**Tornado** by Betsy Byars  
*Mrs. Elaine Titze  
Fifth grade*

**Level C – required (170 points)**

**Vocabulary for each chapter**
- Read the vocabulary words to an adult
- Do vocabulary worksheets (10 points each)

**Word analysis**
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  - ed word listed (10 points)
  - compound words listed (10 points)
  - contractions & possessives listed (10 points)

**Read each chapter to yourself and orally**

**Comprehension worksheets & AR test (10 points each)**

**Level B - Choose one for each chapter (110 points)**

**Vocabulary & word analysis (70 points)**
- Write sentences with vocabulary words (10 points each)
- Write 5 sentences with -ed words (10 points)
- Write 5 sentences with compound words (10 points)
- Write 5 sentences with contractions (10 points)
- Write 5 sentences with the possessives (10 points)
- Choose a vocabulary word to illustrate with meaning and example sentence. (10 points each)
- Act out two of the vocabulary words (charades) (10 points)

**Writing activities – Choose one each week (40 points)**
- Chapter 1 – Imagine you are in the cellar with the family. Write about the way you feel, what you see, and what you hear. (10 points)
- Chapter 2 – Make “Lost Dog” poster (worksheet) (10 points)
- Chapter 3 – Pete knows how to behave in a crisis. What does Pete do while they are waiting in the cellar? Explain why he does it and how it affects the others. (10 points)
- Chapter 4 – Write a letter to Emma Lou (worksheet) (10 points)
- Chapter 5 – Write about a time when your pet did something unusual and illustrate your story. (10 points)
- Chapter 6 – Suppose you were Pete. Write a diary entry telling what happened and how he felt. (10 points)
- Chapter 7 – Tell the story of the storm from Lincoln’s point of view. (10 points)

**Level A – bonus points**
- Demonstrate a Twister using a liter pop bottle (10 points)
- Make a flip book showing a tornado (10 points)
- Read about the Spencer tornado and summarize (10 points)
- Make an F scale chart (10 points)