**Oliver Twist Creative Project**

**Book Report Guide**

**Choose one of the following:**

1. Work with a partner and act out a scene from the book in class. Bring props (materials) to help create the setting. Before presenting the scene, tell the class some background about the book. The scene should be well rehearsed and show an important part of the book. It should include the setting of the story, the important characters and the problem (and possibly its resolution).

2. Work alone or with a partner and create a poster or online presentation with the following information: setting (time, place and atmosphere), characters, conflict, climax resolution, and theme. Points are given for detail and creativity.

3. Work alone or with a partner to create a movie trailer for your book (an original one – not one that is already done). Videotape your trailer and bring to class. The trailer should tell the viewer about the story – setting, characters, conflict, themes, etc, but not give away the ending. There should be either English subtitles, or a voiceover in English. Go to www.imdb.com and view recent movie trailers for ideas.

**Grading Rubric:**

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| **Preparation**  **(30 points)** | It looks like student thoroughly prepared the assignment. Care and thought was put into the assignment. The presentation showed creativity. |
| **Visual Aids**  **(12 points)** | Student's visual aids explain and reinforce the presentation. |
| **Subject Knowledge**  **(30 points)** | Student demonstrates full knowledge of the book and has answered all questions asked in the presentation guide. |
| **Organization**  **(10 points)** | Student presents information in logical, interesting sequence which audience can follow. |
| **Mechanics**  **(10 points)** | Presentation has few grammar and spelling errors. |