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### Tuesday, November 17

Start reading the book *The Grapes of Wrath*  
You have 29 days to read this book.

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Summarize the introduction of the story in no more than three sentences.

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### Wednesday, November 18

You have 28 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Through whose point of view is the story written? How does his/her perspective affect the storyline?

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**Thursday, November 19**

You have 27 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Give a physical description as well as a description of each character's personality. Does the author use a direct or indirect method of revealing the characterization?

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**Friday, November 20**

You have 26 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Saturday, November 21**

You have 25 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Sunday, November 22**

You have 24 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

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At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Monday, November 23**

You have 23 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Tuesday, November 24**

You have 22 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

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At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Will you continue to think about what you read today once you finish today's reading assignment? Why or why not?

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(from Chapters 7-12)

What news did Tom learn about his younger sister Rosaharn?

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**Wednesday, November 25**

You have 21 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Are there any questions or concerns you have about what you read today?

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**Thursday, November 26**

You have 20 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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How does the setting of the story affect the characters?

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(from Chapters 7-12)

What food preparation was carried out on Tom's first night back home with the family?

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Draw a diagram to illustrate the frequency of interaction and the level of connectivity between the characters of the story.

**Friday, November 27**

You have 19 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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What is the general theme of this book?

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**Saturday, November 28**

You have 18 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Would the story have a different feel to it if it took place in a different setting or time period? Explain how you think the storyline would be affected?

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(from Chapters 7-12)

Why was Al concerned about Tom traveling to California?

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**Sunday, November 29**

You have 17 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Monday, November 30**

You have 16 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Which character is best portraying the author's theme? Give reasons for your answer.

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**Tuesday, December 1**

You have 15 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Wednesday, December 2**

You have 14 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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(from Chapters 13-18)

Who did the Joads meet and camp beside on the other side of Bethany?

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**Thursday, December 3**

You have 13 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Did the text remind you of any other stories you have read? Explain the connection.

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(from Chapters 13-18)

Why did Ma Joad protest fiercely when the station inspector near Daggett requested they unload their stuff?

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**Friday, December 4**

You have 12 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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(from Chapters 13-18)  
What did Ma Joad leave behind for the Wilsons?

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**Saturday, December 5**

You have 11 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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At this point, do you think you know how the book is going to end? Explain.

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**Sunday, December 6**

You have 10 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Name one decision the main character has made that you would have done differently. How might your decision have changed the plot of the story?

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### Monday, December 7

You have 9 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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(from Chapters 19-24)

What job was Tom assigned for Saturday night?

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### Tuesday, December 8

You have 8 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Wednesday, December 9**

You have 7 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Thursday, December 10**

You have 6 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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(from Chapters 19-24)

List two things that happened to any leader who opened his mouth and tried to organize a labor union.

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**Friday, December 11**

You have 5 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Saturday, December 12**

You have 4 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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**Sunday, December 13**

You have 3 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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(from Chapters 19-24)

What nickname was coined for the thousands of Oklahoma people who journeyed to California?

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**Monday, December 14**

You have 2 days left to finish *The Grapes of Wrath*

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Tuesday, December 15

Finish reading the book *The Grapes of Wrath*

Finally, you can finish this book today!

Started reading at \_\_\_\_\_ and finished reading at \_\_\_\_\_.

I read up to page \_\_\_\_\_ today.

At least 3 things you noticed about character (what they say, do, others say about them), theme (repeated idea), symbol (an object that has meaning beyond the object, ex: heart=love).

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Setting-Where and when does this story take place?

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Climax-At what point is Tom a danger to the family?

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\_\_\_\_\_ What two things made the government camp especially enjoyable?

- A. Schools and libraries
- B. Electric lights and public transportation
- C. Hot water and toilets
- D. Medical clinics and free lunches

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\_\_\_\_\_ Which Joad was considered to be the citadel of the family?

- A. Tom
- B. Pa
- C. Ma
- D. Uncle John

\_\_\_\_\_ What encouraged the Joads to move west to California?

- A. A letter from his cousin
- B. An ad in the paper
- C. A call from old neighbors
- D. A handbill advertising jobs