



***Octorara JRHS Grade 7 (rising 8<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
Summer Reading Assignment: (Nonfiction)***

**Directions: On a separate piece of paper, answer all of the questions below. Be sure to 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 fiction assignment for 1 of the 3 books you read.***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Book: \_\_\_\_\_ Author: \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the title and author of the book or article you read? What is the topic of the text? What is the author trying to say about this topic?
2. What information in this text was different from what you expected about the topic? What surprised you? Give 1-2 specific examples from the text to support your response.
3. Did this text change your mind about something? If so, what did you think before reading this text and how is your thinking different now? Give 1-2 details from the text to support your response.
4. Describe 3 important ideas or facts from this text. Why do you think they are important to know/remember? Give 1-2 examples or details from the text to support your response.
5. Overall, did you like this book and would you recommend it to another reader? Why or Why not? Include specific reasons and examples from the text to support your response.