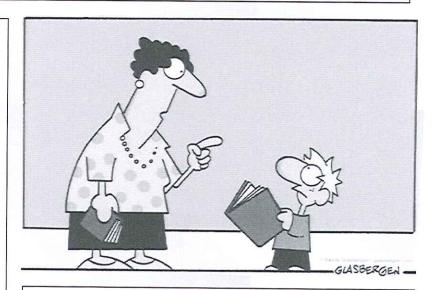
BOOK REPORT PROJECT DIRECTIONS

Each novel/play/biography you read this year will be accompanied by a book report assignment. You may CHOOSE from any of the following projects, but you may NOT do the same project more than once. They all have the same requirements.

Format Options

- Book Report Pizza
- ✓ Book Report Newsletter
- ✓ Book Report T-Shirt
- ✓ Book Report Cover
- ✓ Book Report PowerPoint
- Lunch Bag Book Report



"It's called 'reading.' It's how people install new software into their brains."

! WARNING

Plagiarism, the taking of another's ideas or words, from whatever source, without giving credit, is morally wrong and illegal. Students who intentionally engage in plagiarism will receive a ZERO on any assignment.

BOOK REPORT PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

all projects must include the following:

- 1. Title and author: Must be clearly visible. (2 pts.)
- 2. Name, Number, Date: Place these where indicated. (1 pt.)
- 3. **Setting Illustrations**: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the novel (you may use computer images). (4 pts.)
- 4. Characters: List and describe three important characters in the book. (3 pts.)
- 5. **Plot pyramid**: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words). (5 pts.)
- 6. **Summary**: Detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>. (5pts.)
- 7. Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean. (5 pts.)

Project Rubric Follows all directions and requirements Overall effort and use of class time Creativity Mechanics (grammar, punctuation, spelling, capitalization) Comments: ___/ 50 total points

Book Report Pizza

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel by making a paper pizza! Read all of the instructions before you begin. You may type or write, draw, or use computer images.

Use complete sentences. Turn in your best work. Check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!



INGREDIENTS NEEDED

Round Piece of paper - 12" in diameter Scissors Glue Ruler Pencil/Markers/Crayons

PREPARATION NEEDED

- 1. Cut the round paper for the crust.
- 2. Divide the crust into 8 slices (use a ruler for equal slices).
- Label each slice according to the slice # below.
- 4. Fill each slice according to each category.

NUMBER EACH SLICE AND INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORAMTION:

- Slice 1. Title and author: Must be clearly visible.
- Slice 2. Name, Number, Date
- Slice 3. Setting Illustrations: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the book (you may use computer images).
- Slice 4. Characters: List and describe three important characters in the book.
- Slices 5-6. Plot pyramid: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words).
- Slice 7. Summary: Detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>.
- Slice 8. Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.

T-Shirt Book Report

DIRECTIONS:

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel by designing a T-shirt! You may use markers, paint, iron-ons, sewn-on items, etc. Read all of the instructions before you begin.

Use complete sentences. Turn in your best work. Check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!



Your T-shirt should include the following elements:

- 1. Top front of shirt: Title and author: Must be clearly visible.
- 2. Right-hand sleeve: Name, Number, Date
- 3. Front lower right-hand: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the book (you may use computer images).
- 4. Front lower left-hand sleeve: List and <u>describe</u> three important characters in the book.
- 5. Top back of shirt: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words).
- 6. Middle back of shirt: Summary: detail the important events in the book <u>especially</u> the conflict and the resolution.
- 7. Bottom back of shirt: Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.

Newsletter Book Report

DIRECTIONS:

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel creating a newsletter! Read all of the instructions before you begin. You may type or write, draw, or use computer images.



Use complete sentences. Turn in your best work. Check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!

Fill in the following information in the spaces provided in the back of this sheet.

- 1. Title and author: Must be clearly visible.
- 2. Name, Number, Date: Place them on the bottom corner of your project or where indicated (for written report, head the paper as usual).
- 3. Setting Illustrations: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the book (you may use computer images).
- 4. Characters: List and describe three important characters in the book. (3 pts.)
- 5. Plot pyramid: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words).
- 6. Summary: Detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>.
- 7. Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.

BOOK REPORT NEWS

1. Book Title

2. Name/#/Date

3. Setting(s)





6-7. Summary and Quote Interpretation

(Write quote in this box.)

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4. Characters

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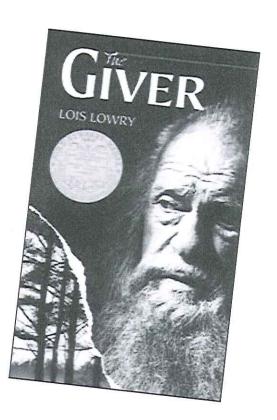
Cover Book Report

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel you have completed by designing a new book cover for the it. Specific instructions for each element follow. Read all of the instructions before you begin. Because of the nature of this project, all drawings should be done freehand, but the summary and quote interpretation may be typed.

Use complete sentences. Turn in your best work; check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!



- Fold a standard 8.5 X 11 sheet of computer paper in half.
- 2. Front: Include Title and Author (should be the same as the original book).
- 3. Front: Include an original (your own) illustration that shows your understanding of the novel. Do not recreate the actual cover of the book.
- 4. Inside front page: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the book (you may use computer images).
- 5. Inside front page: List and describe three important characters in the book.
- 6. Inside front page: Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.
- 7. Back: Summary: detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>.
- 8. Inside back page: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words).



Lunch Bag Book Report

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel you have completed by decorating your lunch! Specific instructions for each element follow. Read all of the instructions before you begin.

You may type or write your responses, but be sure to use complete sentences. Turn in your best work; check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!



Directions:

The Outside

On one side of the bag, write the title and author of the book in large, bold, nice letters. Use the other three sides of the bag to include three photos and/or drawings that illustrate the setting(s) of the book (you may use computer images). Write your name and number on the bottom of the bag.

The Inside (30 Points)

The inside of the container should include the following materials

- 1. A List and description of three important characters in the book.
- 2. A plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words).
- 3. A Summary: detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>.
- 4. Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.

PowerPoint Book Report

You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel you have completed by creating a fantastic PowerPoint presentation! Specific instructions for each element follow. Read all of the instructions before you begin.

Be sure to use complete sentences. Turn in your best work; check for spelling, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization. Have fun with this project. Be creative!



Directions:

Include slides for the following items in the order given. You can use as many slides as you want.

- 1. Title and Author of book, your name and class number
- 2. Setting Illustrations: Use 2-3 photos and/or drawings to illustrate the setting(s) of the book
- 3. Characters: List and describe three important characters in the book.
- 4. Plot pyramid: Complete a plot pyramid for the book (you may use words and pictures or just words). *Hint: use the line drawing tool on PowerPoint.
- 5. Summary: Detail the important events in the book <u>especially the conflict and the resolution</u>.
- 6. Quote Interpretation: Write down one quote (or more than one if you wish) from the story that has a lot of meaning. In 2-3 sentences, explain what you think the quote means and why. You must use evidence from the novel to explain what you mean.