

Cycle Two Book Project

Map of Literary World

In the book, *Plotted*, artist Andrew DeGraff uses his imagination to make detailed, vivid, visual representations of literary worlds and the character journeys that occur within them.

For this project, you will make your own creative map (inspired by the style of artist Andrew DeGraff) to depict the literary world of the book about exploration that you are currently reading. You will also use multi-colored lines to depict character journeys through this literary world as well as symbols to represent events from the book.

The following are all required components of this map project:

- * A detailed, colorful, map of the setting of your literature book. For instance, for *Into Thin Air*, I would make a map showing Mount Everest including the base camp, the higher camps, the summit, etc.
- * Lines that show the paths of characters. You must depict the paths of **at least two** different characters, and there should be a key indicating which character is indicated by which color of line. The lines should make it clear where the characters' stories diverge and/or where they come back together.
- * **At least five** specific locations within the larger world of the book.
- * **At least five** important events in the plot (depicted as symbolic images)
- * **At least three** words that reflect the book's theme.
- * **At least three key quotes** that reflect the themes that you included (these should be written in a visually-appealing way somewhere on your map)

This project is pretty open-ended, but it must fulfill all of these criteria. Also, this is a good chance to go above and beyond, and to really show your creative abilities. The expectation is that your final product will show time, care, thought, and planning. The final product should be colorful and full of detail. If you hand in a pencil sketch that you finished in less than an hour, this *does not* fulfill the requirements of this assignment.

Due Dates

12/4--Planning Sheet Due

12/10--Check-in (Show work in progress)

12/21--Final Draft

Book Project Planning Sheet

Which two (or more) characters will you be tracking on your map?

Which five (or more) specific locations will you specify on your map?

Which five (or more) important events will you highlight on your map?

Which three theme-related words will you include on your map?

Find three quotes that you can include on your map and write them below (along with page numbers).