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SILENT READING PROJECT ARTIFACT JAR

TASK: Create an artifact jar for your novel. In it you will include at least 5 items. Label the jar with the title of the book, the author and your name and label each artifact too as it will be displayed in class. There will be more items than paragraphs.

You will write three paragraphs.

- two paragraphs will explain how one of the artifacts is important to the story, by way of a character, the plot, a theme, the setting, etc.
- one paragraph will retell one event from the novel that features the object.

PRESENTATION: You will present this artifact jar to the class. Your presentation should be well-prepared and well-organized.

You will need to prepare to tell us the following for your presentation:

- an introduction including the book title, author and a brief description of the content of the book, etc.
- for each of the artifacts you must tell us and show us what the artifact is, describe it, and tell us the significance of the item.
- conclude by briefly telling us what you thought of the book, whether and to whom you would recommend it, and any other necessary comments.
- NOTE: You will NOT be reading us your paragraphs

Criteria for the presentation
(ORAL MARK)

- Presence
- Organization of Ideas and props
- Content
- quality and development of ideas
- quality and creativity of objects

Criteria for the paragraphs
(WRITTEN MARK)

- Organization of ideas
- Content
- English conventions: sentence structure, punctuation, spelling, etc.
- Vocabulary

We will be presenting these artifact jars before the end of term 1. I will provide some class time to get all of you organized for your presentations closer to the date.