Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Block: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**OUTSIDE READING PROJECT – Quarter 1**

**Step 1** **– Book Declaration**  
  
**DUE DATE: 8/23/16 - A day & 8/22/16 - B day** *(Last date accepted: 8/30/16)*

**GUIDELINES:**

**- Choose** an appropriate middle to high school level **book**. This means your book should be mostly words, NOT mostly pictures, may be prose or poetry but not texting, should not contain excessive foul language or overtly inappropriate sexual situations (make sure your parents/principal would approve).

- It MUST be a different book than you have read or plan to read inside or outside of class.  (Remember, this is HOMEWORK and should be a new challenge.)

- Free Choice: It may be fiction or nonfiction this quarter. (Some quarters you will not have a choice.)

- **Complete your book declaration and turn it in.**  This tells me which book you would like approved for your project.  When you see a 100% in the grade book, you know your book was approved.  If you see a 0%, your book was either not approved or you did not turn in the declaration sheet.

**Book Declaration**

1.  Title \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2.  Author \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3.  Is the book fiction (fake - story) or nonfiction (not fake - real) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4.  Do you have the book or how are you going to get it? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***\*\*\*TURN THIS SHEET IN ONCE YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FORM ABOVE AND READ THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW.***

**(STEP 2)**

**Look for your approval in Focus (via the grades section – outlined above) and START READING NOW! Work on the project as you read!**

 “Thinking Blooms” Project: due 9/23/16 – A day & 9/22/16 – B day *(Last date accepted: 9/30/16)*

(See instructions/grading rubric handout and refer to the lesson/model given during the first two weeks. Get additional guidance on pacing from the class website: www.mchone1617.weebly.com)