

Name: _____ Due:

Ways to Respond

1. The part that I liked/disliked the most was . . . because . . .
2. I was confused when . . . because . . .
3. This part reminds me of when I read (or heard, saw, experienced) . . . because . . .
4. This character reminds me of myself because . . .
5. This character is like (name of character) in (title of book) because . . .
6. This scene reminds me of a similar scene in (title of book) because . . .
7. This part is very realistic/unrealistic because . . .
8. I think the important details in this section were. . . because . . .
9. If I were (name of character) at this point, I'd . . . because . . .
10. This situation reminds me of the time I . . . because . . .
11. I learned that . . .

LITERARY GENRES (Codes for Log)

Realistic Fiction- make believe characters, events could happen in real life (RF)

Historical Fiction-set in the past with some accurate historical facts (HF)

Science Fiction-set in the future, uses science and/or technology (SF)

Fantasy-imaginary story that could NOT happen in real life (animals talk/fly, can contain magical elements (FAN)

Mystery-suspenseful story with a puzzling question that is solved at end of story (MYS)

Autobiography-story of a person's life (true) written by that person (AUTO)

Traditional Literature- fairy tales/folk tales/fables myths/legends-usually passed down orally from person to person, contains a lesson, moral, or profound thought (TL)

Picture Books- words and pictures work together to create a story (PB)

Poetry-written with imaginative language, can have rhythm, rhyme, and/or spark emotions (P)

Nonfiction-information, true facts (textbooks, encyclopedias, dictionaries, etc.) (NF)

Biography-story of a person's life (true) written by someone else (BIO)

Magazine/Newspaper- articles with factual and/or fictional material which informs or entertains (M/N)