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Dialectical Journal Template for Literature Circles

1. As you read through your selected passage, first annotate for the author's use of literary devices, and then address the following questions:
2. (Author's purpose) What is the author conveying through this passage?
3. (Literary analysis) **How** does he/she convey his/her intention or purpose?
4. (Application) How does this connect to our understanding of the text as a whole or society?

Remember to include a clear thesis and at least two embedded quotes in your response.

Passage/Quote with page number	Your Response