

# What Is An Altered Book???

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

The International Society of Altered Book Artists (<http://www.alteredbookartists.com>) defines an altered book as, "any book, old or new that has been recycled by creative means into a work of art." It is simply a book which has been "Altered"(changed) into a piece of ART by painting, drawing, gluing items on, stamping, or beading over the print, collaging onto the pages or cutting a niche and putting items into it.

You will choose a "just-right" book to read, then create an "Altered Book." There are no rules (but there are requirements) when making an "Altered Book" so the pages can be cut, folded, glued together, and you can cut niches into the book. The pages can be covered with fabric, polymer clay, textile pieces and pockets. You may also put hidden messages in your "Altered Book". The main thing is to have fun and let your creative side out!

Your "Altered Book" must include the following:

- **Cover:** Design a new cover representing your novel selection.
- **Title Page:** Make a new title page.
- **"Black Out Poetry":** Include at least two examples of "black out poetry" on some theme/topic from the novel this is where you black out sections of a page of text leaving some words exposed to create a poem.
- **Summary:** Include a summary page.
- **Quotes:** Two pages of selected quotes from the novel. You must state: who said them, what was compelling about each quote, and the impact on the plot of the story.
- **Collage:** Two full collage pages using words/pictures to represent themes from your novel.
- **Timeline:** A timeline of events from the novel.
- **Flashback/Foreshadowing:** Two pages dedicated to examples of flashback and foreshadowing from the novel.
- **Test Questions:** Create 10 Blooms' style questions about the reading. You can ask your teacher for Blooms Taxonomy question stems.
- **Character Development Graphic Organizer:** Choose two characters and create a graphic organizer for each one. You must include character development based on actions, interactions, and sayings.
- **Analogies:** Create five different analogies using aspects from the book. Examples of analogies can be found at:  
[https://www.greenwickschools.org/uploaded/north\\_street/pta/WordMasters/AnalogiesRelationships.pdf](https://www.greenwickschools.org/uploaded/north_street/pta/WordMasters/AnalogiesRelationships.pdf)
- **Reflection:** A reflection page on your thoughts regarding the reading, and the author's craft.
- **Theme, Figurative Language, or Inference:** You will create two pages of your choices based on a theme, figurative language, or, an inference presented in your book. Be creative with this page! You must describe how this page related to the selected theme or inference using details. Or, tell how the figurative language impacted the story.

# Rubric

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Pd: \_\_\_\_\_

	25 points	15 points	5 points	0 points
Requirements	Included all 13 requirements	Included 11-12 requirements	Included 9-10 requirements	Included less than 9 requirements
Quality/Neatness	All pages are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colorful</li> <li>• Neatly glued or attached</li> <li>• Typed or written with a device that is not a pencil.</li> </ul>	Most* of the pages are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colorful</li> <li>• Neatly glued or attached</li> <li>• Typed or written with a device that is not a pencil.</li> </ul>	Some* of the pages are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colorful</li> <li>• Neatly glued or attached</li> <li>• Typed or written with a device that is not a pencil.</li> </ul>	All of the pages: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have no color</li> <li>• Included text that was written with a pencil</li> <li>• Were sloppy</li> </ul>
Content	The required aspects fully reflect comprehension of the novel selected.	The required aspects closely reflect comprehension of the novel selected.	The required aspects partially reflect comprehension of the novel selected.	The required aspects do not reflect comprehension of the novel selected.
Due Date	Project was turned in on the due date	<b>The "Late Policy" will apply if the project is not turned in on the due date.</b>		

\* Based on teacher's judgement

Total Points: \_\_\_\_\_ out of 100.