

Rubric for Bookmark Book Reports

	4	3	2	1
Summary	Lists all the important events that occur in the book.	Lists most of the important events in the book, but misses 2 or 3 major events.	Lists most of the important events in the book, but highlights unimportant points.	Lists some events in the book, but information is incomplete or focused on less important points.
Review	Uses multiple criteria to judge the book, such as creativity, plot, characterization, setting and figurative language.	Uses 1-2 criteria to judge the book.	Tries to use aesthetic criteria to judge the book, but does not apply the criteria accurately.	Evaluates work as good or bad based on personal taste.
Characters	The main characters are named and clearly described in text as well as pictures. Most readers could describe the characters accurately.	The main characters are named and described. Most readers would have some idea of what the characters looked like.	The main characters are named. The reader knows very little about the characters.	It is hard to tell who the main characters are.
Graphics	Graphics are related to the theme/purpose of the book, are thoughtfully cropped, are of high quality and enhance reader interest or understanding.	Graphics are related to the theme/purpose of the book, are of good quality, and enhance reader interest or understanding.	Graphics are related to the theme/purpose of the book and are of good quality.	Graphics seem randomly chosen, are of low quality, OR distract the reader.
Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar	There are no spelling, punctuation or grammar errors.	There are 1-3 spelling, punctuation, or grammar errors.	There are 4-5 spelling, punctuation, and grammar errors.	There are more than 5 spelling, punctuation, and grammar errors.
Total Points	/20	%		

Name _____

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Summer Reading Book Project

Planning Sheet for Bookmark Book Reports

Summary – What are the important events that occur in the book? Remember not to reveal the conclusion!

Review – What makes this a great book? How do creativity, plot, characterization, setting, figurative language, or other features make this book one you'd recommend (or alternately one that you wouldn't recommend)?

Characters – Who are the main characters in the book? What details and specific facts would tell someone reading your bookmark the most about the character?

Graphics – What images or symbols can you look for that will relate to the theme/purpose of the book? What graphics will help someone reading your bookmark be more interested in the book?