

9th Grade Discovery School English Summer Reading 2023-2024

Please read this page carefully. If you have questions, please email Mrs. Bowden at paigebowden@calvaryknights.com

This assignment is a test grade and is **due by August 18, 2023**. Your teacher will give you instructions on how to turn in this work.

Hidden Figures: Young Reader's Edition by Margot Lee Shetterly

Elements of a Plot

Exposition	The part of the story when characters and setting are
	introduced
Conflict	The struggle or problem
	*Character Verses Character
	*Character Verses Nature
	*Character Verses Society
	*Character Verses themself
3 Stages of Action	Rising Action- Events that increase tension and events
	that lead up to climax
	Climax- The high point of the story. Usually at the
	climax you can foreshadow the story's ending.
	Falling Action- Tension decreases and everything
	settles down.
Resolution	Conflict has been solved

Each question should be answered in paragraph format. Six questions, six paragraphs should be turned in. Use details from the book and your own experiences to answer questions completely. Work must be typed, Times New Roman font, 12 size font, 1.5 spacing (this is the standardized requirements for work turned in for High School).

Questions:

- 1. Who are the main characters in this story?
- 2. Who is the antagonist in the story?
- 3. What is the main conflict in this story?
- 4. Describe the rising action in the story.
- 5. Describe the climax of the story.
- 6. Describe the falling action.