**Book Talk Outline**

1. **General Information**
2. What is the title of the book?
3. Who is the author? What other books has this author written?
4. **Plot/Characters**
5. What is the general plot of the story (without giving away too much information)
6. Who is the main character of the story? Who is the most interesting character of the story? Explain both.
7. **Critique/Final Thoughts**
8. Would you recommend this book to others? Why or why not?
9. What were your overall impressions / critiques of the book?
10. What age / gender do you think would be the most interested in this type of story?
11. Is there anything else you would like us to know about this author / book?

Book Talk Rubric

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|  | 4 (Distinguished) | 3 (Proficient)  | 2 (Apprentice) | 1 (Novice) | 0  |
| General Information | Student presented all parts of general information stated in the outline. | Student presented most of the information stated in the outline.  | Student only presented part of the information stated in the outline, but did include part of the information. | Student did not present most of the information stated in outline. | Student did not complete any of the general information stated in the outline. |
| Plot/ Characters | Student presented all parts of the information stated in the outline. | Student presented most of the information stated in the outline. | Student only presented part of the information stated in the outline, but did include part of the information. | Student did not present most of the information stated in outline. | Student did not present any information from the outline. |
| Critique/ Final Thoughts | Student presented all parts of the information stated in the outline. | Student presented most of the information stated in the outline. | Student only presented part of the information stated in the outline, but did include part of the information. | Student did not present most of the information stated in outline. | Student did not present any information from the outline. |