

Weekly Reading Response

- Once a week, you will be given time to write a response to your wide reading.
- These responses should be well thought out, include support from the text, and be grammatically correct.
- Your responses **MUST** be at least five sentences long and demonstrate your understanding of the text in order to receive full credit.
- Choose one of the following questions to answer, and write the question at the top of the notebook paper.

1. How would you describe your main character so far (character traits)? What thoughts, words, actions
2. What problems or conflicts do you think the characters will face?
3. If I were a character (at this point in the story), I would... because...
4. Write a letter to a character. Give him or her advice about something in the book.
5. I admire or detest this character because...
6. If you could change something about a character in the story, what would it be and why? Why did you choose this character?
7. I wish the author would change this part because...
8. Why do you think the author wrote this novel/story? What message do you think the author is trying to share?
9. Write a summary of what you read today.
10. This character/situation reminds me of a similar character/situation in my own life. Explain the connection.
11. The ideas here remind me of the ideas in (another book, movie, news event) because...
12. I think this will happen next/soon (identify characters, events, etc.) because...