

**6th Grade Summer Reading**  
**Summer 2025**  
**Mrs. Holli**

Students will be required to read the novel, *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E.L. Konisburg and answer the following questions. Questions will be turned in on the first day back to school (August 7th) and one of the following questions will be used as a writing prompt. Both assignments will be graded. Please answer the questions using complete sentences. Answers can be typed or handwritten. I hope you all have a fabulous summer and I am looking forward to a year full of learning and growing!

1. What drives Claudia to run away? Is it a true desire for adventure or something deeper? Please use text evidence to support your answer.
2. How do you think Claudia feels when she finds the important clue? Does this clue have positive or negative consequences?
3. What conclusions can you draw about Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler at the beginning of the book? What conclusions do you draw about her later in the novel? Use text evidence to support your answers.
4. What do you think is going through Claudia's mind when she finally meets Mrs. Frankweiler?
5. In chapter 1, Claudia says, "I want you, Jamie, for the greatest adventure in our lives." Does Claudia's prediction come true? Why or why not? Use specific details from the text to support your answer.