**The Watsons Go To Birmingham – 1963**

**Annotation Guide: By Chapter**

**Chapter 1 Character Traits – (Identify other literary elements as a class)**

 Write the character’s name in the margin. Below the character’s name, write the character trait he/she possesses at this point in the novel. Underline in black, the sentence(s) that support the trait. This is your proof/textual evidence.

 Identify traits for ALL characters that are in each chapter.

**Chapter 2 Character Traits (Identify other literary elements as a class)**

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**Chapter 3 Character Traits (Identify other literary elements as a class)**

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 Identify traits for ALL characters that are in each chapter.

**Chapter 4 Character Traits & Figurative Language**

 Underline examples of figurative language in blue. \

 Hyperbole – a huge exaggeration

 Personification – giving human qualities to a non-living thing

 Idiom – words, phrases or expressions that cannot be taken literal

 Onomatopoeia – words that imitate a sound

 Oxymoron – contradictory terms

 Metaphor or Simile – comparison of two unlike things that have a similarity

**Chapter 5 Character Traits & Figurative Language**

**Chapter 6 Character Traits, Figurative Language & Conflict**

 Identify the character(s) who is having a conflict with a red pen. Write the type of conflict in the margin.

 Character vs. Character

 Character vs. Nature

 Character vs. Society

 Character vs. Self

 Character vs. Machine

 Character vs. Fate

**Chapter 7 Character Traits, Figurative Language & Conflict**

**Chapter 8 Character Traits, Figurative Language & Conflict**

**Chapter 9 Character Traits, Figurative Language, Conflict**

 **& Setting**

**Chapter 10 All**

**Chapter 11 All**

**Chapter 12 All**

**Chapter 13 All**

**Chapter 14 All**

**Chapter 15 All**