

# GO ANIMATE BOOK REPORT



For this term's book report you will be creating an animated movie composed of the novel's most important events. Your animated movie will be produced using GoAnimate.com, a free animation website on the Internet.

## Your Movie should:

1. Include at least **6 Events**: The Exposition, A Rising Action Event, A Major Conflict, The Climax, A Falling Action Event, and The Resolution (in that order).
2. Contain at least **6 Summaries** (one to accompany every **Event**). Each **Summary** should come before each **Event** and offer details from the novel that are necessary in order to understand the events occurring in the subsequent scene. Summaries should be at least **3 sentences** in length and be proofread for accurate conventions before presenting!
3. Demonstrate knowledge of the importance of the **Setting** in a story. Scene backgrounds should be thoughtfully chosen and be as close to the real settings in the novel as possible.
4. Contain an accurate portrayal of all **Main and Subordinate Characters** (physical characteristics, speech, and actions).
5. Provide detailed **Dialogue** from the novel. This can be taken word for word out of the text, be paraphrased to fit the scene, or be inferred language that you believe the characters would have expressed in the scene if given the opportunity (i.e. They were thinking it, but didn't say it).
6. Present truthful **Actions, Movements, and Facial Expressions** for each character. Your job is to make the scene come alive. Ask yourself, "What should the character's face look like when they say this?" "What are the reactions of the other characters as they are being told this information?" "Should there be movement in the scene?"
7. Include lively **Music**. Make sure that each scene contains music that fits the tone of text and the mood of the setting.
8. Contain **Props and FX** where deemed necessary. If a prop or an FX is needed in the scene or adds interest to the scene, add it. If not, don't clutter up a scene with meaningless props and pointless FX.



## GRADING RUBRIC

	8 Stellar!	7 Good	6 Adequate	5 Inadequate
<b>Contains at least 6 Events:</b> The Exposition, A Rising Action Event, A Major Conflict, The Climax, A Falling Action Event, and The Resolution.				
<b>Includes at least 6 Summaries:</b> Each summary is at least 3 sentences in length and proofread for accurate conventions.				
<b>Backgrounds:</b> Accurately portray settings				
<b>Character Choice:</b> Realistic characters with thoughtful Dialogue				
<b>Music:</b> Lively and fits tone of each scene				
<b>Action, Movement, and Facial Expressions:</b> Included to make the scene come alive				
<b>Props and FX:</b> Only added where necessary				

Total: \_\_\_\_\_ /56