

FCS Summer Reading 2019

English 6

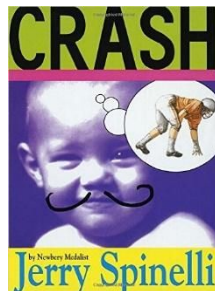
TO RISING 6TH GRADERS,

Before we meet in August, I would like for you to select and read one of the following books. We will discuss these books and complete a project on them the first week of school. This year we will be examining the theme of Individuality. In line with that, each of these books depicts a bold, unique protagonist who has to learn to accept themselves and their individual strengths in order to truly flourish.

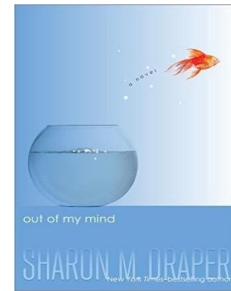
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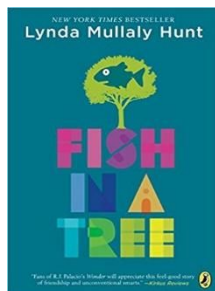
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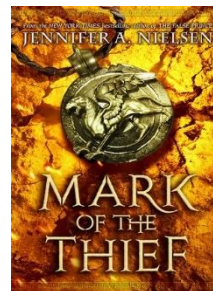
Out of my Mind Sharon M. Draper



Fish in a Tree Lynda Mullaly Hunt



Mark of the Thief Jennifer Nielsen



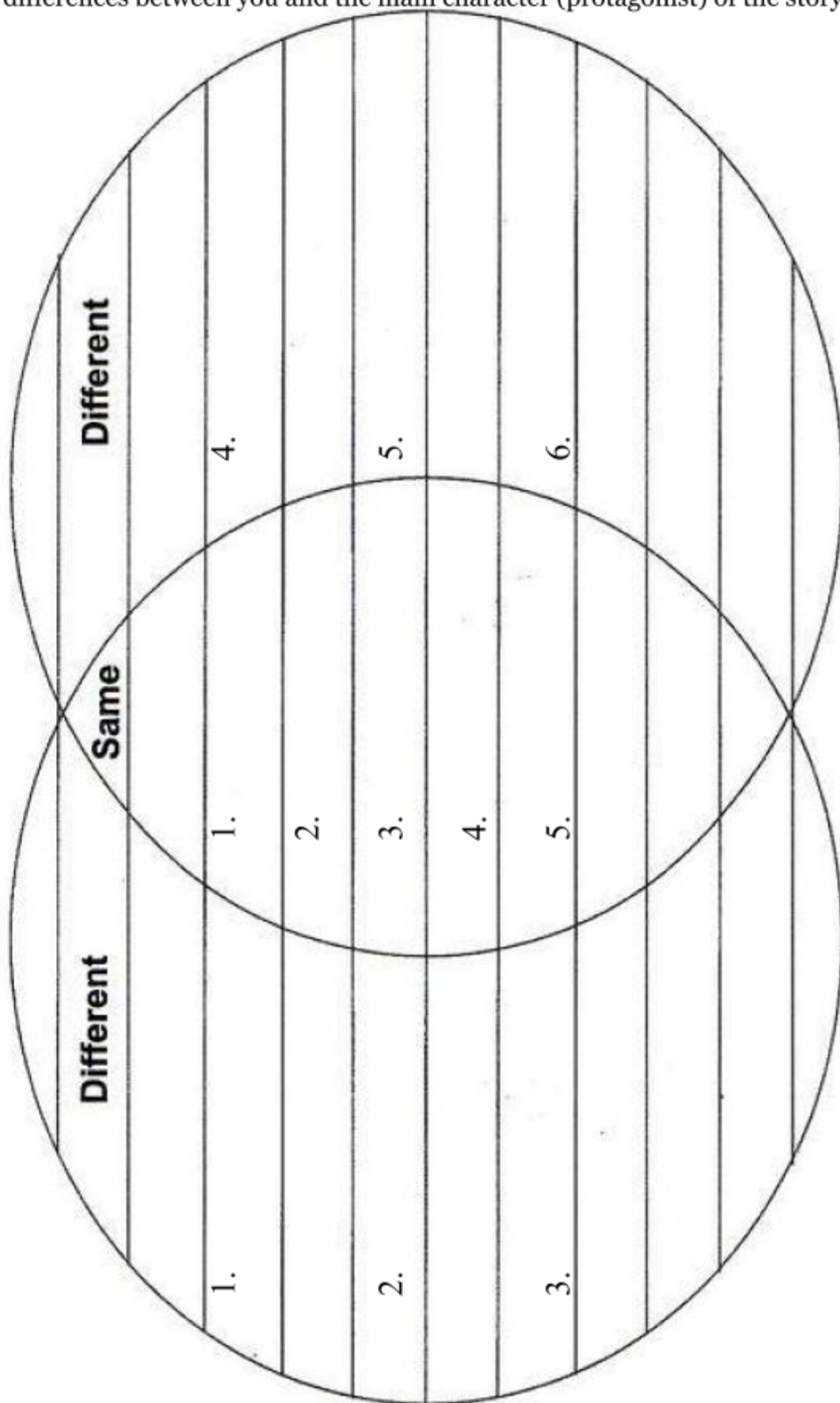
Assignment:

This summer please complete these two tasks:

1. Fill out the attached Venn diagram comparing yourself to the main character of the novel (homework grade)
2. Fill out the parent confirmation slip (homework grade)

Based on the novel you have selected, fill out the following Venn Diagram showing similarities and differences between you and the main character (protagonist) of the story.

Book title: _____



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PARENT/GUARDIAN CONFIRMATION SLIP

During the summer, my son/daughter, _____, entering 6th grade read
_____ by _____ to satisfy the summer reading requirement.
(Book Title) (Author's Name)

I confirm that the student completed the assigned reading in preparation for the start of school in August of 2018.

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/ Guardian Signature

Date

DIRECTIONS FOR STUDENTS

- This completed sheet is required to be turned in the first week of school.
- Failure to turn this sheet will result in a zero (0) for the homework assignment.