



# SUMMARIZER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## PLOT

Summarize the assigned section of reading.

- write a summary of the chapters/pages for the current discussion
  - there should be a minimum of eight to ten good sentences
  - a good guide is at least two sentences for each chapter or twenty-five pages
  - summary should be in your words...not a web site or cliff notes



Pages/Chapters Being Summarized: \_\_\_\_\_

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## POST DISCUSSION



- What positive feedback did you get and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What questions or critique did you get and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Create a plot line to illustrate the development of the reading's plot.



- draw and label the appropriate parts for the assigned section of reading
  - exposition, rising action, climax, falling action/resolution
  - keep in mind that because your novel is broken into sections, your assigned section of reading may only have one part of a plot line
    - the plot line you draw may have mini-climaxes while continuing its rising action
    - chapters naturally have mini-climaxes and then a little falling action before rising in the next chapter
- include a brief description of what is happening at each part
  - draw a “call-out” line from the portion of the plot being summarized
  - list a brief, but understandable summary of the section
  - you can create symbols that clearly link your plot summary with your plot line
    - put a @ next to an identified portion of your summary and place the @ on your plot line where it occurs in the story

