

Independent Reading Project Rubric

Name [REDACTED]

Period 6

Date 3-2-09

Criteria	1	2	3	4	Points
Analysis 20	Your project does not demonstrate a careful reading. Your analysis just touches the surface of the novel and does not include specific details.	Your analysis and responses are very generic and do not demonstrate a careful reading. More details need to be added to strengthen your project.	Your project demonstrates careful reading. Your analysis and response could be strengthened by adding more specific details to support your conclusions.	<u>Your project demonstrates careful reading. Your analysis and response of the characters and plot are supported by details and display higher level thinking.</u> <i>Great details!</i>	18
Workmanship and Creativity 20	Your project seems like it may have been put together the night before. It is unorganized, incomplete, and lacks creativity.	Your project is a little sloppy, but it is still creative. It would improve with a little more organization and planning.	Your project is well put together and organized. It is fairly original and creative.	<u>Your project demonstrates careful planning and good workmanship. It is creative, organized, and original.</u>	20
Grammar and Spelling 10	There are many spelling and grammatical errors, and they detract from your message.	There are a few grammatical and spelling errors, and they are beginning to detract from your message.	There are a couple of minor grammatical or spelling errors, but they do not detract much from your message.	<u>There are very minor, if any, grammatical or spelling errors, and they do not interfere with your message.</u>	9

Teacher Comments:

I really enjoyed reading your diary entries. They read like a short story - interesting and exciting! My only suggestion would be to add more analysis. Why do you think Jamie chooses not to speak? Why is it important to save the aliens, etc.

Overall, great job!

Points Earned:

47/50 94%
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