

Thank you for agreeing to be a beta reader for my novel! I appreciate your time and ideas.

Target date for submitting response:

When completed, please send form to:

1. Did the first chapter of the novel make you want to keep reading? Do you think the book should start at a different point in the story?
2. Is the world of the story understandable and believable? Can you picture it in your head? Did you get too much detail about the world right away, or not enough?
3. Are there any details that didn't seem like they fit the world of the story?
4. Are the main characters' goals and motivations clear, and do their actions fit their goals?
5. Do the main characters grow and evolve over the course of the novel?
6. Are there too many characters? Did you get confused or overwhelmed with trying to keep track of who is who?
7. Are there any secondary characters who seem unnecessary or just don't feel believable?
8. Does the dialogue feel natural? Do different characters have distinctive voices?
9. Are there any characters you would like to see star in a future book?
10. Does the plot make sense? Is it logically consistent? Are there any events that seem out of place?
11. Is the end satisfying? Are all of the plot strands wrapped up?
12. Is the pacing too slow or too fast anywhere in the novel? Are there scenes that just drag? Or any scenes that should be expanded?