

RUBRIC: BOOK REPORT

	Excellent (4-5)	Good/ Adequate (2-3)	Poor (0-1)	Total
Required Elements	Includes all the required elements, including an attractive, thoughtful cover, 10-word glossary, and 2-3 page MLA-formatted report.	Includes most of the required elements as stated in instructions.	Missing required elements.	
Organization	Organization is clear. Includes a catchy introduction, effective thesis statement, thoughtful transitions and a satisfying conclusion.	Organization is strong enough to move reader through the text without confusion.	Writing lacks a clear sense of direction. Problems with organization make it difficult to follow.	
Content/ Supporting Details	Uses clear, compelling and specific details for support. Effectively uses at least three direct quotations from the book for textual evidence.	Uses adequate details for support. Uses at least three direct quotations from book.	Support is unspecific, incomplete or vague. Mail fail to use three direct quotations for evidence.	
Word Choice	Writer uses rich, colorful language that conveys the message in a precise and interesting way.	The language is functional; words are adequate and correct in a general sense.	Writer uses a limited vocabulary. Words are unspecific and/or used incorrectly.	
Conventions	Writing shows clear grasp of standard conventions (spelling, punctuation, capitalization, grammar, etc)	Writing shows reasonable control over a limited range of standard conventions. Spelling, punctuation, grammar, etc usually correct.	Frequent errors in spelling, punctuation, grammar, etc distract the reader and make it difficult to read.	
Total:				