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## Students Entering Grade 7 – 2015 Summer Reading Assignment

In order to prepare for Grade 7 LAR, you are required to read ***Hoot* by Carl Hiaasen** and take **focused notes**. This assignment will lay the foundation for our first unit of study. Use the following chart to take notes while you read *Hoot*. Please complete it by **Wednesday, September 9**. Your teacher will record that you have completed the task. Your notesheet will provide the raw material for a formal writing assignment.

### *Hoot* Notesheet

<p><b><u>CHARACTERIZATION</u></b></p> <p>Name of major character:</p>	<p>ONE trait of that character (adjective):</p>	<p>Supporting quote with page number:</p>
<p><b><u>CONFLICT</u></b></p> <p>Circle ONE type of conflict seen in this novel:</p> <p>Person vs. self</p> <p>Person vs. person</p> <p>Person vs. society/group</p> <p>Person vs. nature/higher power</p>	<p>Describe the conflict:</p>	<p>Supporting quote with page number:</p>
<p><b><u>SETTING*</u></b></p> <p>Where does the novel take place?</p> <p><i>* Time period is not very relevant for this novel. Therefore, just focus on place.</i></p>	<p>Describe the place:</p>	<p>Supporting quote with page number:</p>

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<b><u>PLOT &amp; THEME</u></b>	List THREE specific	Supporting quote with page number
<p data-bbox="188 268 540 373">Circle ONE of the following <u>topics</u> that relate to possible themes in <i>Hoot</i>:</p> <p data-bbox="188 457 277 489"><b>power</b></p> <p data-bbox="188 531 220 562">or</p> <p data-bbox="188 604 310 636"><b>morality</b></p>	<p data-bbox="566 233 899 306">events in the novel where that topic shows up:</p> <p data-bbox="566 457 599 489">1)</p> <p data-bbox="566 856 599 888">2)</p> <p data-bbox="566 1297 599 1329">3)</p>	<p data-bbox="935 233 1398 306">that shows the <u>topic/event connection</u>:</p> <p data-bbox="935 457 967 489">1)</p> <p data-bbox="935 856 967 888">2)</p> <p data-bbox="935 1297 967 1329">3)</p>