# **Intro to American & British Lit: Reading Responses**

Good writing has good ideas and good thinking. It is clear, precise, and concise. Make your answers reflect these qualities.

Do NOT summarize the story or include long quotes. I know the story well. Instead, react and respond to ideas in the story. Why are they important or interesting or worth thinking about? How do the ideas in the story connect to your life and experienceWhat questions do you have? (Not “what questions might impress the teacher?”

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| Pinyin name |  | | | Section # |  |
| English name (optional) |  | | | Date |  |
| Reading Response to Book/Chapters | | About how long did this take to read? | | |  |
|  | | How difficult was it? (0-5)  (0 = easy …5 = impossible to understand) | | |  |
| How interesting was it? (0-5)  (0 = so boring … 5 = loved it) | | |  |
| New vocabulary/language | | | | | |
| **10+ Words I needed to look up** (with brief English definition) | | | **10+ Words I guessed the meaning of** (with your guess) | | |
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| Ideas from this reading that would be interesting to discuss | | | | | |
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| Questions about the story (include language, culture, story) | | | | | |
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