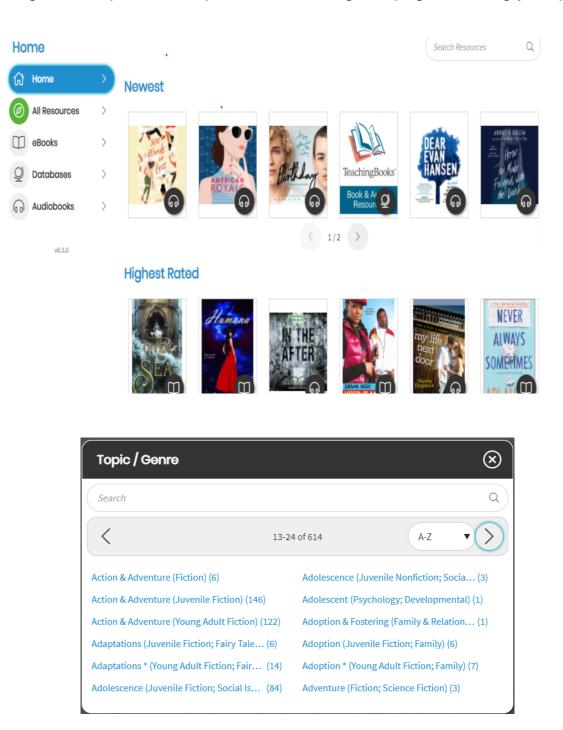
Class Period #_____

English IV Prep Summer Reading Assignment

For summer reading, we want to encourage you to find a book you thoroughly enjoy; we hope it is a text you do not want to put down even for a moment!

For help with selecting a book, you are welcome to utilize MackinVIA, which is located through Digital Resources on the Hub. Within MackinVIA, you can search by: topic/genre, author, subject, series, etc. Many books are accompanied by an audio book version through this platform as well!

Below, you will find what MackinVIA looks like as well as a few genres provided on the site. After selecting a book, please complete the following two pages utilizing your preferred book.



Novel chosen:

Part I: SYNTAX

Use your selected novel to find examples of the following sentence structures, and write the sentences in the blanks on the right, including page numbers. WRITE LEGIBLY!

TYPE OF SENTENCE	EXAMPLE/SAMPLE	EXAMPLE FROM YOUR NOVEL
<u>Simple</u> – one	John opened the front	
independent clause	door. (p. 125)	
<u>Compound</u> – more than	John opened the front	
one independent clause	door, and he saw a	
	burglar. (p.137)	
Complex – an	When John entered the	
independent clause and	house, the dog started	
at least one dependent	barking. (p. 189)	
clause		
<u>Compound-Complex</u> -	When John entered the	
more than one	house, the dog started	
independent clause and	barking, and the burglar	
at least one dependent clause	ran out the back door. $(p, 260)$	
Declarative – makes a	(p. 269) The assignment was	
statement	very easy. (p. 43)	
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Exclamatory – expresses	The girls were	
strong feelings	frightened by the eerie	
	sounds in the woods and	
	ran! (p. 78)	
Imponotivo maleos a	Pring donuts tomorrow	
Imperative – makes a command or request	Bring donuts tomorrow for the whole class. (p.	
command of request	190)	
	170)	
Interrogative – asks a	Does John realize how	
question	dangerous it was to	
	surprise a burglar? (p.	
	32)	

Part II: FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE

Use your selected novel to locate examples of the following types of figurative language, and complete the chart. WRITE LEGIBLY!

TYPE OF FIGURATIVE		
LANGUAGE	EXAMPLE/SAMPLE	YOUR EXAMPLE FROM NOVEL
Simile: comparison of two		
unlike things using like or as		
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Metaphor: implied		
comparison of two unlike		
things		
times		
Personification: gives human		
traits to non-human things		
<u>Hyperbole</u> : gross exaggeration		
Alliteration: repetition of		
consonant sounds at the		
beginnings of words		

Part III: THEME

A theme is a universal message or main idea that carries throughout the entire work. What is the idea, or lesson, your book's author is conveying? How do you know? Cite text evidence to defend your premise. Write your response in complete sentences. WRITE LEGIBLY!