Sidell 12th grade Lit. Directions for annotating independent reading assignment book choice. You MUST have an answer for each. You may not say: “none” or “don’t know.” Use sticky notes to annotate the book. Keep notes in each page or keep notes on a separate paper, whichever method will help you during the assessment. You will have your book and your notes with you for the assessment. Use page numbers and explanations for everything you write down.

11th/12th grade Reading Standard CC RL.11-12.10: 1) by the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems in the grade 11-CCR text complexity band proficiently, with scaffolding as needed at the high end of the range. 2) by the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high end of the grades 11-CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.

1. TWO examples of dialogue, sentences, or paragraphs, that prove author’s tone AND purpose
2. TWO examples of dialogue, sentences, events or paragraphs, that show universal theme(s).
3. TWO examples of interesting or exciting chapters, moments, events, dialogue, sentences, or events in the book and WHY
4. TWO new ideas or ways of thinking that had never occurred to you before, or an idea which you learned or thought more about after reading this book.
5. TWO examples of dialogue, sentences, moments, or events that show two different types of CONFLICT (man v man, man v society, man vs nature, man vs self)
6. TWO examples of dialogue, sentences, moments, paragraphs or events that explain ONE character’s motives, lessons learned, or flaws, preferably the antagonist or protagonist.
7. TWO examples of dialogue, sentences, moments, events, or paragraphs that explain whether a different character (other than the one above) is dynamic or static.
8. TWO examples each of INDIRECT CHARACTERIZATION and DIRECT CHARACTERIZATION used to describe TWO main characters.
9. TWO in-depth and thoughtful suggestions, compliments, or criticism you would make about the book, including specific examples and explanations for each.
10. What is your favorite part of the book and what is your least favorite and why? Use textual evidence and explanation