

**TASK SHEET YEARS 7 – 10****YEAR SEVEN****Topic: Holiday Homework TERM 4****Student:****Teacher:****Date Due: Term 4 Week 1****Achievement Standards:****Receptive Modes: (reading, viewing)****Productive Modes: (writing, creating)****Achievement Standard focused on:**

- Use comprehension strategies to interpret, analyse and synthesise ideas (ACELY 1723)
- Reflect on ideas and opinions about characters, settings and events, identifying areas of agreement and difference with others (ACELT 1620)

**Time allocation:** Two weeks during school holiday**Conditions:** Students to read the novel, ONCE by Morris Gleitzman and complete the Reading Log at home.

A Holiday Homework Reading Test will be completed in class.

**Weighting: 10%****Reading Log: /10****Holiday Homework Test: /15****TOTAL:****25 marks**

## YEAR 7 READING HOLIDAY HOMEWORK TERM 4 2017

NOVEL: **ONCE** by Morris Gleitzman

*'That's the good thing with stories. There's always a chance they can come true.'*

Complete this Reading Log by entering the date (when you read the section) and your responses to all the questions.

Write in complete sentences as far as possible.

This Reading Log must be submitted in Term 4 Week 1 for grading.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:	Reading (Questions)	Response
ENTRY 1  Date: -----	<p><b>Pg 1:</b>            Sometimes when a story starts, it can be a little bit confusing as to what is going on. One way we can be clear on the plot is by using the 5Ws</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• who</li> <li>• what</li> <li>• where</li> <li>• why</li> <li>• when</li> </ul> <p><b>Pg 20:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What do you think is going on here?</li> <li>2. Who are the 'librarians in armbands'?</li> <li>3. Why are they burning the books?</li> <li>4. Did Mother Minka really forget Felix's name?</li> <li>5. Who is the narrator?</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. _____            _____</li> <li>2. _____            _____</li> <li>3. _____            _____</li> <li>4. _____            _____</li> <li>5. _____</li> </ol>
ENTRY 2  Date: -----	<p><b>Pg 26:</b></p> <p>It looks like Jankiel wants to say something to Felix here.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Knowing what we know about the time period, what might it be?</li> <li>2. Why do you think that?</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. _____            _____</li> <li>2. _____            _____</li> </ol>

Date:	Reading (Questions)	Response
<p>ENTRY 3</p> <p>Date: -----</p>	<p><b>Pg 34:</b></p> <p>We obviously know more about this situation than Felix does. Why do you think people are standing half-naked in a truck?</p>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>ENTRY 4</p> <p>Date: -----</p>	<p><b>Pg 46:</b></p> <p>Remember that characters' feelings can be complicated.</p> <p>1. How do you think Felix is feeling right now? Why? Use an evidence to support your answer.</p>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

Date:	Reading (Questions)	Response
ENTRY 5  Date: -----	<p><b>Pg 57:</b></p> <p>Now that we're quite a bit into the book, what kind of person do you think Felix is? Why? Include two details from the story to support your answer.</p> <p>At this point, do you see Felix as a round or flat character? Why?</p>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
ENTRY 6  Date: -----	<p><b>Pg 58:</b></p> <p>Felix says:</p> <p><b><i>"It's really hard being an orphan if you haven't got an imagination."</i></b></p> <p>What do you think he means by this?</p>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Reading (Questions)</b>	<b>Response</b>
ENTRY 7  Date: -----	<b>Pg 75:</b>  Using what you know about the time period, what do you think is going on in this scene?  <b>SKETCH</b> THE SCENE DESCRIBED	

Date:	Reading (Questions)	Response
ENTRY 8  Date: -----	<b>Pg 95:</b>  1. Why do you think Barney doesn't answer Felix?  2. What (knowing what you know about the history of the time period) is probably the answer to Felix's question?	1. _____ _____ 2. _____ _____ _____
ENTRY 9  Date: -----	<b>Pg 100:</b>  What is your reaction to hearing the life stories of the children in the basement?  Represent your feelings with a <b>symbol</b> . Explain your choice.	_____ _____





<b>Date:</b>	<b>Reading (Questions)</b>	<b>Response</b>
ENTRY 11  Date: -----	<b>Pg 150:</b>  Felix says, <i>“However my story turns out, I’ll never forget how lucky I am.”</i> How can you explain Felix’s feeling of being fortunate? Use textual evidence to support your answer.	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
ENTRY 12  Date: -----	<b>Author’s letter</b>  Why do you think he included this? What is your response?	

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