

# Comic Strip Book Report Poster

## **Tasks:**

- Create an appealing cover on your 11x17 poster and color/decorate it.
- Use other sheets of 11x17 paper to design a series of **comic cells** or **strips** which illustrate several important scenes in your book--(beginning, middle and end)
- Reproduce *dialogue*, *thoughts*, *feelings* and *narration* from the book using thought/speech bubbles and narration captions. (Look at the attached comic book instructions and examples.)

## **Requirements/Grade:**

The number of cells you design, if done well, will effect your grade:

- 12 or more cells for an A range grade
- 9-11 cells for a B range grade
- 7-8 cells for a C range grade

## **Conditions:**

- Draw cells (at least 3 inches tall by 4 inches wide)
- Fronts only
- Color/Shade all cells and contents
- Include text which makes it clear as to what is happening in the scene(s)

## **Materials Needed:**

- at least 2 pieces of 11x17 paper
- Markers, crayons, colored pencils
- Stapler to attach papers

## **Design Choices:**

- Separate cells each with different scenes
- Groups of cells showing different scenes
- Blend clip art, magazine cuttings neatly with your own drawings.

## **Skills:**

- Recalling and choosing the most important scenes from your novel.
- Choosing important quotes from characters in those scenes (speech bubbles)
- Choosing important thoughts/feelings from characters (thought bubbles)
- Choosing important narration in each scene (captions)
- Artistically rendering the book/scenes in comic book form (effort is the key!)

Draft everything in pencil first, then go over in fine point pen or marker.

Neatness Counts!!!