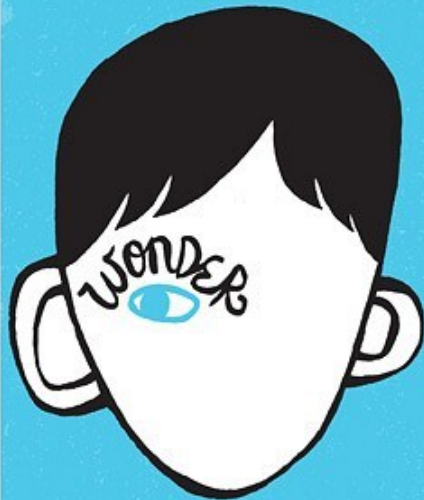


Year 7 'Wonder' Knowledge Organiser

Themes

Strength
Acceptance
Respect
Kindness
Resilience



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THE PEE TECHNIQUE

When you are responding to a text you have read, this method of organising your paragraph will help you to make your ideas clear.

What's your point?

First make a simple statement about what the writer does:

Point

- The writer suggests that...
- The writer shows that...
- We can see from the text that...

Give evidence from the text to support your point

Evidence

- For example...
- I know this because the author says...
- This is shown when...

Explain how the writer's methods affect the reader

Explain how key words and techniques from the evidence help to get these effects.

Explanation

- The effect of this is...
- The author wants the reader to...
- It makes it appear that...

Key Quotations

"When given the choice between being right or being kind, choose kind."

"I think there should be a rule that everyone in the world should get a standing ovation at least once in their lives."

"Funny how sometimes you worry a lot about something and it turns out to be nothing."

"Courage. Kindness. Friendship. Character. These are the qualities that define us as human beings, and propel us, on occasion, to greatness."

Synopsis

Born with facial differences that, up until now, have prevented him from going to a mainstream school, Auggie Pullman becomes the most unlikely of heroes when he enters the local fifth grade.

As his family, his new classmates, and the larger community all struggle to discover their compassion and acceptance, Auggie's extraordinary journey will unite them and prove you can't blend in when you were born to stand out.