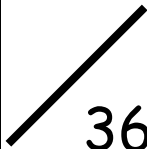


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Eight Grade Book Report Rubric Please attach to book report

	4	3	2	1	Total Points
Title, Author and Illustrator on cover page	All three present and stated exactly as on the title page on cover page.	Missing one of the required items: title, author or illustrator on cover page.	Missing two of the required items: title, author or illustrator on cover page.	No cover page.	
Illustration	Illustration, hand drawn or copied integrated seamlessly.	Illustration, hand drawn or copied included.	Illustration unrelated to the story.	Illustration not included.	
Setting	Where and when is clearly explained.	Where and when is explained.	Either where or when is missing.	Where and when is missing completely.	
Main Character Description	Main characters are described. Five or more well written sentences have been written about each character.	Main characters are described. Fewer than five sentences have been written about each character.	Characters are described (may or may not be main.) Fewer than five sentences have been written about each character.	Two or less characters are described. Fewer than five sentences have been written about each character.	
Summary	The summary is well formed and is in sequence. It is clear that the student read and understood the book.	The summary is formed and in sequence. The student has read and understood the book.	The summary is missing key information or is out of sequence. The student has read the story, but may not have a clear understanding of it.	The summary is not clearly written and is out of sequence. The student did not read or understand the book.	
Conclusion	There is a concise concluding paragraph.	There is a concluding paragraph.	There is vague conclusion and/or not a paragraph.	There is no conclusion.	
Opinion	Student's opinion is clearly written with reason.	Student's opinion is written with reason.	Student's opinion is unclear.	No opinion was included in the report.	
Spelling and Grammar	There are no spelling or grammar errors.	There is one spelling or grammar error.	There are two spelling or grammar errors.	There are three or more spelling or grammar errors.	
Neatness	Report is typed or hand written neatly.	Report has a few (one) erasures/cross-outs.	Report has some (three or fewer) erasures/cross-outs.	Report has some (four or more) erasures/cross-outs.	
Teacher Comments:					 36