

One Pager Book Review

What is a One-Pager? It is a single-page response to your reading that connects the ideas in the book to your thoughts in a creative way. You will create your One-Pager so your audience will understand the big ideas, themes, or connections within the book you read.

What to include:

- (1) Write the title of the book along with the author's name somewhere on the page.
- (2) Select **three interesting sentences or passages** from the book. **Include quotation marks around the selection and include the page number. If the quote is a piece of dialogue, write down the character's name that said it.**
- (3) Write **three personal statements** about what you have read. These are not simple opinions about the material (Example: I really liked this book because it was funny). These are meaningful statements about what you have read (Example: I could relate to the main character feeling lost in the book, because it reminded me of how I felt when I first got to high school).
- (4) Write **three meaningful questions** about the book (**NOT YES or NO questions**). (Example: What does it mean when Carl refuses Anthony's friendship?) Then, **answer** your three questions with complete sentences. (Example: Carl refuses Anthony's friendship because he wants to be independent.)
- (6) Find **two songs** that represent a theme in the book. List the song title, the singer, and how it connects to the book.
- (7) **Draw or create three images** that represent themes, characters, conflict, or setting in the book. It is important the visuals have a strong connection to the book.

Did I do this right?

(1) Does it have all seven required elements? **(2)** Is it neat and easy to read/understand? **(3)** Are the quotes, questions, answers, personal statements, songs, and images all meaningful and representative of the novel? **(4)** Does it fill the entire page? Is it colorful and creative?

	1 (Does Not Meet Grade Level)	2 (Partially Meets Grade Level)	3 (Meets Grade Level)	4 (Exceeds Grade Level)
Quotes 3 selected passages or sentences from the text.	Missing, incomplete, or incorrectly cited	Complete, but insignificant to the story or cited incorrectly.	Complete and significant to the story, but cited incorrectly.	Complete, significant to the story, and cited correctly
"I believe..." 3 personal statements or text-to-self statements	Missing, incomplete, or contains summary of the book	Complete, but superficial	Insightful, but not connected well to the book	Insightful and strongly connected to the book
Questions 3 meaningful questions about the book	Missing, incomplete	Mostly complete, but not related to the book	Complete, but not related to the book very well	Complete, meaningful, and show depth of thought
Answers 3 Answers to your questions in complete sentences	Missing, incomplete	Incomplete sentences, or not matched to the questions.	Complete, but not all are matched well to the questions or are missing key details	Complete, meaningful, and show a depth of thought
Images 3 meaningful images that represent themes, characters, conflict, or setting	Missing, incomplete	Images are partially complete, but do not represent the book well.	Images are complete, represent the book well, but are not neat.	Images are complete, represent the book well, and done neatly
Soundtrack 2 songs that represent a theme found in the novel	Missing, incomplete	Partially complete, but missing information about the song or explanation.	Complete, but explanation isn't explained clearly	Song information is complete and choices represent the theme well; explanation is clear and well written.
Usage/Mechanics	Major issues in spelling, punctuation, and/or other grammar.	Several issues in spelling, punctuation, and/or other grammar.	Mostly correct with some errors.	Very few, in any, errors in spelling, punctuation, and/or other usage issues.

