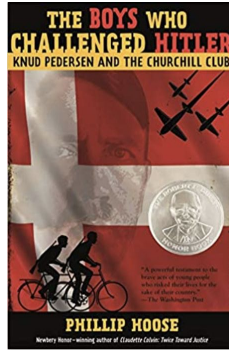


8th Grade Summer Reading

[The Boys Who Challenged Hitler, 8th-grade summer reading](#)



8th Grade Nonfiction Annotation Rubric

Highlights	Margin Notes
Vocabulary (unknown words/figurative language)	meaning <i>in context</i> note is made in margin (Don't just put the definition, what does it mean in this situation.)
Possible evidence to highlight: Major events Characterization (personality and appearance of actual people) Theme evidence (lessons to glean from this experience) Signposts for nonfiction (click on the following link) Nonfiction signposts Contrasts and Contradictions Extreme or absolute language Numbers and stats Quoted words	Per chapter, on average 10 notes Possible items to include in your notes: Inference Meaning in context Connection to chapter Connection to theme Prediction Question Connection to life
Summary	A short, objective summary is provided at the close of each chapter. Key people and events are included with no personal opinion.