

What Is the What: One Book, One Philadelphia Share

A place for students to respond to this year's One Book One Philadelphia selection, *What Is the What* by Dave Eggers.

How to post on the blog:

1. **Get your response ready!** It could be a written reflection about the book, a personal essay or narrative, creative writing inspired by the book, or any kind of non-written work. Remember, students around Philadelphia will have a chance to view your post – make it something you are proud of! Also, leave space for as many entries as possible: keep your post down to a few paragraphs or images.
2. **Get a login and password for the blog.** Your teacher will either give you this info or provide instructions for creating your own login.

Login: _____

Password: _____

3. **Prepare your post.**
 - a. Go to www.blogger.com and sign in.
 - b. This will take you to the "dashboard" page. Click on "new post."
 - c. You are now at the posting page. This is where you can type, cut and paste, or upload your post.
 - d. At the bottom of your entry, make sure you sign your post with your **first name, grade, and the name of your school.**
4. **Label your post.** In the "labels for this post" box, type any of the relevant words:
creative essay fiction non-fiction analysis
5. Hit the "**publish post**" button.

Congratulations! You're published!