



Middle School Advanced Summer Reading Project Rubric

Criteria		4 Outstanding	3 Strong	2 Emerging	1 Needs Improvement
Content (Weighted Twice)	Assignment meets requirements specific to chosen topic	All requirements are met (weighted twice)	Most requirements are met (weighted twice)	Some requirements are met (weighted twice)	Few requirements are met (weighted twice)
	Teacher Comments				
Usage and Mechanics	Grammar, Spelling, Punctuation are correct	Few to no errors	Few errors do not distract from readability of assignment	Frequent errors somewhat distract from readability of assignment	Frequent errors severely distract from readability of assignment
	Teacher Comments				
Close Reading	Understanding of the book	Project portrays complete understanding of the book	Project portrays strong understanding of the book	Project portrays weak understanding of the book	Project displays little to no understanding of the book
	Teacher Comments				
Effort	Neatness, effort, etc.	All aspects of the project show time and care were taken in the preparation	Most aspects of the project show time and care were taken in the preparation	Some aspects of the project show time and care were taken in the preparation	Few aspects of the project show time and care were taken in the preparation
	Teacher Comments:				

Grade Conversion Scale		Overall Teacher Comments on the Project
Points Earned on Rubric	Quiz Grade in Gradebook	
20	100	
19	98	
18	96	
17	94	
16	92	
15	90	
14	88	
13	86	
12	84	
11	82	
10	80	
9	78	
8	76	
7	74	
6	72	
5	70	

Directions: Fill out the chart below based on the characters in *Because of Mr. Terupt*. You should write your character description in complete sentences in the middle column. In the last column, you should find specific quotations from the novel that support your character description. The textual evidence can be direct quotations from the story. You should include the page number with your quotation.

Character Name	Character Description	Textual Evidence and Page #
Jessica		
Alexia		
Peter		
Luke		
Danielle		
Anna		
Jeffrey		
Mr. Terupt		