

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE YOUR BOOKTALK---OR THERE WILL BE NO BOOKTALK! Complete this sheet as you read your book.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Period you have Mrs. Anderson \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Author \_\_\_\_\_

**# of pages** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** you completed this book \_\_\_\_\_ **MUST BE IN THE SAME MONTH YOU ARE HAVING THE BOOKTALK! (EXCEPT THE FIRST WEEK OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH)**

Teacher signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date of the booktalk \_\_\_\_\_

I believe that this student thoroughly read and understood this book.

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1. In one paragraph, **describe the main character** using details about personality, strengths, weaknesses, etc.

2. Explain **how the main character changes** from the beginning of the story to the end. **What does he/she learn about himself/herself?**

3. **Evaluating:** What was your favorite part of the book? Explain why it captured your interest.

4. **Connecting:** Make a connection to a part of your book. **INCLUDE THE PAGE NUMBER, the specific scene from the story, and an explanation as to how it “connects” to another text, to yourself, or to the world.**

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5. **Questioning:** We all ask questions as we read. Share **TWO** questions you have as you read your book. **INCLUDE THE PAGE NUMBER** and write down the question you had as you came to that part of the story.

Page \_\_\_\_\_ 1.

Page \_\_\_\_\_ 2.