

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____
 Title: _____ Author: _____

Point of View/Perspective (circle one):

First Person; Third Person Objective; Third Person Limited; Third Person Omniscient

Genre (circle all that apply):

Fiction:

Adventure
 Drama
 Humor
 Mystery
 Horror
 Science Fiction (Sci-fi)
 Fantasy
 Fairy Tale
 Fable
 Myth
 Other:

Non-fiction:

Biography
 Autobiography
 Diary
 History
 Science
 Mathematics
 Geography
 Business
 Self-help
 Fitness
 Other:

Author's Purpose (circle all that apply): To express an opinion To share an experience To entertain To persuade To inform To teach an important life lesson	Setting: Main Characters:
New Vocabulary Words:	Questions Along the Way (cross them off as they are answered):

Theme in One Word, such as *loyalty* or *sacrifice*: _____

Theme in One Sentence, (same as author's message) such as *Don't give up* or *People often make sacrifices for the ones they love*: _____

Four-Sentence Plot Summary: _____

Write a **one-paragraph, seven-sentence summary** of the article or story: The **first sentence** should include the title, author and main idea. The **next four sentences** should include the most significant events or ideas, in either chronological order or order of importance. If you are summarizing a fictional work, perhaps use one sentence each for **set-up, rising action, climax** and **resolution**. The **sixth sentence** should be a **quote** from the story or article, and the **seventh and concluding sentence** should tie all the events or ideas together and/or **restate the main idea**.

Draw a **storyboard** of the article or story here. If it's **non-fiction**, include: **introduction, two main ideas** and **conclusion**. If it is **fiction**, include: **set-up, rising action, climax** and **resolution**.

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