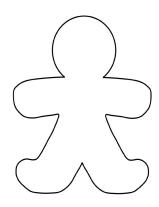
## CHARACTER DOLL PROJECT



This project will require you to create a poster-board size doll. The character doll should be an accurate representation of the 5 elements of a story.

## Requirements:

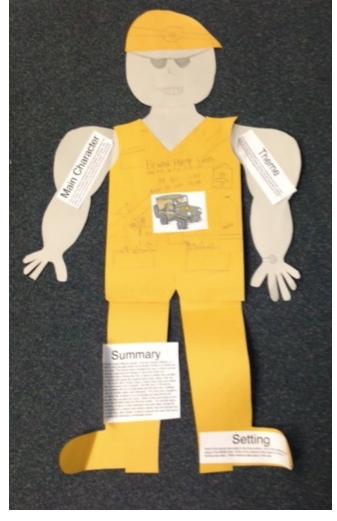
- 1. <u>Body:</u> Include the title, author's name, and your name. Draw a picture to symbolize the main conflict of the novel.
- 2. <u>Right Leg:</u> Write a paragraph (6-8 sentences) describing the setting of the book. Don't forget to include the time, place, and condition.
- 3. <u>Left Leg:</u> Write 12-16 sentences briefly summarizing the plot. You may need to put some of this on the back of the leg. Don't forget to include the beginning, middle, end, main conflict, and resolution.
- 4. <u>Right Arm:</u> Write a paragraph (6-8 sentences) describing one theme of the novel. Don't forget that theme is the author's message about life that the reader can take away after reading the book.
- 5. <u>Left Arm:</u> Write a paragraph (6-8 sentences) describing the main character of the novel. Describe the character's physical appearance and personality.

## CHARACTER DOLL EXAMPLE









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Body (title, author, name)	Empty space on the body.	Wrote only one of the instructed parts and illustrated no picture of the climax.	Illustrated the conflict, but not necessarily to represent the main conflict of the novel.  May have neglected to include all three (author, title, and name).	Illustrated the conflict and included all of the three pieces of information (author, title, and name).
Right Arm (theme)	Attempted to write about the theme, but was confused as to what the book's life lesson/message truly was. Them theme that was written about could not be applied to life in general.	Identified a theme that is narrow in scope. The theme is supposed to be a life lesson applicable to general life, but the theme would only be applicable to certain people in certain situations.	Identified a theme that applies to life in general. The life lesson/message of the book is clearly evident in the paragraphs.	Identified a theme that applies to life in general. The life lesson/message of the book is clearly evident in the paragraphs. Gave specific examples from the text to back up the thinking.
Left Arm (main character)	Briefly described the main character by listing a few descriptive words.	Wrote in complete sentences to describe the main character. Focused mainly on one part of the character (personality or physical appearance).	Wrote in complete sentences and described both personality and physical description.	Wrote in complete sentences and described both personality and physical description. Used specific examples from the text to back up the thinking.
Right Leg (setting)	Did not describe the setting in complete sentences. Listed places and neglected to mention the three aspects of setting (time, condition, and place).	Described the setting in complete sentences, but only mentioned one of the three aspects of setting (time, condition, and place).	Described the setting in complete sentences, but only mentioned two of the three aspects of setting (time, condition, and place).	Described the setting in complete sentences.  Mentioned all three aspects of the setting (time, condition, and place).
Left Leg (plot)	Attempted to summarize the plot, but left out more than one key component (exposition, rising action, climax, and resolution).	Attempted to summarize the plot, but left out one key component (exposition, rising action, climax, and resolution).	Attempted to summarize the plot and included all key components (exposition, rising action climax, and resolution). However, included too many irrelevant details.	Attempted to summarize the plot and included all key components (exposition, rising action, climax, and resolution.) All details were relevant.

Points:	
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Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Comments: