GRADING RATIONALE: MEDIEVAL HISTORICAL FICTION BOOK

Name Social Rank and Location	
Children's Historical Fiction Book	Points
• Author establishes time and place of fictional story using assig	gned
historical period and rank	/5
Author demonstrates depth of research on	
assigned time period and social rank	/25
• Author creates an engaging story for a young reader;	
does not simply list historical information(Has a moral/lesson)	/10
• Illustrations augment the story, may clarify part of the story	/5
Writing style:	
Writing is organized, logical and contains a	
clear format and properly edited	
	/10
Author's Note/Preface	
Author uses note to readers to set the historical place and time,	
explain any information in the story that requires clarification,	
and/or to further educate the reader on the time period or	
central characters. Rationale for story/lesson should be included.	/10
Bibliography	
• Bibliography contains at least three <i>scholarly</i> sources	/10
MLA-style format	
Total	/75