RACE Journal Prompt Choices

Choose a question from the list below. You will answer **two** questions **every other week** in your READING journal. **They are due on the FRIDAY of that week. \*\*If you need to redo a prompt, it must be corrected and turned in on the “off” Friday in order to get credit.**

You must complete all six before you may repeat choices.

* *Answer your choice question with at least 4-6 sentences.*
* *Indicate what question number you are responding to.*
* *All text evidence passages should be properly quoted and include a page number.*
* *Use the RACE formula—restate, answer the question, context/cite, and explain.*
* ***BE SURE TO ANSWER ALL PARTS OF THE QUESTION!!! Reread your response after you write it.***
* *If you do well, you will receive a different assignment in a few weeks.*
* *If you do not do well, you will re-do these using a short story.*

1. What is a conflict in your book? Explain the type, who and what is involved, and how you identified the conflict. Use a direct quote (with page number) from the text.
2. What is the perspective shared in the novel, and why did the author choose to share this perspective?
3. Identify a possible theme in the novel. Explain, using multiple pieces of evidence, how you arrived at this conclusion.
4. Identify a character trait of a main character. How does this trait impact the plot? Use evidence to support each part of this response.
5. Describe an important setting in the novel, and explain how the setting affects the plot or reveals something about a character. Use evidence.
6. Choose an important line in your novel. Quote the line, giving context, and then explain why this line is so important to the text (hint: mention another literary element connection).