

Gifted and Talented Resources 4th-5th Grade

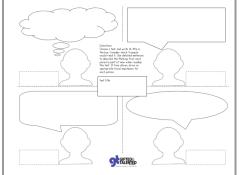
Grades 4-5 Fiction Choice Board - Week One

Pairs with any fiction text.



Directions: Choose an option from the menu below to complete throughout the week. Set a goal for how many sections you plan to complete this week.

All About Perspective: See the Multiple Perspectives ELA document to complete the image shown below.



Artifact Bag:

Create an artifact bag to present at a book talk. In a small paper sack, include eight to ten items with a log book explaining how

each symbolically represents a character, problem, key event, resolution, or main idea in the story.

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Critique:

Write a critique comparing an issue the protagonist faces with a similar issue confronting students today.



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Analogies:

Create multiple analogies about the main characters in

the story comparing each to a current or historical person or event.

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Over Time:

Choose a character and analyze how this character has changed over time, from the beginning to the end of the story. Create a timeline, an illustration, or some other visual representation to



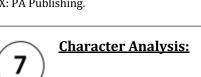
Word Work:

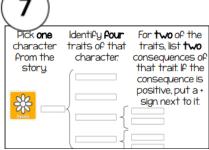
Find eight words with prefixes and/or suffixes from today's reading. From these eight, choose a prefix

or suffix and research to discover 4 new words with this same word part.

Example: Precaution - found in the text

Discover other words with "pre": predict, prevail, premature, and preoccupation





Thinking of what you just identified and considered, do you think the character's traits were a hindrance or a help to him/her and why?

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Conceptual Thinking:

Using the conceptual thinking words document, choose

three conceptual words that connect to the text you're reading. Of those three, choose the one that is the best connection and explain your reasoning for why this concept is best represented by this text.

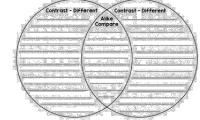
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Compare and Contrast:

Complete the Venn diagram comparing yourself or a historical figure to the antagonist or

protagonist physically, mentally, socially and ethically. Write a summary of your comparison.



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