

## **Short Story Critical Review**

### **Step 1: Choose a story**

Pick a short story that you have strong feelings about..... *you loved it or hated it!*

*“Priscilla and the Wimps”* by Richard Peck

*“Future Tense”* by Robert Lipsyte

*“Button, Button”* by Richard Matheson

*“The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse”* by William Saroyan

*“Charles”* by Shirley Jackson

*“Open Window”* by H.H. Munro (Saki)

*“The Most Dangerous Game”* by Richard Connell

*“All Summer in a Day”* by Ray Bradbury

### **Step 2: Choose 8-10 Short Story Terms that you will use.**

Short Story terms that I will use....

**Step 3: What type of review will you write?**

**Positive or Negative**

*Remember.....*

*Stay on track.....you either loved it or hated it!*

*A POSITIVE review should have a few lines about things that could be improved.*

*A NEGATIVE review should have a few lines about the good aspects of the story.*

**Step 4: Details/Quotes**

*These back-up my opinion:*

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**Step 5: Your final recommendation**

*Thumbs up/down?*



*How many stars?*



*Rotten tomatoes?*

