

Name:

Book Title: _____

Pages: -

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Literature Circle -Half Time Response - Individual or Make Up

Either because of absence, unpreparedness, or because you are a solo reader, you must “discuss” the book yourself. Answer all parts of each question. Two different responses should be recorded where indicated. Each response should be several sentences; this is the written equivalent of discussing the book with others. This will count as one quiz grade .



Think back to when you began reading the book. What was *the opening conflict*? Did it catch your attention?

Response:



What complications are unfolding as the novel progresses? How have things become *more* difficult for the main character?

Response:



Identify a main character. Do you like him/her? Why or why not? (Give specific evidence from the text.)

Response (about one character):

Response (about another character or a different opinion of the same character):



Identify the setting of your book (discuss at least the time and place). Does it seem to hold importance?

Response:



Comment on some aspect of style used in the novel. For example, is there an interesting point of view, time progression, format, chapter titles, or language use? How does the selected style add to the book?

Response:



Are there any repeated phrases or items that seem significant? Have you noticed a significant use of numbers or names or places or people? Have you determined the meaning of the book's title?

Response:



Point out something in the book with which you can identify. IF not, point out what new things are you learning.

Response:



Give a specific example of something especially humorous or sad within the book

Response:



What questions are you waiting for the book to answer? Does the text provide and clues to indicate the answers? (foreshadowing)

Response: