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Quarter 2 Outside Reading
ELA 8, Period ____

Task #1

Directions: Task #1 requires you to take a first look at your book. Fill in the information below using the physical copy of the book to aid you.



Title of Book _____ (8)	Number of Pages _____ (5)
Author _____ (8)	Organized by... chapters sections parts Other: _____ (8)
Publisher _____ (5)	Circle one →
Where did you get your book? _____ (5)	

Predict

In at least two sentences, share what you think this book will be about based on the title.

_____ (16)

Read the first 5-10 pages or more as necessary. Find 3 words from these pages that are challenging or unfamiliar to you. Look up the definition and part of speech.
NOTE: If you cannot find any challenging words, then your book is too easy, and you need to find a new one.

Challenging Word (2)	Part of Speech (2)	Definition (3)



Find a description of the main character in the first 5-10 pages. Include an **embedded direct quote** (lead, quote, citation) that describes your character.

(12)



What word **BEST** describes the main character based on the description above?

Explain the word you chose in at least 2 thoughtful sentences.

(10)

Character Summed Up in One Word:
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