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Group VI English

Book Talks!

We will be sharing our summer books with each other in class by giving book talks, which are like short advertisements for books with an overview of the plot and what you liked best about the book. Fill this sheet out when you finish a book so that you can remember any important information to share. You will not need this sheet on the first day of school, but you should bring it during the first week.

Title: _____

Author: _____

Genre: _____

Questions:

1. First three words that pop into your head that describe this book:

2. Honest reasons why you liked this book.

3. Describe the main character.

4. Describe the setting.

5. What's the main conflict in the story? (Be sure to explain enough of the plot that your audience understands and is hooked, but not so much of the plot that you give it all away!)

6. Why do you think others will like this book too?

7. If you like _____ (*can be a general topic, genre, another book or even movie*), then you will like this book.

8. If you had to pick a favorite part of this book, what would it be?

9. What passage will you read out loud? (1/2 to 1 page long) Remember not to give away the ending! Write the page # here.

10. Rate the book on a scale of 1 to 10.
