

Story Diamond Slide Presentation



Directions- Follow the speech balloons and the segments to which they point to complete this story diamond. In the lower right corner, you will find a glossary of terms for your convenience. Suggestion- Once you have finished you will have one “GEM” of an actual story.

Key Story Diamond Vocabulary and Definitions

Setting- Time and Place

Characters- People/Animals

Main Events- #1- Important Episodes leading to the Climax

Climax- Point of Highest Reader Interest

Resolution- How the Problem is Solved

Falling Action- Events that Conclude the Story

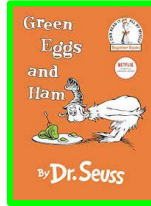
Theme- What the Writer had in Mind When Writing the Story, The Most Important Message of the Story



A summary is a **brief write up that sums up the whole story or book.**

This brief account will summarize all the main points of the essay or story.

The summary will inform the reader of all the main points and the overriding theme of the larger piece of work.

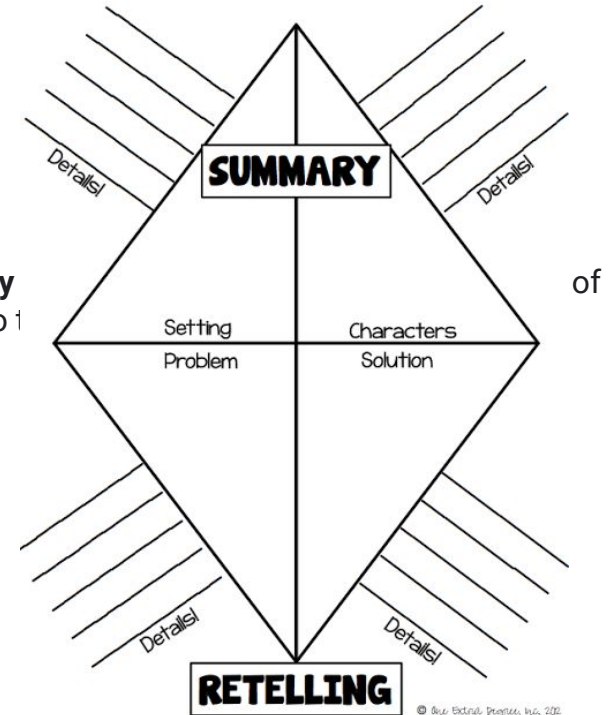


SUMMARY OF GREEN EGGS AND HAM

Green Eggs and Ham is about **Sam-I-Am's attempt to convince the narrator to try** the book offering the unnamed narrator different locations and dining partners to 1 relents and eats the green eggs and ham and ends up loving the food



What is a "SUMMARY?"



Geri's Game - Short Pixar Film Selection

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The “SEVEN” types of Conflict in Literature

The 7 types of “Conflict” in Literature:

Character vs. Self- this is an internal conflict where the opposition the character faces is coming from within

Character vs. Character-Character vs. character conflict is commonly rendered as the traditional “protagonist vs. antagonist”

Character vs. Nature-Stories that feature a “character vs. nature” conflict will usually center on a character’s survival. How do you fancy your chances in a fight against Mother Earth?

Character vs. Supernatural-When your hero finds themselves up against something that cannot be explained by logic or science, they are probably in conflict with supernatural forces! (Forces of fate, religion, ghosts, gods, demons or aliens)

Character vs. Technology-the dawn of the industrial age, humanity and how it can have a turbulent relationship with technology.

Character vs. Society-In this type of conflict, society will put pressure on our character to change and fall neatly into order

Character vs. Fate-Character vs. fate” can include dealings with God or the gods and their prophecies – where our protagonists desperately try to assert their free will.

What Is Symbolism ?

Symbolism in literature is the idea that things represent other things. What we mean by that is that we can basically look at something -let's say, the color RED and the conclude that it represent just not the color RED itself BUT something BEYOND it. Just like in the Short Pixar Presentation- Geri's Game (the RED colored LEAVES represented the EVIL and SNEAKY side of the major character GERI and the YELLOW LEAVES represented the more CALM and PEACEFUL side of the main character GERI.

