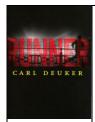
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#### **Required Reading Book**



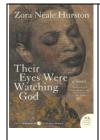
**Elsewhere** by Gabrielle Zevin: What happens when you die? Where do you go? What do you do? Zevin provides answers to these questions in this intriguing novel, centering on the death of Liz Hall, almost 16 years old and looking forward to all that lies ahead: learning to drive, helping her best friend prepare for the prom, going to college, falling in love. Killed in a hit-and-run accident, Liz struggles to understand what has happened to her, grief-stricken at all she has lost, and incapable of seeing the benefits of the Elsewhere in which she finds herself. Refusing to participate in this new life, Liz spends her time looking longingly down at the family and friends back on Earth who go on without her. But the new environment pulls her into its own rhythms. Liz meets the grandmother she never knew, makes friends, takes a job, and falls in love as she and the other inhabitants of Elsewhere age backward one year for each year that they are there.

#### OR



**Runner** by Carl Deuker: When a new job falls his way, Chance jumps at the opportunity, becoming a runner who picks up strange packages on a daily route and delivers them to a shady man at the marina. Chase knows how much he will earn—what he doesn't know is how much he will pay. Suspenseful, fast-paced, and timely, this novel avoids easy answers as it examines issues of terrorism and patriotism, fear and courage, and lives of privilege and poverty.

#### **AND**



**Their Eyes Were Watching God** by Zora Neale Hurston: In Zora Neale Hurston's *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, Janie Crawford goes on a lifelong search for unconditional and fulfilling love, which she finally finds with her beloved Tea Cake. During her quest, Janie gains inner strength and independence — all while enduring the harsh judgment of the town gossips known as the "porch sitters." Through *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, Zora Neale Hurston served as one of the first female African-American voices of the early 20th century.

### **Additional Reading Book**

You must choose a third book under the same theme of "Relationships and Identity."

#### **Requirements**

- 1. Read all three books: (1) *Elsewhere* **or** *Runner*, (2) *Their Eyes Were Watching God* and (3) your choice book, which is under the same theme of "Relationships and Identity."
- 2. Reflect in writing on the following items from **each of the books**:
  - o at least two emotions from each book, describe what is happening and the characters involved utilizing two quotes from the book. (*Total of six quotes*.)
  - the theme's importance to the each novel utilizing two quotes from the book. (Total of six quotes.)
  - o analyze two characters and their importance to the each novel utilizing two quotes from the book. (*Total of six quotes*.)
- 3. Locate five or more additional and varied resources related to the same theme (e.g. choose an assortment of the following: newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, short stories, poems) and explain how each different resource relates to the theme.
- 4. Locate graphics and images to support novel and theme.

- 5. Produce *one project* presenting your written reflections (plus quotes) and the additional resources found on the theme of "Relationships and Identity" and how it relates to both books.
  - o Choose one of the following options to present your findings:
    - ➤ Glogster (virtual poster)
    - Magazine Page Layout/Article
    - ➤ Newspaper Page Layout/Article
    - ➤ Photostory<sup>0</sup>
    - Podcast (audio recording)<sup>o</sup>
- PowerPoint
- Scrapbook
- ➤ Vodcast (video recording)<sup>o</sup>
- Webpage
- o For Photostory, Podcast, and Vodcast, the written script needs to be submitted.
- Follow the criteria on the rubric while putting your presentation together.
- You will be expected to have your project and novel ready to hand in to your English teacher on the first full day of school.
- Plagiarism will result in a failing grade.

## Summer Reading – 2012 Suggested Books – Entering Grade 10 Honors Theme: Relationships and Identity



Title	Author		
The Curious Incident of the God in the	Mark Haddon		
Night-Time			
Fahrenheit 451	Ray Bradbury		
Rise and Walk: The Trial and Triumph of	ph of Michael D'Orso		
Dennis Byrd			
127 Hours	Aron Ralston		
Hot Zone	Richard Preston		
Loves Music, Loves to Dance	Mary Higgins Clark		
Travel Team	Mike Lupica		
Girl Walking Backwards	Brett Williams		
My Sister's Keeper	Jodi Picoult		
Travel Team	Mike Lupica		

This is a suggested book list. You may select a different title under the same theme of "Relationships and Identity." If selecting a different title (not on this list), please check the book's reading level with a librarian or a bookstore associate.

# How-To Sheets Entering Grade 10 Honors

## ALL HOW-TO SHEETS ARE ALSO ON THE MANVILLE SCHOOL WEBSITE UNDER STUDENT PORTAL

\*\*Regardless of the project presentation option you choose, your written component (direction #1 and #2 from the Requirements Sheet) MUST be with your 5 additional resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.)\*\*

\*\*You are only creating ONE PROJECT that reflects the written portion for the required novel(s) and your choice novel AND your 5 additional resources\*\*



#### **Scrapbook**

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

Scrapbook reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be written in paragraph form with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).



#### Newspaper/magazine layout/article

 To compose a newspaper layout or a magazine layout, follow the directions and requirements for designing a scrapbook. Instead of making your presentation look like a scrapbook; focus on making it look like a newspaper or a magazine.

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

News paper/magazine reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be written in paragraph form with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).



#### **PowerPoint**

#### **Step-by-Step Directions for Using PowerPoint**

- Go to Manville School Website at" <a href="http://manvilleschools.org/manville">http://manvilleschools.org/manville</a>
- Click on Student Portal under Quick Links
- Click on <u>Summer Math & Reading</u>
- Click on <u>PowerPoint Resources</u>

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

**PowerPoint Presentations** should be at least 20 slides in length and include all requirements outlined in the Summer Reading Rubric. Each slide should have a clear purpose with some type of title or heading located at the top of the slide.

Reflection Slides should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be written in paragraph form with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).

**Optional:** To enhance you PowerPoint you may use any of the following:

- Animations (images, slide transitions, sound effects, text/picture transitions)
- Audio/Video links (internet based)
- Additional slides (timelines, graphs, charts)



#### <u>Glogster</u>

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources.

#### **Step-by-Step Directions for Using Glogster**

- Go to Manville School Website at http://manvilleschools.org/manville
- Click on <u>Student Portal</u> under <u>Quick Links</u>
- Click on Summer Math & Reading
- Click on Additional Technology Resources

Glogster reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be written in paragraph form with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).



#### Podcast (audio recording)

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

Podcast reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be read aloud on the Podcast with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).

#### **Step-by-Step Directions for Using Podcasts**

- Go to Manville School Website at" http://manvilleschools.org/manville
- Click on Student Portal under Quick Links
- Click on Summer Math & Reading
- Click on <u>Additional Technology Resources</u>



#### **Vodcast (video recording)**

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

Vodcast reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be read aloud in the Vodcast in paragraph form with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).

#### **Step-by-Step Directions for Using Vodcasts**

- Go to Manville School Website at http://manvilleschools.org/manville
- Click on Student Portal under Quick Links
- Click on Summer Math & Reading
- Click on Additional Technology Resources



#### **Photostory**

**Written Component** (from #1 and #2 on the Requirements Sheet) should be neatly handwritten or typed and included with your additional resources

Photostory reflections should include 5 or more resources (e.g., newspaper/magazine articles, Internet sources, pamphlets, photographs, short stories, poems, etc.) with a reflection on how each resource relates to the theme of your required book(s) and choice book (these reflections should be written in paragraph form within the Photostory with at least 7 sentences/1 paragraph).

#### **Step-by-Step Directions for Using Photostory**

- Go to Manville School Website at" <a href="http://manvilleschools.org/manville">http://manvilleschools.org/manville</a>
- Click on Student Portal under Quick Links
- Click on <u>Summer Math & Reading</u>
- Click on Additional Technology Resources

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Tasks	Novice	Apprentice	Practitioner	Expert
Reflections and Additional Resources	<ul> <li>□ Name, date, title, author</li> <li>□ At least one emotion from each book, describe what is happening and the characters involved utilizing 0-3 quotes from each book.</li> <li>□ The theme's importance to the each novel utilizing 0-3 quotes from each book.</li> <li>□ Analyze one characters and their importance to the each novel utilizing 0-3 quotes from the book.</li> <li>□ 1-2 additional resources for the theme (not each book)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Name, date, title, author</li> <li>□ At least two emotions from each book, describe what is happening and the characters involved utilizing 4-5 quotes from each book.</li> <li>□ The theme's importance to the each novel utilizing 4-5 quotes from each book.</li> <li>□ Analyze two characters and their importance to the each novel utilizing 4-5 quotes from the book.</li> <li>□ 3-4 additional resources for the theme (not each book)</li> <li>□ One or two types of resources are utilized more than once (e.g. 2 poems, 2 articles, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Name, date, title, author</li> <li>□ At least two emotions from each book, describe what is happening and the characters involved utilizing two quotes from each book. (<i>Total of six quotes.</i>)</li> <li>□ The theme's importance to the each novel utilizing two quotes from each book. (<i>Total of six quotes.</i>)</li> <li>□ Analyze two characters and their importance to the each novel utilizing two quotes from the book. (<i>Total of six quotes.</i>)</li> <li>□ 5 or more additional resources for the theme (not each book)</li> <li>□ Each type of resource is different from one another (e.g. 1 poem, 1 article, etc.)</li> </ul>	All of Practitioner PLUS  □ additional resources are varied in type and/or additional technology
Organization and Utilization of Resources	☐ Maintains overall neatness	<ul> <li>□ Sets up and maintains reflections with a focus to the required theme</li> <li>□ Reflections and additional resources are clearly labeled</li> <li>□ Reference all of their resources</li> <li>□ Maintains overall neatness</li> <li>□ Typed or handwritten in blue or black pen</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Sets up and maintains reflections with a clear focus to the required theme</li> <li>□ Reflections and additional resources are clearly labeled</li> <li>□ Reference all of their resources using APA</li> <li>□ Has a reference list using APA</li> <li>□ Maintains overall neatness</li> <li>□ Typed</li> </ul>	All of Practitioner PLUS  ☐ Gives credit to resources within the reflections and project
Quality and Creativity of Resources	<ul> <li>Develops the theme in an interesting and imaginative way</li> <li>Incorporates 1-2 graphics/images throughout the project</li> <li>Resources connect to the theme</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Develops the theme in an interesting and imaginative way</li> <li>□ Incorporates 3-4 graphics/images throughout the project</li> <li>□ Some resources are reliable, creative, thought provoking and connects to the theme</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Develops the theme in an interesting and imaginative way</li> <li>Incorporates 5 or more graphics/images throughout the project</li> <li>All resources are reliable, creative, thought provoking and connects to the theme</li> </ul>	All of Practitioner PLUS  □ Project and resources exhibit a higher sophisticated style (e.g. use of scholarly articles, personal artistic creations, combination of primary and secondary sources
Grammar, Usage, Mechanics, and Spelling	<ul> <li>□ Few spelling, grammar, and punctuation errors</li> <li>□ Has a variety of sentence formations</li> <li>□ Uses correct sentence construction</li> <li>□ Uses correct tense and subject-verb agreement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Few spelling, grammar, and punctuation errors</li> <li>□ Has vivid language, fluidity, and a sense of engagement and voice. Personal tone is evident</li> <li>□ Has a variety of sentence formations</li> <li>□ Uses correct sentence construction</li> <li>□ Uses correct tense and subject-verb agreement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Few spelling, grammar, and punctuation errors</li> <li>□ Has vivid language, fluidity, and a sense of engagement and voice. Personal tone is evident</li> <li>□ Has a variety of sentence formations</li> <li>□ Uses correct sentence construction</li> <li>□ Uses correct tense and subject-verb agreement</li> <li>□ Uses language appropriate to the audience</li> </ul>	All of Practitioner PLUS  ☐ Reflections and project exhibits a higher sophisticated style - correct use of thesaurus to increase vocabulary - correct use of varied sentence structures by using semi-colons, etc.  ☐ compositional risks
Presentation	<ul> <li>□ Error-free in pronunciation</li> <li>□ 2-3 minutes in length</li> <li>□ Voice is audible</li> <li>□ Well organized and planned</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Error-free in pronunciation</li> <li>□ 4-5 minutes in length</li> <li>□ Maintains eye contact</li> <li>□ Voice is audible</li> <li>□ Well organized and planned</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Error-free in pronunciation</li> <li>□ 6-8 minutes in length</li> <li>□ Maintains eye contact</li> <li>□ Voice is audible</li> <li>□ Well organized and planned</li> </ul>	All of Practitioner PLUS  ☐ engages audience by taking questions and presenting additional comments