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**“Choice Reading” Book Assignment**  
for students entering either **English 7** or **English 7 Honors**

Before the school year begins, please read a book of your choice, print this reading guide, and answer each question in hand-written complete sentences.

**CHOICE READING BOOK ASSIGNMENT GUIDELINES:**

*Read one book of your choice.*

- *You may not choose books that you have read previously or have had read to you.*
- *Your choice book should be age appropriate. If you are in doubt, do not choose it.*
- *Your book must have at least 100 pages. Please avoid “illustrated” graphic novels.*

**SUMMER READING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- *Read the entire book of your choice following the guidelines above.*
- ***PRINT this study guide & keep in your English 7 binder for the 1<sup>st</sup> day of school.***
- *Answer ALL study guide questions. (Use the space provided after each question to answer.)*

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**Questions to Answer in Preparation for Book Discussions:**

1. *Who is the main character (PROTAGONIST) of the book? Who are the other CHARACTERS? How are they related to each other?*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. *What are the MAIN PLOT EVENTS in the book? What event do you think is the most important? Why?*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. *What do you think is the author’s message (THEME)? Why do you think this? Prove it.*

**4. *Where does this story take place? When? (SETTING)***

**5. *What is the MAJOR CONFLICT in your book? How does this conflict get settled? If it does not, why not?***

**6. *Which character would you enjoy hanging out with for a day? What activities do you think you would both enjoy doing? Why?***

**7. *Would this book make a good movie? Why or why not?***

**8. *What item(s) would your character put into a time capsule? Why?***

**9. *What gift would you want to give to one of your characters? Why would you give this gift?***

**10. Write a brief SUMMARY of your chosen book. (5-7 sentences)**

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