

# Book Summary Sheet

Following are guidelines for writing a summary of the books you read.

1. At the top of the summary page, write your name, date, and class.
2. Write the title of the book, the author's name, publisher, place of publication, and date of publication.

Answer the following questions. (Note: Not all questions may apply to your book.)

3. What is this book about? (For fiction, tell about the plot, including the central conflict. For nonfiction, tell about the book's major ideas.)
4. Describe the main characters. How did the characters change as the story went on? Which character did you find to be most interesting? Why?
5. Describe the setting.
6. What, if anything, did you learn from this book?
7. Did this book keep you interested? Why or why not?
8. What did you like most about this book? What did you like the least? Explain.
9. Would you like to read another book written by this author? Why or why not?
10. Would you recommend this book to others? Why or why not?

