

Discussion DIRECTOR

ABOUT THIS ROLE:

The Discussion Director is responsible for leading the discussion during the literature circle. The Discussion Director will create a list of questions about the section of text. The Discussion Director will be in charge of helping their group explore many ideas while answering the questions.

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Choose questions that will make your group members think **DEEPER!**
- Make sure that everyone participates

EXAMPLES OF QUESTIONS:

What was going through your head as you read this part of the book?

What if _____ happened
instead?

What would you have done if you were this character?

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Clever CONNECTOR

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THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Try to make DEEP connections to the character's feelings and emotions!
- Connections can help you understand!

EXAMPLE OF A CONNECTION:

In this chapter, George felt very sad because his pet died. I felt very sad when my guinea pig died because I played with her every day after school. My mom made me feel better by giving me a hug just like George's mom did in the story.

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_____ CONNECTIONS: _____

Connection 1: _____

Connection 2: _____

Connection 3: _____

Incredible ILLUSTRATOR

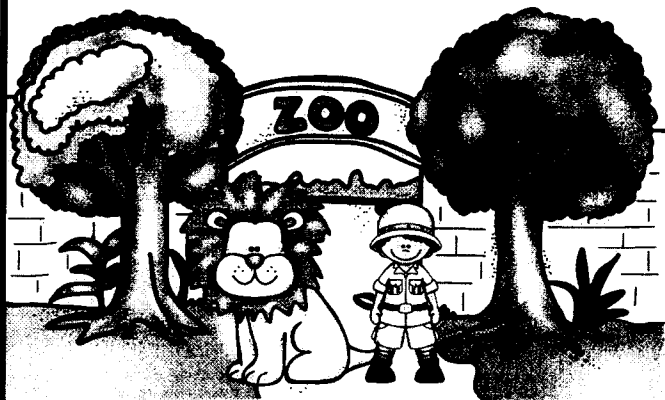
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The Incredible Illustrator is responsible for picking one scene to draw from the section of text. The Incredible Illustrator will create a **DETAILED** drawing and write a few sentences to explain their drawing. The drawing should help the other members of the literature circle visualize the story.

💡 THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Pick an important, funny, or interesting part.
- Your drawing should have a lot of details and be colored neatly!

📄 EXAMPLE OF AN ILLUSTRATION:



My illustration shows the zoo keeper freeing the lion from the zoo. I chose to draw this scene because it solved the problem in the story.

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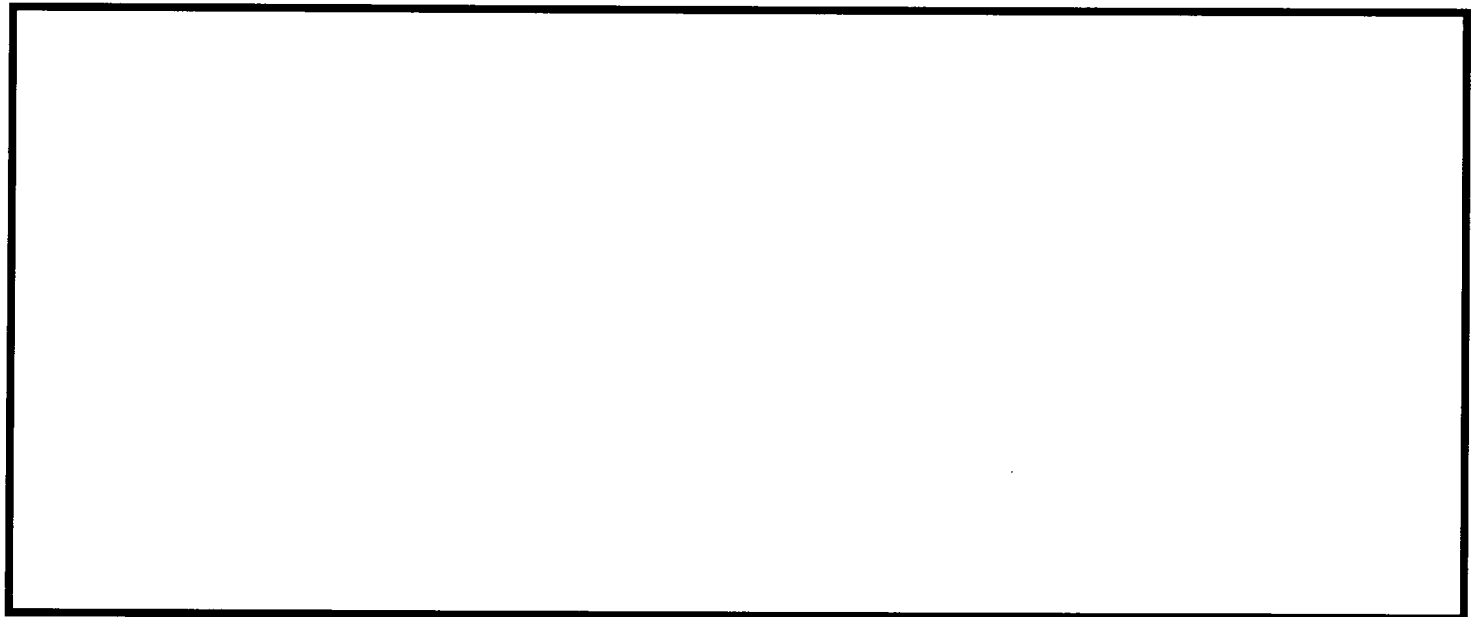
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Super SUMMARIZER

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The Super Summarizer is responsible for a writing summary of the section of text and sharing the summary with the other members of the literature circle. The summary should include all the important events that happened in the section of text and should be at **LEAST** 4 sentences!

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

- Only write a summary for that section of text.
- Think about: first, next, then, and last!

EXAMPLE OF A SUMMARY:

First, George walked with his friend, Rob, to the store. Next, he picked out a new video game to play and paid for it. Then, George walked home from the store with Rob. Last, he got home and played his new video game until it was time to eat dinner.

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_____ **SUMMARY:** _____

First, _____

Next, _____

Then, _____

Last, _____