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## October Sky by Homer Hickam

Author \_\_\_\_\_

# of pages \_\_\_\_\_

Describe each of these characters: Sonny, Homer, Elsie, Jim, Quentin, Miss Riley.

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Describe the setting of the novel. Why is it important to the events of the plot?  
Give evidence from the novel to support your answer.

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Summarize your favorite event in the novel. Tell how you felt as you read about this event.

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The novel includes many different types of conflict. Describe a major conflict in this story. Tell how this conflict was resolved.

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Summarize the rising action, climax, and resolution of the story.

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What do you believe to be the major theme of this novel? Give evidence from the story to support your answer.

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