

Novel Summary Assignment 10 Marks

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Name _____

General Expectations

- The summaries must come from fiction books recorded in the classroom log – no books already made into a movie; no graphic novels.
- Draft first, then edit. In particular, watch for fragments, run-ons and comma splices
- As always double spaced

Requirements

- Paragraph form
- Title the assignment – **Novel Summary of name of book**
- Provide a brief but clear plot summary. Try to keep to one page or less. Avoid excessive detail. Just be sure to include the setting/intro, the key story problem(s), a clear example of increasing suspense, the climax and resolution. Remember that the resolution usually connects to the main problem. Ensure you have provided the key highlights of the entire story line.
- Separately, briefly describe one example each of internal and external conflict
- Finally, express your opinion about the book. Include whether you recommend it and state who might be the best audience for the book.

Self check rubric – check the boxes once you're sure that step is completed

- assignment title
- paragraph form
- double spaced
- brief but clear summary plot summary
- examples of conflict identified
- personal response to the book and recommendation
- thoroughly edited for minor spelling and grammar issues.

