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SUMMER READING SCAVENGER HUNT

Interesting things are lurking underneath the depths of the sentences in your summer reading book. **Now, it's time to find them!**

While it's true that reading is for enjoyment, there are many benefits to paying a little closer attention to the literary devices, writing techniques, and other elements of storytelling. Noticing these moments as they happen in a book can help us become more critical readers AND more complex writers!

Your task is to choose at least 7 terms from the word bank, find them in your novel, and then explain your findings in the table.

Word Bank

Theme Symbolism Dynamic Character
Static Character Conflict Motif Allusion
Situational Irony Dramatic Irony Pun
Direct Characterization Indirect Characterization

Hints for success:

- If you don't know what one of these terms means, then look it up!
- Can't find 8 terms in action? Talk to an adult or teacher before giving up.
- Do your best on this, and write decent short answer responses in the table. (This activity is one of my first impressions of you as a reader and writer!)

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Reflect: What have you learned from this activity?