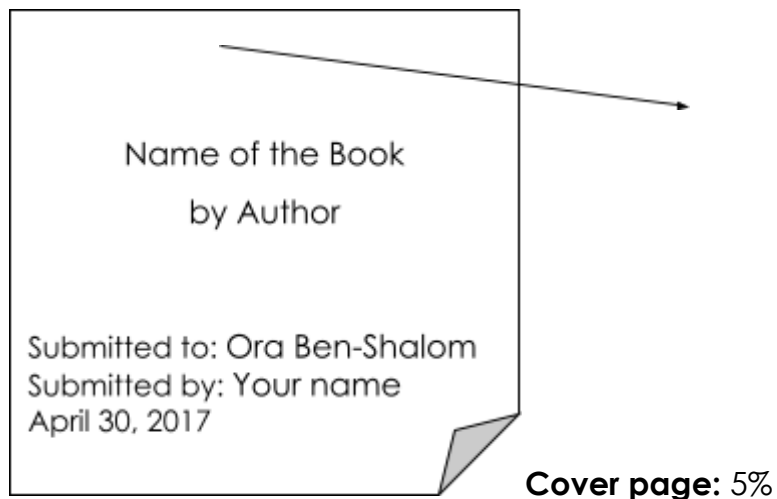


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Rationale: Real life makes demands on people. We don't always find it easy, or fun, but we have to do the things required of us. In order to prepare you, you are being challenged with a reading task. You will employ new skills that you will need in your future. It may take you out of your 'comfort zone', but it will make you feel **great** when you prove to yourself that you **really can succeed** at new things.

General: You have 'chosen' a book to read. **Good for you!** Read it at your leisure. (I hope you enjoy it.) Here is what the project should include and, yes, you **must** do it on the computer. **Use a clear font, 12 pts. Use line spacing of 1.5.** There's no need to use color print.



Page 1: 10%

Describe the characters – Who are the 2 – 3 main characters in the book? Give some information about them so that your reader 'knows' them.

The plot – Describe the setting and what the story is about. (**DO NOT COPY** – write it in your own words.) **Prove** that you have read the entire book.

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Page 2: 10%

Write a **letter** to the author explaining why you liked or didn't like the book. Relate to two or three specific incidents in the story. You may explain how these incidents added to your understanding of the story, or what you learned about the character(s) involved through them. This should be 100 – 120 words – 4 paragraphs.

Page 3: Creative - Choose from one of the following: 25%

- A. Draw a picture from the story.
- B. Write an original poem / song about the story (include details).
- C. Create a original presentation telling the story
- D. Create an original advertisement for the book.
- E. Build something original that is connected to the story
- F. Make an original movie trailer
- G. Anything you think will show the main point of the story – ask me first, please!

Part 2: In this part **you will talk** about the story **for 2 minutes**; what you liked/didn't like **and** about the work you did for the creative part. You can **either** speak to the class and present your work or you can send me a video of yourself speaking. **YOU MUST LOOK at the camera when you speak** (you may not read from ANY pre-written text).

This is 50% of the grade.

Date due - April 30nd, 2017

Have a great time! If you need help, contact me – you know how.

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