

# FCS Summer Reading 2021

## English 6

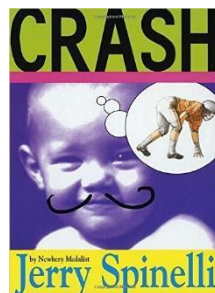
TO RISING 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS,

Before we meet in August, I would like for you to select and read one of the following books. We will discuss these books in the first week of school. This year we will be examining the theme of Individuality. In line with that, each of these books depicts a bold, unique protagonist who has to learn to accept themselves and their individual strengths in order to truly flourish.

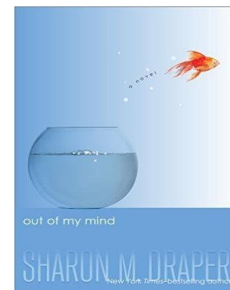
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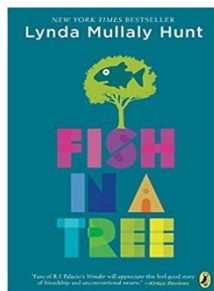
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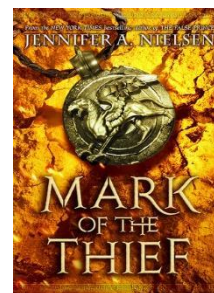
*Out of my Mind* Sharon M. Draper



*Fish in a Tree* Lynda Mullaly Hunt



*Mark of the Thief* Jennifer Nielsen



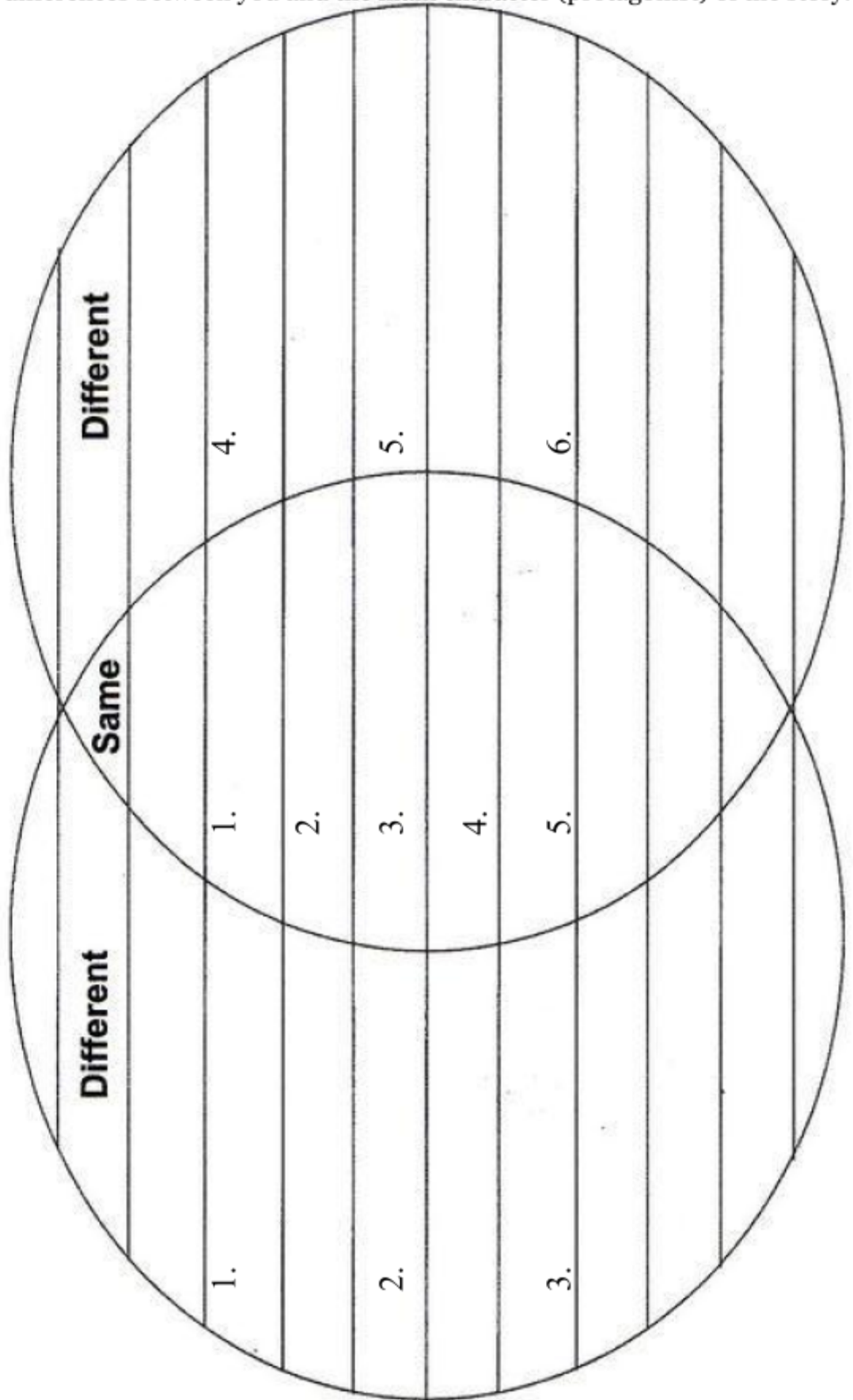
### Assignment:

This summer please complete these two tasks:

1. Fill out the attached Venn diagram comparing yourself to the main character of the novel (homework grade)
2. Fill out the parent confirmation slip (homework grade)

Based on the novel you have selected, fill out the following Venn Diagram showing similarities and differences between you and the main character (protagonist) of the story.

Book title: \_\_\_\_\_



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### PARENT/GUARDIAN CONFIRMATION SLIP

During the summer, my son/daughter, \_\_\_\_\_, entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade read  
\_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ to satisfy the summer reading requirement.  
(Book Title) (Author's Name)

I confirm that the student completed the assigned reading in preparation for the start of school in August of 2021.

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Print Parent/Guardian Name

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Parent/ Guardian Signature

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Date

### DIRECTIONS FOR STUDENTS

- These completed sheets are required to be turned in the first week of school.