**Novel Study Requirements**

Keep this paper! Below are the requisites for each novel we study. There will be variations at times, but for the most part, you should expect to complete the following. *Each component should be on a separate page*, with the heading of the section in the center, underlined, of your paper. If you are typing your paper, it should be double-spaced, 12 Font, Times New Roman, and should have margins on both sides. It should contain:

1. Cover, with title of book, author, your name, period, date 5 pts.

2. Table of Contents, with page numbers 10 pts.

 It looks like this: Table of Contents

 Page

Summary 1

Mood, Tone, Style, Figurative Language 2

3. Summary of Plot: Exposition, Rising Action, Climax, Falling Action, Resolution

 1 page 20 pts.

4. Mood, Tone, Style: Vocabulary, Figurative Language, Word Choice, Imagery

 the author uses, with at least *two quotes, MLA style*

 ¾ -1 page 10 pts.

5. Theme(s) – What universal message does the author convey? 10 pts.

 ¾ - 1 page

6. Character(s) Anaylsis, *with at least two quotes, MLA style)* - Choose 15 pts.

one character to analyze. What is his/her *effect* on the other characters?

What are some *descriptive words or phrases* that describe this person?

What do his/her *actions* tell you about him/her? Is this character *dynamic*

*or static?* What are personality *traits* of this character?

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7. Book Review: Did you like it? Why or why not? Would you recommend

 it? Why or why not? To what age groups? Why? Did the author accomplish

 his or her purpose (Persuade, Inform, Entertain?) 10 pts.

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8. Grammar Conventions – Punctuation, fragments, run-ons, etc. 20 pts.

 100 pts.