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**Ninth Grade Summer Assignment**

Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\*FIND 2 books that you will enjoy reading and complete the following assignment.

This assignment is due by the 5th day of classes

**Questions? Ask Ms. Abraham- aabraham@ewsis.org**

**I. Characters**

A. Major characters: Identify and give a brief description of their personality traits, physical attributes and

tell why each is important to the plot.

B. Minor characters: Identify at least two minor characters and explain the significance of their role in the

plot of the story.

C. Who was your favorite character(s) and why?

**II. Setting**

A. Describe the setting of the book.

**III. Literary Elements**

A. Plot: Identify the components of the plot map according to the events of the story.

1. Exposition:

2. Rising Action:

3. Climax:

4. Falling Action:

5. Resolution:

**IV. Overall opinion**

A.  Write a journal entry about your overall feelings about the book. Write what you liked/disliked about it, whether or not you would recommend it to your peers to read, why you chose it and one lesson you learned from reading the book.