

Book Analysis Guidelines

Formatting:

- 12-point Times New Roman font
- Title page with just the title of your paper in 16-point font bold with your name below in 12-point font italics centered in the middle of your page.
- Double-spaced.
- Minimum 1,000 words.
- Stapled on the top left corner.

Key Elements: In some way or another all of these elements should be in your analysis but not necessarily in this order.

- Who is the author and what is his/her general background? Why might they have written this book?
- An explanation of the author's thesis: What is the focus of this book? What was he trying to say?
- What struck you or stood out in this book and why?
- How does this book change/challenge the way you look at or think about some previously held belief about the world?