7th Grade Book Report Assignment Book: Nancy Drew #22 The Clue in the Crumbling Wall by Carolyn Keene

Due Date: Sep 15, 2025

Total Points: 100

Objective: You will demonstrate your understanding of the novel through summary, character insight, and creative thinking.

Assignment Instructions:

1. Summary (1-2 paragraphs)

Write a summary of the book in your own words.

- Who are the main characters?
- What mystery is Nancy solving?
- What clues and twists appear along the way?
- How is the case resolved?

2. Character Analysis (1 paragraph)

Choose one major character (e.g., Nancy Drew, Bess Marvin, George Fayne).

- Describe their personality and how they contribute to the mystery.
- How do they handle danger or problem-solving?
- What strengths do they show in the story?
- 3. Theme Exploration (1 paragraph) Choose a central theme from the story such as:
 - Courage
 - Teamwork
 - Justice
 - Curiosity

Explain how the theme is shown in the plot using examples.

4. Creative Connection (Optional for Extra Credit 10 points)

Write a short detective notebook entry (at least 1 paragraph) as if you were Nancy.

- Describe a day of investigating the mystery at the crumbling estate.
- Include what you saw, what you thought, and what clues you found.

Formatting Guidelines:

- Typed or neatly handwritten
- Full sentences and proper grammar
- Include your name, date, and class at the top

Grading Rubric:
Criteria | Points -----|-----|-----|
Summary | 25
Character Analysis | 25
Theme Analysis | 25

Effort, Grammar, Formatting | 25

Bonus: Creative Entry | +10