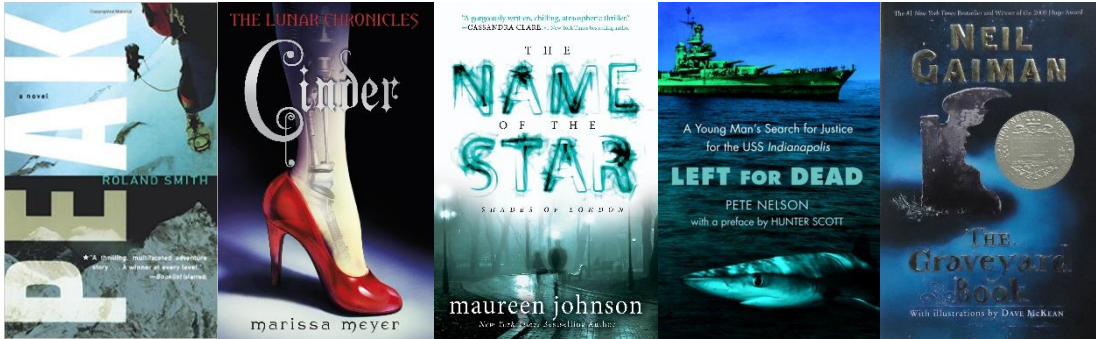


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English 9 Summer Reading Assignment

Choose one of the books from the list which you have not already read.



Realistic Fiction

Peak (A Peak Marcello Adventure) by Roland Smith

Sci-Fi/Fantasy Fiction

Cinder by Marissa Meyer

The Name of the Star by Maureen Johnson

The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman

Narrative Non-Fiction

Left for Dead by Pete Nelson

Other: _____

Summer Reading Guide

Please complete this reading guide, to the best of your ability, while reading your choice book. You will want to bring this to the first day of school.

NAME OF BOOK:

AUTHOR:

EXPOSITION

What is the setting of the book? (time, place, etc.)

Is there any background information that's important for understanding the book?

Who are the main characters of the book and what do you know about them?

INITIATING EVENT

What is the main conflict in the book? What is the main character struggling with? Is there more than one major conflict? Are there minor conflicts?

RISING ACTION

What events happen in the book leading up to the book's climax?

CLIMAX

What is the climax? (What is the BIG moment in the book, what is the turning point?)

FALLING ACTION/RESOLUTION

How was the problem resolved?

REFLECTION

What did you get out of reading this book? Did it make you feel a certain way? Did it teach you any lessons?

What do you think the author wanted you to get out of this book?

Who would you recommend read this book and why?