



***Octorara JRHS Grade 7 (rising 8th grade)
Summer Reading Assignment: Fiction***

Directions: On a separate piece of paper, answer all of the questions below. Make sure you answer all parts of each question. All responses should be written in paragraph form, neatly composed, and contain grammatically correct sentences. Please attach an additional sheet of paper if needed. *Complete this assignment or the nonfiction assignment for 1 of the 3 books you read.*

Name: _____

Title of Book: _____ Author: _____

1. Choose a character from the book you found to be the most intriguing or interesting. Describe the character and identify three character traits (i.e. stubborn, adventurous) that make you enjoy reading about this character. Provide evidence from the text (examples of character's actions or words) to illustrate each character trait.
2. The climax is the turning point of a story; it is the pivotal point where a revelation influences the outcome of the story. Which event is the story's climax? Why is this turning point for the character(s)?
3. Choose a quote from the book that is the most meaningful to you or the story and explain why.
4. Relate an incident in the book to something you have experienced or would like to experience. Make sure your response is detailed and descriptive.
5. Overall, would you recommend this book to others? Why or Why not? Include specific reasons and **examples from the text** to support your response.