



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

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
- You must tweet as you read.

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. Start 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. DeSignore 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.

**All tweets should relate to your summer reading -
make a separate account for personal use.**