**Book Project: Character Alphabet Book**

**Genre: Self-selected YA Novel Due: Friday, December 14**

 ***5-Point Bonus* if Turned in By: Friday, December 11**

This project will be a character study of the main character in your book and will take the form of an Alphabet Book.

**Requirements**

* **Alphabet Book**
* You will create an illustrated alphabet book for your novel which is book is focused on the main character. The words chosen should be used to capture the character’s traits, plot, theme, settings, and conflict of the novel.
* You should use a good quality paper or card stock for the best product and bind the book neatly.
* **Cover Page**
* Title of the novel, author, your name, and a hand drawn illustration.
* This should be an original cover not a duplication of what is on the novel already.
* **ABC Pages**
* Each page in your book will be the same size.
* Each page will have the appropriate letter or letters (QR, UV, and XYZ are each one letter), and the word it represents.
* A minimum of Three (3) sentences explaining the importance of the word and its connection to the novel.
* Each page will have a relevant illustration of which a good portion may be hand drawn; the rest can be magazine clippings, photos, or clip art.
* Each page must be neatly written or typed. Illustrations do not have to be “perfect”, but they do need to be neatly drawn or neatly affixed to the page.
* ***Use color*** to enhance the pages and the overall project.
* **Final Page**
* On this page you will discuss whether you would recommend the novel for others read. You will give reasons that explain why you would or would not recommend it.
* Include a final illustration
* **Contents – These are the *minimum* required.**
* Contains 3 specifics about characters
* Contains 3 specifics about plot (exposition, rising action, climax, etc.)
* Contains 3 specifics about setting
* Contains 1 specifics about conflict
* Contains 3 specifics about character traits or emotions
* 22 letters and words
* 22 descriptions (Minimum of 3 sentences in length, connects to the novel)
* **Rationale**
* You will turn in your one-page written rationale explaining why you chose this project and how you are able to best give an overview of your novel.
* You must type your rationale using standard MLA format.