

Fiction Book Report Rubric

Name: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____ Author: _____

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title/Author Information – Includes interesting information or background about the author. May also include other titles written by the author. 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theme or central idea – Identifies the message, lesson, or moral the reader takes away from the book. 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Genre – Identifies the category used to classify literary works (fantasy, adventure, mystery, romance, science, or historical fiction, etc.) 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brief Plot Summary – Captures the reader’s interest by including the setting, main characters, conflict, and resolution. May also include student made connections such as text-to-self, text-to-text, and/or text-to-world in one page or less. 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Author’s Purpose – Explains why the author wrote the story (to entertain, inform, persuade or a combination.) 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tone or Mood – Explains how the tone affects the feelings of the reader or how the author wants the reader to feel when reading the story. 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creativity/Originality – The project and/or student displays clever, inventive, and effective use of materials to express ideas. • The project contains the student’s first name and last initial. 	0 1 2 3 4 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interview – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student communicates clearly and effectively. • Conversation reveals student study and effort. • Conversation encourages or persuades audience to read text. 	0 1 2 3 4 5 0 1 2 3 4 5 0 1 2 3 4 5
TOTAL POINTS	