**U.S. History Historical Fiction Report Fourth Term: Civil War 1861-1865**

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Due Date: **No later than May 5th** Period\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Note: Your book must be approved by Mrs. Lefler before you write the report.**

Directions: After watching an historical film or reading a book of historical fiction, answer the following questions in paragraphs. Neatly write your report to **fill** the space provided, or you may choose to type your report at home (1 ½ - 2 pages double-spaced). The purpose of this assignment is to help you experience different periods of American history and help you think critically about historical literature. Books must be at a lexile level appropriate to your reading ability.

Title of book: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Year published or released:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Author or director: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Write a summary of the book.

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1. What period of American history is the setting for the book? What did you learn about this period of time or the people involved? **Fill all the lines!**

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1. Do you think the film was historically accurate? Does it provide a good source for learning about this time in history or the people involved? Explain using examples and details from the book/video. **Fill all the lines.**

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1. What connections (self, world, texts) did you make with the book?

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1. What are the most important ideas and themes of the book? Also what is the moral of the story/what lesson can be learned from reading this book?

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1. Did you like the book? Explain why or why not.

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