**6th grade**

**Book Report**

**Template**

**1st Paragraph**

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| Book Title | I chose…… |
| Author | The author’s name is………. |
| Publishing Company |  |
| Number of pages |  |
| Genre |  |
| Where did you find book? |  |
| What made you choose this book? |  |

**2nd Paragraph**

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| **Exposition** | The beginning of the story. The exposition introduces the setting and characters.   setting -- the time and place of the novel   [characters](http://middle-school-lesson-plans.suite101.com/article.cfm/novel_character_type_lesson) -- the people, animals and/or creatures who are part of the story. |  |
| **Rising action** | Rising Actionincludes events leading up to the climax. There are conflicts that arise during these events. |  |
| **Conflicts** | Conflictsare problems or complications. There are many types of conflicts, but the most commons ones are as follows:   * Man vs. man – two people arguing or fighting * Man vs. himself – a person who has problems within, such as depression, unresolved anger or love, feelings of rejection, etc. * Man vs. nature – a person against a natural disaster or Mother Nature, i.e. a storm, blizzard, hurricane, etc. * Man vs. supernatural – a person against things that are not easily explained or "normal", such as ghosts, evil forces, gods, etc. * Man vs. Technology – a person against a machine of some sort, a computer, a vehicle, or robot. |  |
| **Climax** | Climaxis the turning point of the story. It is a high point and is usually somewhere in the middle of the story. |  |
| **Falling action** | Falling Actionincludes events after the climax. These events lead to the resolution and start tying up loose ends. |  |
| **Resolution** | Resolutionis the end of the story where all of the loose ends are tied up for the reader. |  |

**3rd Paragraph**

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| **Choose at least 3 of the following items.** | **Specific detail #1** | **Specific detail #2** |
| Setting |  |  |
| Figurative Language |  |  |
| Humor |  |  |
| Characterization |  |  |
| Conflict |  |  |
| Climax |  |  |
| Theme |  |  |
| Genre |  |  |

**4th Paragraph**

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| **Choose at least 3 of the following items.** | **Specific detail #1** | **Specific detail #2** |
| A brief account of the author’s life |  |  |
| Suspense |  |  |
| Foreshadowing |  |  |
| Sensory Details |  |  |
| Point of View |  |  |
| Irony |  |  |
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**5th Paragraph**

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| Your favorite or most memorable lines from the book. |  |
| Page # of quote |  |
| Why did you choose that particular quote? |  |

**6th Paragraph**

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| Book evaluation. Was the book what you expected, better, or less than you expected? |  |
| Personal views |  |
| Reasons for your views |  |