**English 7 – Boy – Open Response Paragraph on Theme** Name:

Opening sentence / Claim: must include:

* title (underlined)
* author
* genre (autobiography)
* theme

Three specific examples from the book that support your claim

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| scene or situation from book – with details | how does this scene or situation connect to your claim? |
| 1. |  |
| 2. |  |
| 3. |  |

Closing sentence / conclusion: must include your answer to the “Who cares?” question. Why is this idea important or interesting to consider?

**Nuts and Bolts**

Due:

Your paragraph must be typed, double-spaced, and have an MLA heading (never taste cooked dogs!).

Remember to look at the following rules in your notes and writing guide as you edit your paragraph:

1A

1B

1D

1M

5A

6G

Use your notes from class and the organizer on the front of this sheet to plan your paragraph, but you should only turn in the final draft.