
Reader's Response Topics

- Write about your favorite part of the book and why it was important to the story.
 - Explore how the main character changed throughout the story.
 - Write about something that surprised you or that you found interesting.
 - Describe an interesting or important character in your book.
 - Describe parts of the book that puzzled you or made you ask questions.
 - Write about an important lesson that was learned in the story.
 - Tell your thoughts or feelings about the theme of the story.
 - Write your predictions about the story and tell whether or not they were right.
 - Explain how the book reminds you of yourself, people you know, or of something that happened in your life. (Text-Self Connection)
 - Explain how the book reminds you of other books, especially the characters, events, or setting. (Text-Text Connection)
 - Describe how this book is like other books by the same author, on the same topic, or in the same genre.
 - Retell the ending of the story, and write your feelings about it.
 - Explain why you think that your book is popular with students in the class.
 - Would you recommend this book to another reader? Why or why not?
 - Describe what you would change about the book if you could rewrite it.
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- Describe in details the setting of your book and how it fits into the story.
 - Write a diary entry in the voice of a character in your book. Compare two characters in the book to each other by describing their