

2nd hour Book Review Rubric

Name _____

	Advanced = 4	Proficient = 3	Partially Proficient = 2	Unsatisfactory = 1
Plot	1. Describes the setting (time & place). 2. Tells main events. 3. Doesn't give away the ending 4. Tells the problem	1. Describes the setting (time & place). 2. Tells some main events. 3. Doesn't give away the ending 4. Tells the problem	1. Describes the setting (time & place) 2. Tells a few main events. 3. Doesn't give away the ending	1. Tells a few main events. 3. Gives away the ending
Opinion	1. Describes what they think both good & bad about: a. resolution b. characters c. problem 2. Gives examples (quotes) from the book	1. Describes what they think (both good & bad) about: a. resolution b. characters c. problem - 3 times	1. Tells us 2 opinions	1. Tells us one opinion
Descriptive Words	1. Chooses uncommon words 2. Can hear the writer's voice	1. Chooses mainly uncommon words 2. Can hear the writer's voice sometimes	1. Chooses a few uncommon words 2. Can hear the writer's voice one time	1. Chooses one uncommon words 2. Can't hear the writer's voice
Who should read this book?	1. Give specific information about the genre. 2. Tells us two additional factors	1. Give information about the genre. 2. Tells us an additional factor	1. Only give information about the genre.	1. "Everyone should read this book."
Characters *OPTIONAL*	1. Describes main characters 2. Tells us how they fit in the story 3. Gives us their opinion of the characters	1. Describes main characters 2. Tells us how they fit in the story	1. Describes main characters	1. Tells us the characters names only.
Same author/different book or similar book/different author OPTIONAL	1. Gives detailed information about similar books OR Gives detailed information about other books the same author has written	1. Mentions some simliar books OR other books the author has written	1. Says this book is like another one	1. Says they have read this author before
Rating *OPTIONAL*	1. Tells us their rating 2. Gives specific reasons that they gave it that rating	1. Tells us their rating 2. Gives some reasons that they gave it that rating	1. Tells us their rating and one reason why	1. Tells us their rating.

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No attempt = 0
Nothing about the setting or main events
Doesn't give any opinions.
No descriptive words
Doesn't tell us who should read this book.
Doesn't give information about the characters
Doesn't give this information.
Doesn't tell us their rating.