a famous chocolate factory. \_\_\_\_\_

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. Who lives with Charlie in his home? Name and describe each of them.

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2. Summarize the story of Mr. Wonka and the Prince of Pondicherry.

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3. Does Charlie have good relationships with all of the adults in his life? Justify your answer with text evidence (a quote from the book and page number).

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**Chapter 4: The Secret Workers,  
Chapter 5: The Golden Tickets,  
Chapter 6: The First Two Finders**



**True or False:** Mark T for True and for false statements, correct the underlined word to make it a true statement.

1. Mr Wonka shut down his factory because of spies. \_\_\_\_\_
2. People often see Mr. Wonka around town. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Mr. Wonka has hidden five Golden Tickets in his chocolate. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Charlie only gets 3 chocolate bars a year. \_\_\_\_\_
5. People see very tall people working inside Mr. Wonka's factory. \_\_\_\_\_

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. What is the prize if you find a Golden Ticket in a chocolate bar?

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2. Describe, in detail, the first two finders of the Golden Tickets.

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**Chapter 7 Charlie's Birthday,  
Chapter 8: Two More Golden Tickets Found,  
Chapter 9: Grandpa Joe Takes a Gamble**

**True or False:** Mark T for True and F for False.

1. Charlie finds a Golden Ticket in his birthday candy bar. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Violet Beauregarde chews on gummy bears all the time. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Charlie buys another chocolate bar with money from his piggy bank.  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. Charlie's grandparents don't approve of the children who are winning the tickets. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Charlie longs for a Golden Ticket. \_\_\_\_\_

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. Choose two adjectives to describe Violet Beauregarde. Justify your answers with text evidence.

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2. Choose two adjectives to describe Mike Teavee. Justify your answers with text evidence.

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3. Explain how Charlie is able to purchase another candy bar.

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**Chapter 10: The Family Begins to Starve,  
Chapter 11: The Miracle,  
Chapter 12: What it Said on the Golden Ticket**

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. What are some reasons that Charlie's family is suffering?

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2. Who is going to go to the Chocolate Factory with Charlie? Why?

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**Chapter 13: The Big Day Arrives, Chapter 14: Mr. Willy Wonka,  
Chapter 15: The Chocolate Room**

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences.

1. How would you describe Willy Wonka? Justify your answer.

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2. What are three unique features about the Chocolate Room?

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**Chapter 16: The Oompa-Loompas, Chapter 17: Augustus Gloop Goes up the Pipe, Chapter 18: Down the Chocolate River.**

Sequencing: Put the following statements in chronological order, using the numbers 1-5.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Wonka and his guest board a boat.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Augustus Gloop drinks out of the chocolate river.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Wonka and his guests sail through a tunnel in a boat.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Augustus Gloop gets sucked up a big pipe.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Wonka gives Charlie a mug of chocolate to drink.

**Comprehension and Analysis:** Answer the questions in complete sentences. \_

What are two things that Mr. Wonka's guests see as they ride the boat down the chocolate river?

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Choose two adjectives to describe the Oompa-Loompas. Explain why you choose these adjectives.

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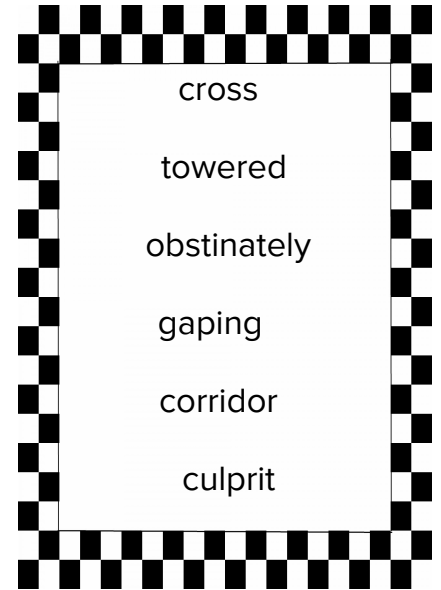
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**Chapter 19: The Inventing Room, Chapter 20: The Great Gum Machine, Chapter 21 Good- bye Violet**

Vocabulary : Fill in the blanks.

1. The fascinated toddler stood very still while staring and \_\_\_\_\_ at the size of the giant bear at the zoo.
2. The unusually tall basketball player \_\_\_\_\_ over everyone else.
3. "I don't want to go to bed!" the stubborn child said \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The student looked so guilty and shameful, that his teacher could tell he was the \_\_\_\_\_.
5. To get to your hotel room, you will have to walk down a long \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 If the baby doesn't get a nap, she will become very \_\_\_\_\_.



**Multiple Choice: Choose the best answer.**

1 What is special about Mr. Wonka's Gobstoppers?

- a. They taste like chocolate.
- b. They last forever.
- c. They are full of vitamins.
- d. They are colorful.

2 What color does Violet turn?

- a. Pink
- b. Blue
- c. Green
- d. Orange



**Chapter 22: Along the Corridor,  
Chapter 23: Square Candies that Look Round,  
Chapter 24: Veruca in the Nut Room**



**Multiple Choice: Choose the best answer.**

1 What job do the squirrels .  
have in the factory?

- a. They open peanuts.
- b. They open walnuts.
- c. They taste nutty candies..
- d. They paint candies.

2 What does Veruca Salt  
demand to have?

- a. A square candy
- b. A squirrel
- c. A cup of tea.
- d. A cow that makes chocolate milk.

1. Explain what happens to Veruca Salt. 2. Why do you think she received this consequence? 3. Who do the Oompa-Loompas blame for her poor behavior?

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Chapter 25: The Great Glass Elevator, Chapter 26: The Television-Chocolate Room, Chapter 27: Mike Teavee is Sent by Television

Quick write: How much television do you watch? Do you think it is bad to watch too much television?

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Vocabulary : Fill in the blanks.

1. My stomach dropped as the rollercoaster \_\_\_\_\_ forward on the tracks.
2. The teacher warned her students not to \_\_\_\_\_ with anything during the field trip to the art museum.
3. On the news, a major traffic \_\_\_\_\_ was reported, but thankfully, no one was hurt.
4. Because the dark room was only lit with dim candlelight, it had an \_\_\_\_\_ feeling.
5. The surfer was \_\_\_\_\_ when she saw a shark swimming nearby.





**Multiple Choice: Choose the best answer.**

1 Why does Mike Teavee begin to complain?

- a. He wants to watch TV.
- b. He is hungry
- c. He doesn't like Mr. Wonka
- d. He wants to go home.

2 How does the group get to the Television Room?

- a. They walk.
- b. They take a boat.
- c. They ride an elevator.
- d. They take a rocket.

Explain what happens to Mike Teavee. Why do you think he receives this consequence? (Note: These are two separate questions.)

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Chapter 28: Only Charlie Left

Chapter 29: The Other Children Go Home

Chapter 30: Charlie's Chocolate Factory

1. What button does Mr. Wonka push in the elevator?

- a. Up and out
- b. Up, up, and away
- c. Through the roof
- d. To the sky

2. How is Augustus Gloop different?

- a. He is shorter.
- b. He is the color of chocolate.
- c. He is thinner.
- d. He has no hair.

1. While they are in the elevator, Mr. Wonka, Charlie and Grandpa Jo see the other children. How have the other children changed?

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2. Summarize the happy ending to the story.

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