

**8th Grade Summer Reading Assignment**  
**DUE AUGUST 31, 2018**

**Choose ONE novel from the book list by Margaret Peterson Haddix to read over the summer. Please be mindful of those titles within a series as you will need to choose appropriately when selecting. After reading your novel, please complete ONE of the following assignments.**

**Novel Feature Article - Paper Version**

- Please make sure you complete ALL portions of the Feature Article to the best of your ability.
- Write neatly and clearly using complete sentences and proper paragraph format when necessary.

**Google Slide Book Showcase - Google Classroom**

- Join the Summer Reading Google Classroom Class using code: **ny2ypwp**
- Select the "Book Showcase" assignment.
- When finished, please TURN IN.

**Google Slide Layout** - Also labeled on slides

1. Title, Author, Your Name
2. Summary of Novel - 2 Paragraph minimum
3. Setting Profile - 1 Paragraph minimum
  - a. Describe the setting and its role in the story.
4. Character Profile - 1 Paragraph minimum
  - a. Choose ONE character from the story and describe them in detail. What role did they play?
5. Book Review- 1 Paragraph minimum
  - a. Would you recommend this book to others? Why or Why not? Explain.
6. Advice - 1 Paragraph minimum
  - a. Choose ONE character from the story and think about what you can learn from them. What advice could that character give to you or others?

**If you have any questions regarding summer reading, please send us a comment on Google Classroom or email one of the 8th grade language arts teachers and we can help!**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Summer Reading Rubric

Title/Author/Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_/5

Summary of Novel: \_\_\_\_\_/10

- 2 complete paragraphs (minimum)
- Complete sentences
- Summarizes events from the entire plot

Setting Profile: \_\_\_\_\_/10

- 1 paragraph (minimum)
- Complete sentences
- Describes the setting and the role it plays in the story

Character Profile: \_\_\_\_\_/10

- 1 paragraph (minimum)
- Complete sentences
- Describes character in detail

Book Review: \_\_\_\_\_/10

- 1 paragraph (minimum)
- Complete sentences
- Explains if the book is or is not recommended

Advice: \_\_\_\_\_/10

- 1 paragraph (minimum)
- Complete sentences
- Explains what is learned from the character
- Provides advice from the character

Creativity/Neatness: \_\_\_\_\_/10

Total: \_\_\_\_\_/65

Margaret Peterson Haddix

<b>The Shadow Children Series</b>	<b>Book Level</b>	<b>AR Points</b>
<i>Among the Hidden</i>	4.8	5
<i>Among the Imposters</i>	4.9	5
<i>Among the Betrayed</i>	4.9	5
<i>Among the Barons</i>	4.8	6
<i>Among the Brave</i>	5.1	7
<i>Among Enemy</i>	5.3	7
<i>Among the Free</i>	5.6	7
<b>The Missing Series</b>		
<i>Found</i>	5	9
<i>Sent</i>	5	9
<i>Sabotaged</i>	5	11
<i>Torn</i>	5	9
<i>Caught</i>	5.2	10
<i>Risked</i>	5.2	8
<i>Revealed</i>	5.7	13
<i>Redeemed</i>	5.3	12
<b>Children of Exile Series</b>		
<i>Children of Exile</i>	4.9	9
<i>Children of Refuge</i>	5	8

<b>The Palace Chronicles</b>		
<i>Just Ella</i>	5.5	6
<i>Palace of Mirrors</i>	5.4	10
<i>Palace of Lies</i>	5.7	12
<b>Under their Skin Series</b>		
<i>Under their Skins</i>	5.4	9
<i>In Over their Heads</i>	5.3	8
<b>Stand Alone Books</b>		
<i>The Always War</i>	5.1	6
<i>Claim to Fame</i>	5.2	9
<i>Double Identity</i>	5	8
<i>Escape from Memory</i>	4.8	8
<i>Full Ride</i>	5.4	15
<i>Game Changer</i>	5.1	9
<i>The House on the Gulf</i>	4.9	8
<i>Leaving Fishers</i>	5.2	8
<i>Takeoffs and Landings</i>	4.9	6
<i>Turnabout</i>	5.3	7
<i>Uprising</i>	5.6	14
<i>Into the Gauntlet</i>	4.6	9

***The Summer of Broken Things--will be AR by fall***

Name:

**Title & Author:**

Write an objective summary of the story.

**Summary (2 Paragraphs)**

Draw a picture of the book cover.

**Book Cover:**

Choose ONE character and describe them in detail. What role did they play in the story.  
(1 Paragraph)

**Character Profile:**

Describe the setting and its role in the story.  
(1 Paragraph)

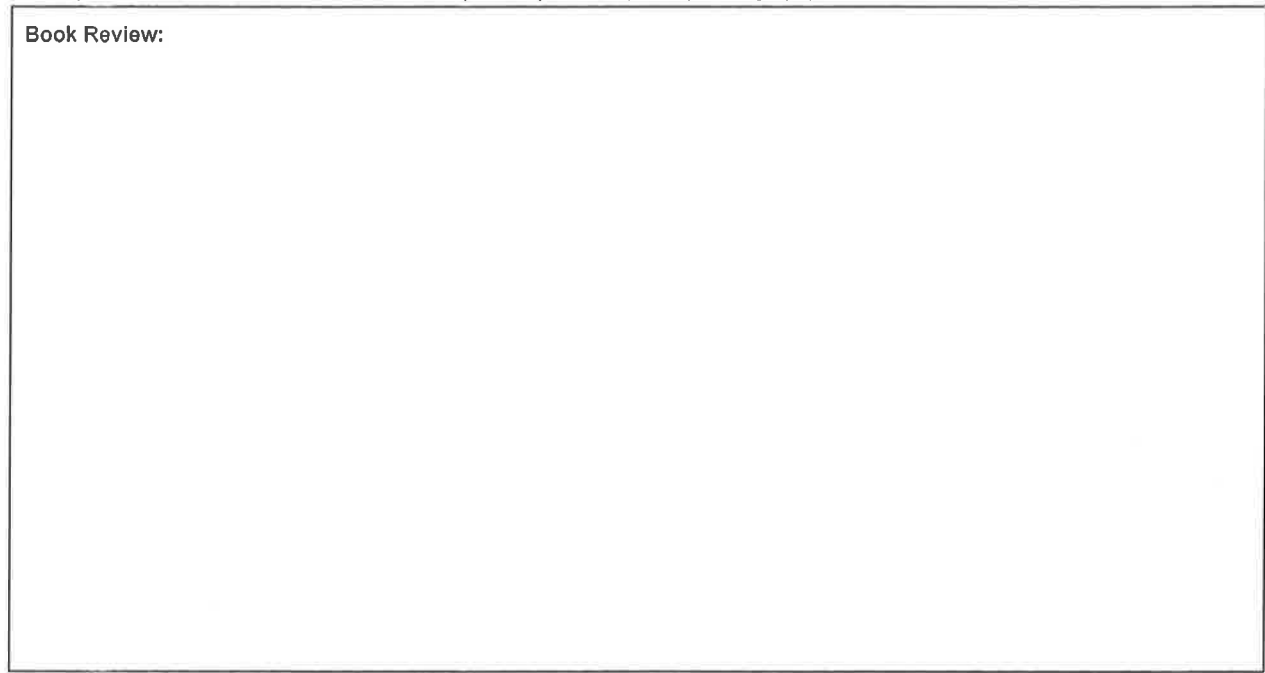
**Setting Profile:**

Draw a picture of the character you profiled above.

**Character Picture:**

Would you recommend this book to others? Why or Why not? Explain. (1 Paragraph)

**Book Review:**



Choose ONE character from the story and think about what you can learn from them. What advice could that character give to you or others? (1 Paragraph)

**Advice:**

