



Dear 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Families,

Who is Flat Stanley, you may ask? He is a special character in a series of children's books written by Jeff Brown. Stanley was a regular boy until one night a bulletin board fell on top of him while he was sleeping. Stanley was unharmed by the bulletin board, except for the fact that his body was flattened! Stanley lives his life as a normal child, except he has certain unusual abilities. He is able to slide underneath doors, fly like a kite, and be shipped in the mail to visit friends and family.

Over the summer your child will select a Flat Stanley book to read, take Flat Stanley on an adventure, and keep a journal about it. You can treat Flat Stanley to a family vacation, a trip to the park, a day at the pool, a picnic in your backyard, or wherever you would like to take him. The more places you take him the more interesting it will be, and your child will learn much more about the world around them.

**DIRECTIONS:**

1. Read a Flat Stanley His Original Adventure or **any** of the Worldwide Adventure Books. Some examples are below.
2. Take Flat Stanley on an adventure once, twice, or all summer long.
3. Take pictures.
4. Create a journal of your time with him. All journaling should be done in your child's best handwriting. Use the journal provided or create your own.
5. Bring your finished project to school on the first day. A minimum of 5 entries is required.



Flat Stanley: His Original Ad.



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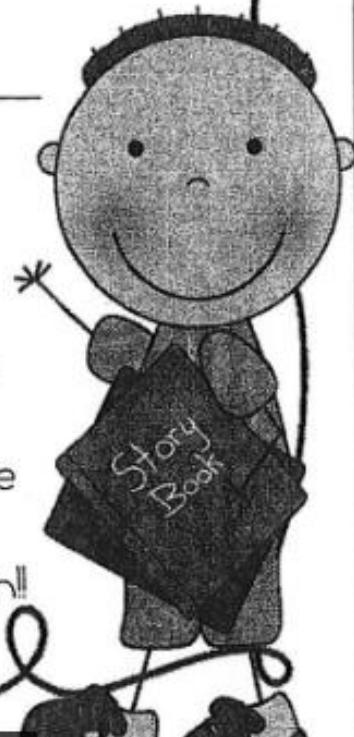
# Flat Stanley's

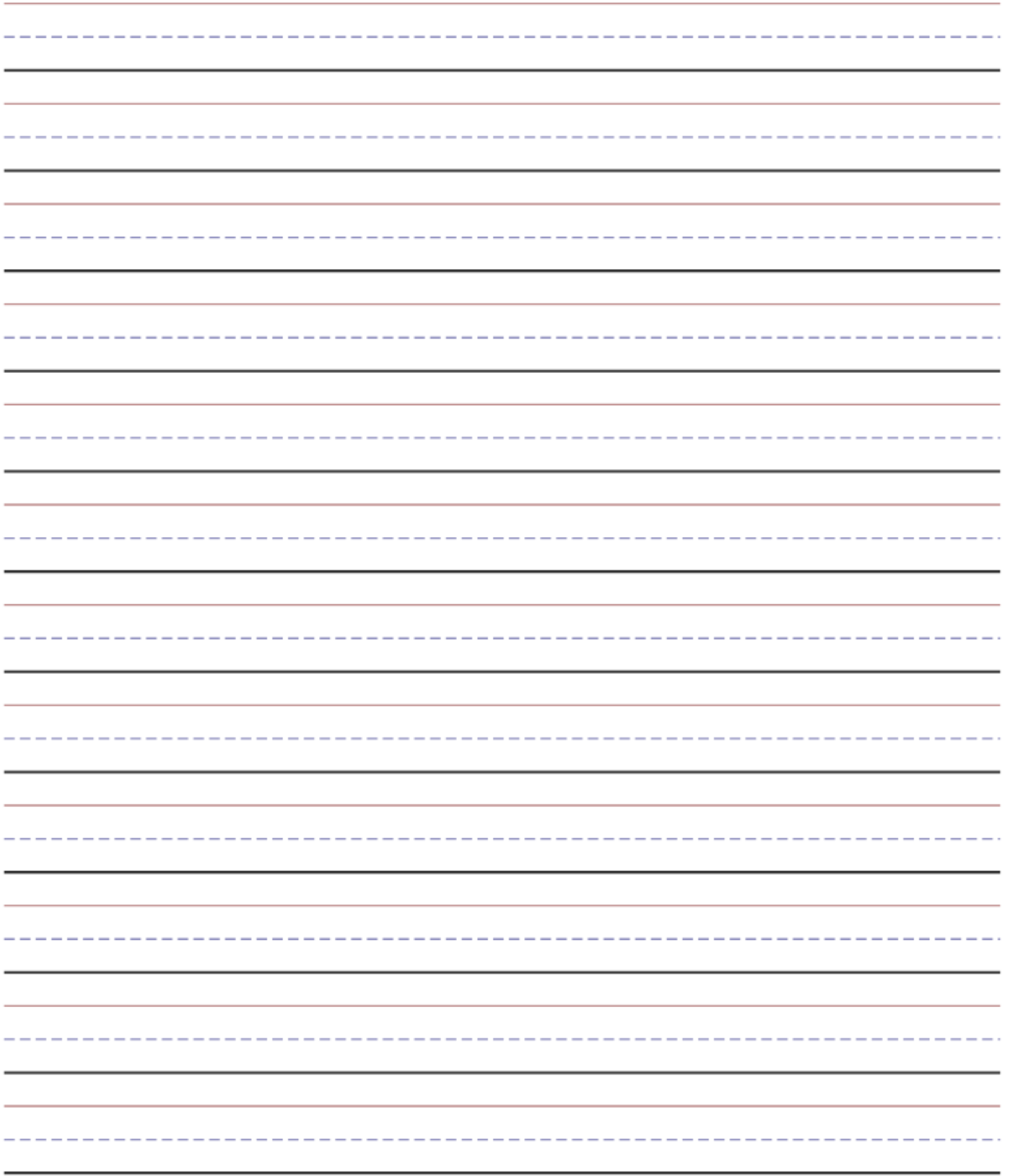
## Travel Journal

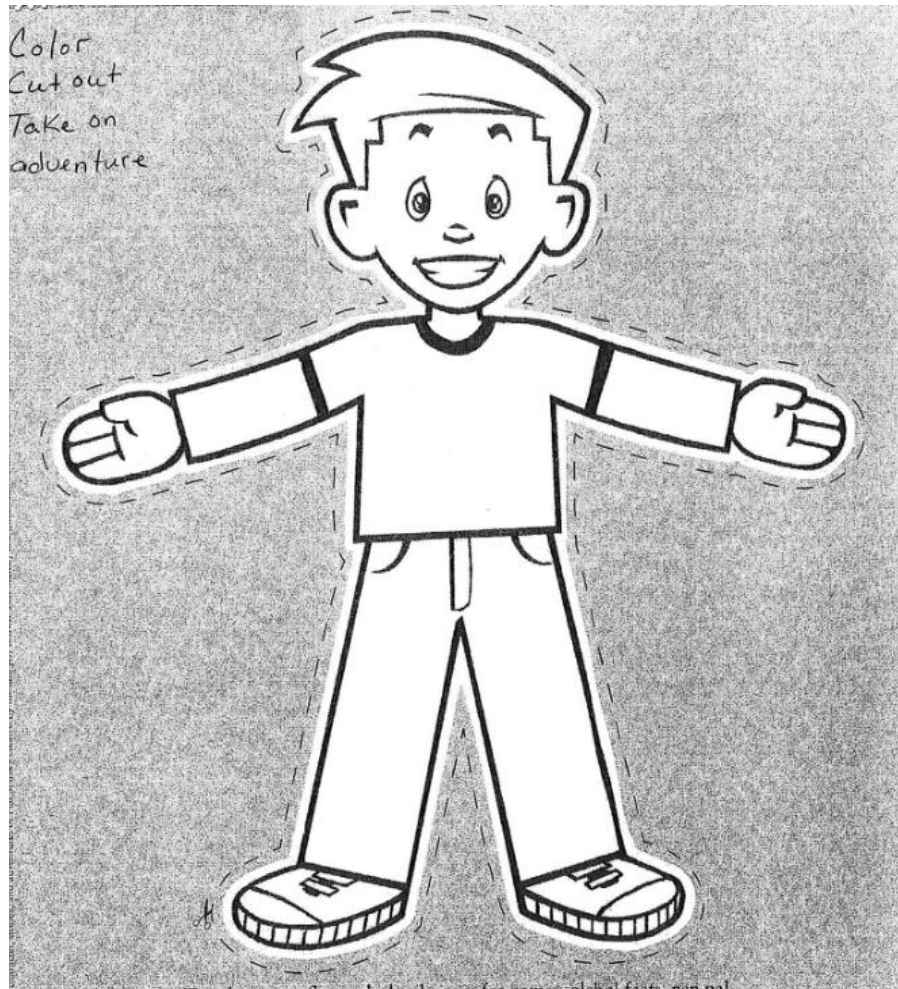
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**Directions:** Use this journal to record your adventures with Flat Stanley. Each journal entry should have at least three complete sentences. Return your journal to school on the first day of school. Have Fun!!







See Writing Samples Below

6/20/21

Flat Stanley and I went to the pool today. We swam in the cool water and rested under the shade tree. Tonight we are going to get an ice cream treat.



7/2/21

Today I took Flat Stanley to the park. My two sisters were there too. We went hiking. It was a great adventure.