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**Summer Reading Writing Prompt- Grade 7**

**Directions: On a separate sheet of paper, answer the following writing prompt. Be sure to attach your graphic organizer to the essay when you are done. Make sure you use specific examples and proper nouns.**

* + **Introductory paragraph:** Introduce the novel that you read over the summer by providing the following:
		- Title, author and genre of the book
		- Brief summary of the book 2-3 sentences (include the protagonist, main conflict, and how the setting impacts the story-i.e. conflict/plot)
* **Body paragraph:** describe a quality/trait that the protagonist possessed that you found to be most important or impactful to the outcome of the story. Make sure to include the following:
	+ - Identify the **trait** that the protagonist possessed.
		- Provide **two examples** from the text where the protagonist displayed this characteristic (trait) and explain why this trait was important in resolving the conflict.
		- Identify the **lesson (theme)** the protagonist learned as a result of the conflict.
* **Concluding paragraph**: Critique the ending of the novel. Make sure you include the following:
	+ Use an adjective to describe the end of this book. Explain.
		- What audience might be especially interested in this book? Explain.
		- End with a closing statement about the novel