

## Book Review Assignment - Mr. Oncay's Language Arts

**After reading a book of your choosing with Mr. Oncay's approval, please write a "review" of the book in the format that Mr. Oncay supplied.**

All directions are available on [mroncay.com](http://mroncay.com)

### **Directions:**

1. You can recreate the format (by typing from scratch) or copy the format file from Mr. Oncay's website. You must start with Google Drive, but you can also use a Word or Pages files and then copy paste into Google.

1a. Use Times New Roman, 12pt font.

2. Type out a heading with your name, the date, the period, and write "Book Review: Fall 2013."

3. **Use the format page** to note where you should use all caps, where you should underline, and where you should skip lines.

**DO NOT PLAGIARIZE. DON'T STEAL FROM THE INTERNET OR ANY OTHER SOURCE.**

4. Supply a summary of the book in more than 250 words and less than 300 words. You must identify the main characters, the setting, the main conflict, the climax, and the resolution as you write this summary. Don't give away the ending.

5. Supply your opinion of the book in more than 150 and less than 200 words. Discuss the novel as if you were going to suggest it to a friend. Some ideas for discussion: What were the strengths and weaknesses of the novel? Did the author use good word choice? What age group would best enjoy this novel? Consider a little information about the author if it helps to explain your opinion of the book. If you could go back in time, would you choose this book again? **USE THE MODEL THAT MR. ONCAY PROVIDED** as a sample. At the end of your review, give the book a number of "stars" out of ten.

6. Make three sections for your comprehension questions and vocabulary. Provide those questions with numbers, and write the answers after each question by adding an "a" next to the number. (SEE SAMPLE)

7. You must provide a **PRINTED** version of the book review that includes your [turnitin.com](http://turnitin.com) originality score.

*Email Mr. Oncay if you have questions.*

