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***Unwind* Project**

1. Choose a topic to research  
  
    a. The novel takes places after the "Second Civil War." The real Civil War was fought primarily over the issue of slavery. Learn about recent civil wars in other countries. What issues--such as religion, race, or politics--have they been fought over? Discuss the idea of a second civil war in this country, and what it might be fought over. Do you think it could happen here?   
  
    b. Find out how many people today elect to donate their organs after their death. What is the process to do so? How are the organs handled and delivered? How many lives do they save? Ask other students how many of them intend to donate their organs.  
  
    c. The situations in Unwind are futuristic yet they are realistic and identifiable with events or issues from our past and present. Choose one of the following then explain how it relates to Shusterman's story.   
Adoption, Suicide bombers, Genocide, Refugee camps, Underground Railroad, Hiding from the enemy (i.e. the Jews in World War II), Pro-life Pro-choice, Teen runaways, Evangelists, War profiteers, Racism, Homophobia, Orphans and orphanages  
  
2. Compile your information  
Write 5 paragraphs (5-7 sentences) about your topic.  Your 6th paragraph should explain how your topic relates to the Unwind.  Cite your sources using MLA format. Not just a URL! Use [Easybib](http://www.easybib.com/" \t "_blank).  We would like you to use a database from [Pioneer Library](http://pioneer.uen.org/k12/).  Some possibilities are EBSCO, or Opposing Viewpoints, and InfoTrac Student Edition found in Gale Reference Collection Grades 9-12.  One of your sources should come from an article you found in these databases.  When you use one of these articles scroll to the bottom to find the MLA Citation.   
  
It will look like this  
"Camps Are a Poor Way to House Syrian Refugees." Syria. Ed. Noah Berlatsky. Farmington Hills, MI: Greenhaven Press, 2015. Opposing Viewpoints. Rpt. from "Syrian Refugees: Reliance on Camps Creates Few Good Options." 2012. Opposing Viewpoints in Context. Web. 17 Sept. 2015.  
  
3. Make your final product  
We are going to use PowerPoint and Knovio to present your information.  On PowerPoint you will have 8 total slides--1-Intro slide, 5 slides to represent your topic, and 1 slide to show the connection between your topic and the book. Find 6 pictures to represent your paragraphs.  You may have a few words or bullet points if you wish, not the full paragraph.  Your last slide is your works cited page.  
  
While working on PowerPoint choose a safe place to save your work.  Email it to yourself, upload it to your Google Drive, or save to a flash drive.  
  
When your PowerPoint is finished you will upload it to [Knovio](http://www.knovio.com/" \t "_blank), and then make a recording reading your prepared paragraphs.  
  
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