

Your Name: _____

Windham Middle School
Grade 7 Summer Reading Assignment 2019

Directions: Have fun reading the book you selected! As you are reading your book, complete the following chart in specific detail. You may write your responses as bullet notes, but make sure you write clearly and choose your words carefully.

Title of book: _____

Author of book: _____

Who is the narrator? What is the point of view?	
Describe the setting.	
Name and describe the main characters.	
Describe the main conflict.	

Describe several events that make up the rising action.	
Describe the story's climax.	
Describe the events in the falling action/resolution.	



Sticky Note Annotations & Signposts Close-Reading Activity

Directions: As you read, complete sticky note annotations to mark important passages throughout the novel. You must write **at least 4 annotations for each third** of the book, totaling a **minimum of 12 sticky note annotations**. Ideas for sticky notes:

- Opinions about characters
- Something about a character's personality
- Questions about characters
- Things you're confused about
- Things you wonder about
- Connections to your life/things you relate to
- Connections to other books or to movies
- Predictions
- What you hope happens/your emotions
- Describe a new perspective that you now have.
- New vocabulary words (to look up later) and predicted meanings
- Questions you may have
- Observations you made
- Thoughts about the author
- Something you like/don't like in the story
- Reactions to reading
- Figurative language (imagery, metaphors, similes, personification, symbolism, hyperbole)

