



**Tweet as you read** - If you have a Twitter.com account, keep your teachers and classmates up-to-date on your summer reading.

- Mr. Thompson - [www.twitter.com/bhlspectrum](http://www.twitter.com/bhlspectrum)
- Mrs. DelSignore - [www.twitter.com/bhlmaestra](http://www.twitter.com/bhlmaestra)

**Tweet by chapter, by section, or whenever you feel the need**

A few guidelines:

- You need at least tweets 25 (but more is encouraged)
- Your tweets must be focused on re-actions to the novel
- Some re-actions might require more than one tweet
- Do not summarize the plot in your tweet

**Examples of great tweets can be:**

- A comment on the writer's style
- A prediction of things to come (cause and effect)
- Make observations about characters, settings, structure, tone, mood, style
- Criticisms of the novel
- Praising the author, the characters
- Reactions to events in the novel
- Meaningful quotes (probably will require a follow-up tweet to explain)
- Points of concern or confusion
- Examples of character growth
- Points about theme, symbolism, metaphors
- Ideas from your reading response journals

Mix it up! Please, do not just tweet about the same thing over and over.

**Get ideas for tweets by reading and responding to the tweets of your classmates and teachers.**

**Get the most out of Twitter**

Is someone reading the same novel as you? Then you should be helping your fellow classmates out, reply to their novel related tweets. Get a discussion going back and forth.

**I've read the book and I've completed all of my tweets now?**

1. Make sure you completed your reading response journal requirements (see hand-out)
2. Send a direct message to Mr. Thompson or Mrs. DelSignore inquiring about your **wrap-up Twitter assignment**.
3. Keep tweeting about the novel or additional books you read over the summer!

**A few things to remember**

- You can make your account private if you like, then only approved followers can view your tweets.
- You can block any followers you do not know.
- Everyone that Mr. Thompson is "following" are BHL students or teachers, if you aren't sure who someone is then check his profile first.