Book Report Form Directions

<u>FORM</u> <u>DIRECTIONS</u>

Book title Underline it.

Author State the first and last name or the initials of

the author.

Other books the author has written

List the titles of the author's other books

suggested in the opening pages of this one.

Characters Use complete sentences and always state the

character's name and two words to describe

the character's personality.

<u>Protagonist</u>: chief character on whom our interest centers;

hero/heroine

Antagonist: opponent of the protagonist; character(s) pitted against the hero/heroine; villain

Others: some of the other significant

characters

Setting(s) State where the story takes place for two

different categories.

Overall story: general locale,

historical time, social circumstances

Specific scenes: physical location

Description Describe that images that come to your mind

when picturing of one of the specific scene

settings.

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Plot Outline Write: Events and actions ordered toward

an ultimate end

Exposition Tell what initiates the main action of the

story.

Describe the struggle between characters or

ideas.

Rising Action Explain how the conflict develops.

Climax Tell about the height of action or ideas.

Falling Action Explain how the conflict diminishes.

Resolution State the outcome of the plot.

Theme is Write: Theme is the message of the story.

Theme is important because Write: It's important because it makes the

story meaningful and more than just a

story.

Themes of this novel are State the themes of the story.

Symbolism is Write: It's the use of something that

represents or stands for something else, as

resemblance or association.

Symbols are important because Write: They aid in the understanding of

the story.

Symbols in this novel include

List the symbols and their significance in the

story.

Characterization is Write: It's establishing the differences

among the characters.

Characterization is important because Write: It helps in the development of

theme and plot.

Love 'em or hate 'em Explain why you love or hate a specific

character.

Your thoughts

In a well-organized paragraph explain what you liked or disliked about this book.