

MIRA Simple Narrative STORY MAP

GRAPHIC ORGANIZER



All Grades



Comprehension Strategy



English/Language Arts

Story Title:

Main Characters: Who is the story about?

Setting: Where / When does the story take place?

Beginning

Middle

End

What was the Problem/Goal & Why?

Problem OR Goal

How was the Problem/Goal Solved?

Was the problem solved or the goal achieved? If so, how?

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MIRA Complex Narrative STORY MAP

GRAPHIC ORGANIZER



4th Grade +



Comprehension Strategy



English/Language Arts

Story Title:

Main Characters: Who is the story about?

Setting: Where / When does the story take place?

Plot: Key Events - What happened?

Beginning / Middle / End

What was the Problem/Goal & Why?

Problem OR Goal

How was the Problem/Goal Solved?

Was the problem solved or the goal achieved? If so, how?

Themes

What is the moral, universal truth, or common message for all of us today?

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MIRA Expository Text STORY MAP

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All Grades



Comprehension Strategy



Use Across Curriculum

Text Title:

Who are the main participants?

Where & When do the events take place?

Key Events/Details - What happened?

What was the Problem or Goal & Why?

Can be multiple

How was the Problem/Goal Solved?

Was the problem solved or the goal achieved? If so, how?

Significance/Importance

Why is this important today and/or for the future? Can we learn from what happened?

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MIRA Scientific Experiment STORY MAP

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All Grades



Comprehension Strategy



Science Curriculum

Hypothesis:

Who/What was studied & Materials used?

Where & When is this experiment taking place?

Time, Place, Conditions

Variables: Dependent & Independent

Dependent - what you change
Independent - What you measure/observe

Procedures: Steps in the Experiment

What Results were obtained?

Conclusion/Outcome So what? How does this impact us?

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MIRA Scientific Process STORY MAP

GRAPHIC ORGANIZER



All Grades



Comprehension Strategy



Science Curriculum

Process Studied:

Who/What is being studied?

Where & When is this process taking place?

Time & Place

Beginning of the Process

Describe what is happening

Middle of the Process

Describe what is happening

End of the Process

Describe what is happening

What are the Results of this Process?

Conclusion/Outcome

So what? How does this impact us?

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