Your Name

Week 0 (Summer)

Notes-Rough Draft

*Challenger Deep* Notes

* Chapter 1-10 (pp. 1-14) Setting for Chapter 1: Home; 2: Ship; 3: Home/Thoughts; 4: Ship/Thoughts; 5: Ship; 6: Home; 7: Thoughts/Mall; 8: Home; 9: Ship; 10:Dream/Thoughts
  + Summary:
    - Delete and enter your summary for Chapters 1-10 here
  + Quotes w/ Explanation of Importance:
    - “Even before there was a ship, there was the Captain” (Shusterman 2).
      * Shusterman’s choice to ponder the idea of which came first the “Captain” or the ship here seems odd. This might be foreshadowing. What does the Captain represent? Is he symbolic for something?
    - “It’s like I’ve always been here, except that I couldn’t have been, because there was a before, just last week or last month or last year. I’m pretty certain that I’m still fifteen, though. Even if I’ve been on board this wooden relic of a ship for years, I’m still fifteen” (Shusterman 4).
      * Caden’s age is established and whatever the ship is a metaphor for (illness?) has been present for what feels like years. Caden seems to struggle with reality and time. Based on the Shusterman’s dedication and acknowledgements at the front of the novel, mental illness seems like a big deal in his life. He thanks NAMI for being a resource.
  + Reactions/Questions/Ponderings:
    - The Captain’s crew is made up of crewmen that seem like “lost” children. Who are these crewmen? Will they be important later?
    - The navigator seems a bit wacky… like the mad hatter. But, he does seem smart and wise even though he’s described as a kid.
* Chapters 10-

Continue on with this format for the rest of the novel.