

Jerry Spinelli is the author of milkweed true story he is the author of milkweed and that's the book I'm writing about and he's the author of it it's pretty basic though let's see if we can do a little better milkweed by Jerry Spinelli is a novel set during the Holocaust better because I give a little bit more information about the novel rather than just the title and the author but I think I can do better in his novel milkweed Jerry Spinelli invites us to experience the Holocaust through the eyes of a young boy who misunderstands everything except the love of family and the different forms it can take this is far more sophisticated because not only am i identifying the title and the author I'm actually weaving that directly into the beginning of my summary you can do this strive to write like this so after hook and title and author we're going to talk about background information you know you need to do a plot summary in about four to five sentences make sure that the information you're giving actually relates to the topic of your essay (if you already have a topic for your essay, but you don't want to write this essay you can buy it from the service which provide [CheetahPapers writing paper pay service](#).) there's a lot you could say about this book you only want to say the things that your reader needs to understand in order to be able to process what you're saying in your essay so here's what I've got from milkweed Misha is an orphan who is taken in by a group of young Jewish thieves simple-minded and ignorant of his own identity Misha adopts the identity of those around him first as a gypsy and then as a Jew when he follows a family of a fren Janina into the ghetto Misha's inability to understand the true nature of the events around him forces the reader to focus on the simple acts of caring that take place amidst the suffering these are actual photographs taken in the warsaw ghetto just so you know through misha's eyes we witnessed the devastation of the warsaw ghetto as well as the selfless acts of love and hope that persisted in spite of it that's it for my summary I hope you see that I kept it at a pretty general level I didn't get into much specifics but it gave you enough context to understand what this book is generally about so the rest of my essay will make sense alright we've done hook we've done title and author and we've done background information let's move on to thesis I hope you already watched my screencast on how to write a strong thesis because I'm not going to go into that I'm just going to refresh your memory that your thesis has to state the purpose of your essay you're going to spend your whole essay proving it it's written as a fact and it comes at the end of your intro here's my thesis the best authors are those who create characters that readers can empathize with in milkweed spinelli uses several techniques masterfully to create empathy and his readers including dramatic irony revealing character emotions and a unique choice of narrator now what I want to show you is what this all looks like when you put it together and zoom in so you can read it this is my introductory paragraph for my essay on milkweed my hook what happens to a boy who has no identity at a time when identity can be won salvation or a mark for death then everything else in this paragraph is directly from the Prezi I just gave you it's directly from the Prezi that I just gave you you can see if you go back all I did with copy and paste all those pieces together I want you to pause this video right now and I want you to read this introduction through from start to finish I want you to feel how it flows and see what you are capable of creating raise your level of expectations you can write like this I broke it down for you step by step slow down pause go back and read it