

# CHHS English 1 Summer Reading

## *Speak* by Laurie Halse Anderson

### Summer Reading Reduction Notes

**Directions:** *Complete this worksheet as you read *Speak*, and then use it to help you create your reduction. You will find instructions for how to complete your reduction attached in this packet.*

Significance of Title: \_\_\_\_\_

### SETTINGS

Mood- The feeling created in the reader by a literary work. The author creates mood through the use of descriptive details. The mood can be explained by describing the emotions you would feel if you were in the setting being described. Identify the 2 most important settings and the mood created by them.

Setting 1	Mood
Setting 2	Mood

### CHARACTERS

Name	Character Traits	Why are they important?

### CONFLICT

- Describe the conflict/problem the protagonist is facing.
- How would you characterize the conflict? Person vs. \_\_\_\_\_
- How is the conflict resolved?
- What is the theme (lesson about life that is revealed through this conflict)?