

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Rising 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders:** This packet must be completed for **each** literary work assigned on the summer reading list. Students **must cite any external sources** they have used in the completion of this assignment. Do not share your work. BOXES LEFT BLANK will bring down your grade. AP students need not complete this form for How to Read Literature like a Professor or The Swamp. In addition, history students need not complete this form for *recommended* reading selections.

### Major Work Data Sheet

Title: _____ Author: _____ Date of Publication: _____ Genre: _____	Biographical Information about the author:
Historical Information about the period of publication:	Characteristics of the genre: What kind of literature does this work represent? Mystery? Autobiography? Drama? What are some of the characteristics of this particular genre?
Plot Summary:	

Characters

Name (consider symbolism)	Role in Story	Significance	Adjectives

Setting	Symbols
Significance of opening scene	Significance of ending / closing scene
Themes of Novel	