

Battle of the Books
Sample Questions
Senior Division – Grades 7/8

1. In which book does Duncan deliver milk by horse and wagon because he is learning his father's dairy business from the ground up?
Irish Chain by Barbara Haworth-Attard
2. In which book do we learn that flint and steel would spark when hit?
Brian's Winter by Gary Paulsen
3. In which book does the minister suddenly break out in animal sounds in the middle of a prayer?
Dust by Arthur Slade
4. In which book is the main character a theatre arts student?
The Summoning by Kelley Armstrong
5. In which book does a main character not like to dance?
Twilight by Stephenie Meyer
6. In which book is the main character unable to hand in his art portfolio because he and his mother have been evicted and he cannot access the apartment?
Heck Superhero by Martine Leavitt
7. In which book does an apothecary have 4 days to raise the money for the rent or he will be evicted?
Death in the Air by Shane Peacock
8. In which book does a girl have a recurring nightmare of a time when she was a very small child in India with her father?
The Ruby in the Smoke by Philip Pullman
9. In which book did a boy try to keep his part-time job a secret?
Leaving Fletchville by Rene Schmidt
10. In which book does one find Brother Asp, Brother Raven, Brother Wolf and Brother Stinger?
The Dirt Eaters by Dennis Foon
11. In which book is there a group called the Overtakers?
Kingdom Keepers: Disney after Dark by Ridley Pearson
12. In which book is there a cigar smoking character named Smiley?
Out From Boneville by Jeff Smith