

Historical Fiction Book Report

Use this four-square graphic organizer to write your five paragraph book report.

<p>Paragraph 2</p> <p>First support of your thesis statement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you are writing about a character's change over time, you will share his personality at the beginning. - If you have used 3 different words to describe your character's personality, focus on the first describing word/trait. - Use evidence from the story (ex. – if the character starts out shy or quiet, how do you know? Show us, don't tell your reader that the author told you so.) Give two or three specific examples of evidence from the book to prove your point <p>Use powerful adjectives, adverbs, and verbs from a thesaurus.</p>	<p>Paragraph 3</p> <p>Second support of your thesis statement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you are writing about a character change over time, you will share what the causes are, and what effects the historical setting has on your character as the book unfolds. - If you are writing about 3 personality characteristics of your main character, you will use this paragraph to focus on the second personality trait. Use specific examples in the book that prove that trait to be true. (Show, don't tell the reader the author told you so.)
<p>Paragraph 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Name and Author, using correct capitalization and conventions. -Short 1-3 summary of the book or its theme. -Your thesis statement: something you set out to prove. This can be how a character changes from beginning to end, or 3 different character traits you believe a character has, or 3 ways the history of that time period affects the main character. 	<p>Paragraph 4</p> <p>Third support of your thesis statement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you are writing about a character change over time, you will share proof of character's new emerged personality. - If you are writing about 3 personality traits, you will focus on the character's third personality trait, again with 1-3 examples of proof.
<p>Paragraph 5 – Concluding Paragraph</p> <p>Is the character someone you admire because of his traits or his change? Why or why not? Would these character traits hold over time? (Would they still be important today)</p>	