

Independent Book Choice Reports

Every marking period you will be required to:

- Read (at least) **1 book** that you **have not read before**
- Keep a **reading log** to document the books you read throughout the year
- Hand in **written reports** to demonstrate your comprehension and analysis of the books

REPORTS ARE DUE 1 WEEK BEFORE THE CLOSING OF EVERY MARKING PERIOD.

* This should be typed or neatly handwritten in ink.

* Provide the following information for full credit:

- Title & Author provided on reading log and report (2 pts.)
- Summary/Plot Analysis (20 pts.) 1 paragraph per section
 1. FICTION –setting, main characters & basic situation (exposition)
 - NONFICTION –significant people, places & topic of the book
 2. FICTION – main events & conflicts (rising action and climax)
 - NONFICTION – important events
 3. FICTION – evidence based predictions & outcomes (resolution)
 - NONFICTION – what you hoped to learn & what you did learn
 4. important quotes (theme) 1-2 & explain importance
- Review/Critique (5 pts.) 1 paragraph
 1. your opinions on what you liked or didn't like about the book
 2. your opinions on what the author did or did not do well
- Vocabulary Selection (3 pts.)
 1. include 3 words that you were unfamiliar with
 2. provide definitions & a visual representation OR a sentence you write yourself
- Extra Credit Points
 1. choose 1 vocab. word to put on an index card (with definition) for the wall
 2. hand your report in at least one week early
 3. read more than you are required

*The due dates for these are as follows:

1. Friday November 4, 2016

