

FICTION ASSIGNMENT

Summer Reading

NAME _____ Class _____

1. BOOK DATA

Title: _____

Author : _____

of pages: _____ Genre : _____

2. SETTING and MAIN CHARACTER

A. Name one location where this story takes place: _____

B. Support your answer by providing an example from the text which describes the setting.

Example using the author's words:

(pg. _____) _____

C. Name one main character: _____

D. Write two adjectives to describe this character's personality:

E. Support your answer by finding an example from the text which describes the main character.

Example using the author's words:

(pg. _____) _____

3. PLOT

A. Describe the MAIN conflict facing one of the characters.

B. Explain how the character's conflict is resolved.

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4. FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE

A. Identify **two different** examples of figurative language (see a partial list below) used in this book.

Metaphor - a comparison two different things. *Ex: "The book was a passport to adventure."*

Simile - a comparison of two things using like or as. *Ex: "My love is like a red rose."*

Hyperbole - an exaggeration for dramatic/humorous effect. *Ex: "My back weighs a ton."*

Personification - giving human qualities to anything nonhuman. *Ex: "His heart sang with love for her."*

B. Support your answer by providing an example from the text.

1. Type of Figurative Language: _____

Example using the author's words:

(pg.) _____

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Example using the author's words:

(pg.) _____

5. THEME

A. Write a theme statement for the book. A **theme** is an opinion or generalization about life or human nature or society. It is usually not stated directly, but must be inferred from the details the writer shares with the reader. Example of themes: Friendship Never give up Faith in God

Theme Statement: _____

6. YOUR REACTION

A. Describe a strength of this book. What made this a good book to read? Be specific.

B. Would you read another book by this author? YES NO

Explain:

