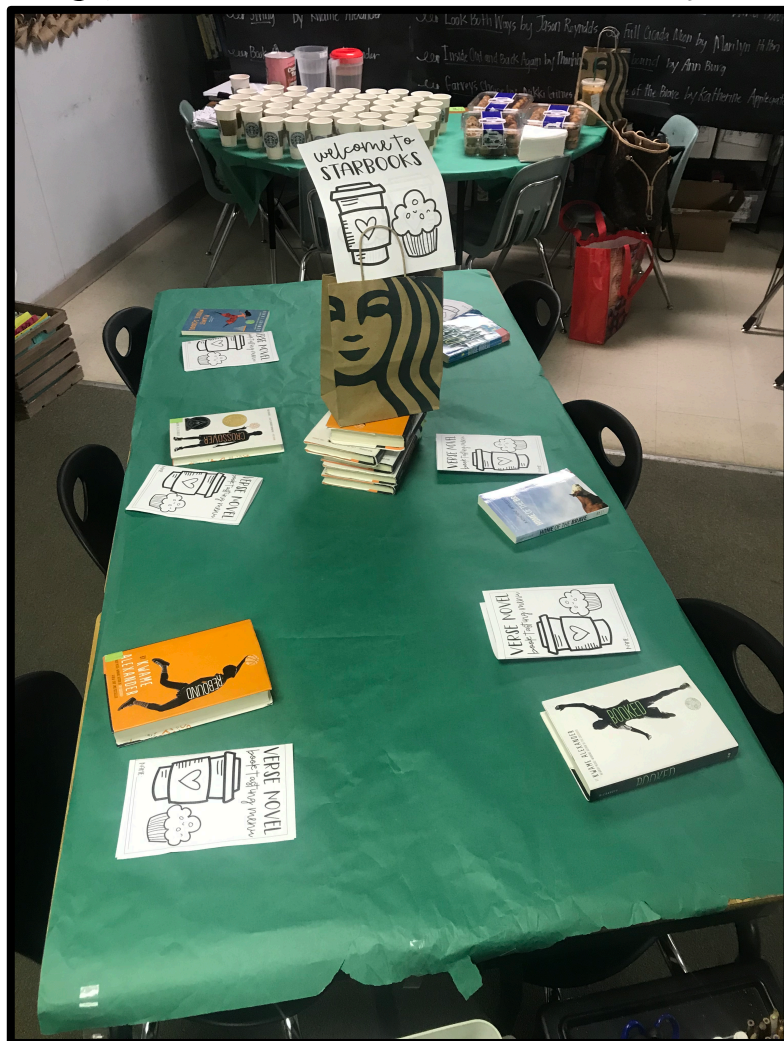


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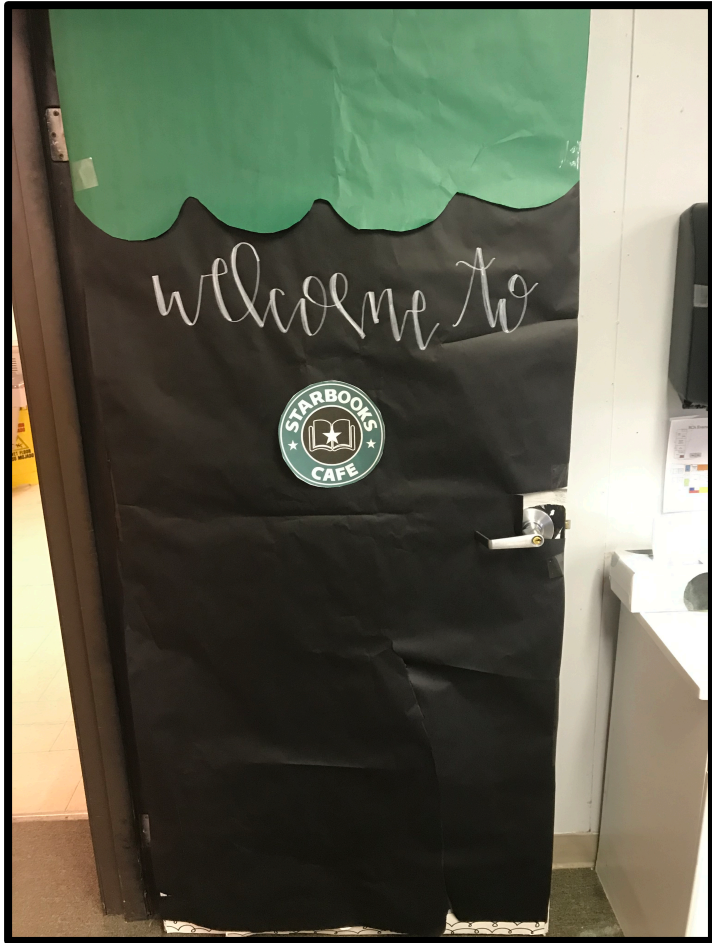


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I HAD A VARIETY OF VERSE NOVELS OUT FOR STUDENTS TO LOOK THROUGH. I GAVE THEM ABOUT 4-5 MINUTES AT EACH STATION (6 STATIONS) TO READ THE SYNOPSIS AND FIRST FEW PAGES OF THE BOOK. THEY THEN HAD TO FILL OUT THEIR MENUS WITH THEIR CHOICES. I THEN USED THE MENU TO PUT THEM INTO BOOK CLUBS. I TOLD THEM TO PUT THEIR TOP FIVE CHOICES ON THE FRONT OF THE MENU. I ENCOURAGE THEM TO READ MORE THAN JUST SIX BOOKS, BECAUSE ANY OF THEIR TOP FIVE COULD BECOME THEIR BOOK CLUB BOOK.

# BOOK CLUB SELECTION & BOOK TASTING



I SET UP A LITTLE STARBOOKS CAFÉ TO GET THE KIDS EXCITED ABOUT PICKING THEIR VERSE NOVELS. I ORDERED THE WHITE CUPS, LIDS, AND SLEEVES FROM AMAZON. I PRINTED 100 STARBUCKS LABELS AND GLUED THEM ON TO THE SLEEVES. I THEN GOT 100 MINI-MUFFINS FROM SAM'S CLUB/COSTCO. I MADE STARBUCKS "REFRESHERS" WHICH WAS JUST STRAWBERRY LEMONADE BECAUSE I COULD BUY ONE OF THE BIG LEMONADE CONTAINERS FROM SAM'S CLUB AS WELL. STUDENTS WERE ABLE TO GET A DRINK AND MUFFIN BEFORE WE STARTED THE BOOK ROTATIONS.

FOR THE MENU, I PRINTED THE LETTERS (INCLUDED IN FILE) AND JUST TAPED A BUNCH OF BUTCHER PAPER TOGETHER. I USED A WHITE CHALK MARKER TO WRITE THE MENU OF VERSE NOVEL SELECTIONS.

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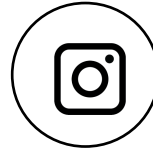
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